Enameled Box Hinge With A Fleur-de-lis Motif - 13th Century - Limoges Workshops, Haute époque



220 EUR

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Height : 9 cm

Description

Enameled fleur-de-lis chest hinge - 13th century - Limoges workshops, High PeriodA rare and remarkable medieval chest hinge featuring a gilded fleur-de-lis, accented with azure enamel, likely emblematic of the Kingdom of France.The composition centers on a fleur-de-lis enclosed within a diamond shape, whose original gilding contrasts with the beautiful remnants of blue enamel. The upper part of the hinge features a second, more stylized fleur-de-lis, retaining remarkable traces of gilding.The object, now beautifully weathered by time, boasts a lovely, lustrous green patina. It was originally entirely gilded, with the blue enamel serving to highlight and accentuate the central motif.Based on its style, the delicacy of its decoration, and its manufacturing technique, this piece can be dated

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to the 13th century. It most likely originated from the Limoges region, which was renowned at the time for the excellence of its metalwork and enamel art.A particularly rare object of great refinement, attesting to the quality of medieval decorative arts.Dimensions: height 9 cmPrice does not include shippingPolice Registry Ref.: A280Professional Antique Dealer - Guarantee & peace of mind when purchasingAs a professional antique dealer, I am committed to offering only authentic items that have been carefully selected and are legally marketable. Each piece is chosen for its historical, aesthetic, or collectible value and undergoes a rigorous verification of its provenance.Invoice and Traceability. Each purchase comes with a detailed invoice and a certificate of authenticity, guaranteeing the item's provenance and ensuring complete transparency.Legal Compliance. All items comply with current French and European legislation. Any archaeological items are offered in accordance with the Heritage Code (Articles L.542-1 et seq.). Items that may be subject to specific regulations (cultural artifacts, antiques, items made of specific materials) are sold strictly in accordance with the law.International Buyers. Buyers outside of France are advised to verify the regulations applicable in their country regarding the importation of cultural artifacts or antiques.Right of Withdrawal.In accordance with the law (Article L.221-18 of the Consumer Code), you have 14 days after receipt to return an item. Return shipping costs are the responsibility of the buyer. The item must be returned in its original condition.Quality Commitment. Buying from a professional ensures security, transparency, and reliability. I am available to answer any additional questions you may have before making a purchase.