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## Tablet Case In Gold With Enamel, Mother-of-pearl And Ivory. 19th Century



10 400 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gold

### Description

Rectangular writing supplies case with a slightly tapered base and gold mounting. The gold panels of the case are decorated with mother-of-pearl. A button serves to open the hinged lid which bears the inscription, Souvenir d'Amitié (Souvenir of Friendship). The body of the case features two oval medallions. On one side is a young woman in 18th century dress and on the other side a young shepherdess in 18th century costume. The gold cage frame is finely worked and has a decor of zigzags and stylized flowers. A hidden system opens the medallions with a push button. This system probably allowed to hide the portraits of the loved one. The interior of the case contains writing supplies including an ivory tablet with a gold rivet, a crayon.

18th century style. Period mid 19th-century.

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L: 2.9 in. (7,5 cm) / H: 1.9 in. (5 cm).

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