Antique Brass Secret Or Relic Ring, Set With An Amethyst



850 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Width : 2 cm

Height : 3,2 cm

Description

Brass secret or reliquary ring, set with an amethyst--20th centuryAn interesting and imposing secret ring, which may also have served as a reliquary ring, crafted from brass and set with a large, faceted, polygonal amethyst.The setting, which is particularly intricately crafted, features a rich decoration of granulation, twisted friezes, and floral motifs in relief, giving it an oriental character.The distinctive feature of this ring is its hinged bezel, equipped with a hinge and a locking mechanism, which lifts to reveal a relatively deep secret compartment designed to hold a small precious object, a memento, or possibly a relic.The stone, a beautiful shade of violet, is set within a geometric frame accented by fine granulation.A unique piece, serving as both an ornamental jewel and a personal

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keepsake, reflecting the tradition of secret-compartment rings.Condition: Beautiful patina. Functional opening mechanism.Please feel free to contact me for any additional information or to request more photos of the items offered for sale.