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Russian Icon Covered With A Silver Oklad, Tempera On Wood, Mid-19th Century



650 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting on wood

Length : 17,8

Width : 1,5 cm

Height : 22,5 cm

Description

A tempera painting depicting the Virgin Hodigitria ("She Who Shows the Way"). The icon is protected by a finely chased silver oklad. The motifs depict the Virgin's garments, adorned with stars, and those of Christ, as well as their halos; Christ's halo features a cross and is marked with the letters "O" and "H" from the inscription "Ho On" ("He Who Is").Merchant's stamp on the reverse. Original velvet lining.Two sets of hallmarks:The silversmith's mark, the assayer's mark with the assay year, the silver fineness mark, and the city mark are located on the lower edge, along the rim.The silversmith's mark, a city mark, the year of assay, and the silver fineness are located in the lower left part of the Virgin's halo.Hallmarks:Silversmith's mark: K.?.Assayer's hallmark: A.G. / year of assay: 1866Silver

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content hallmark: 84 (zolotniks)City hallmark is difficult to read.Networks of age-related craquelure on the paint layer.Part of Christ's halo is missing.Slight tarnishing of the silver at the corners.Good overall condition.Dated to the mid-19th century.Dimensions:Height: 22.5 cmLength: 17.8 cmWidth: 1.5 cm