

SA1009685

Antique Coopered Planter made from the Teak of HMS Iron Duke

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1009685****Date of manufacture: 1940**

Dimensions

Height = 32 cm (12.6")

Width = 25.5 cm (10.0")

Description

A lovely teak planter made from the teak of HMS Iron Duke, complete with commemorative copper plaque. The planter is excellent quality with brass banding and brass ring handles. It is in good condition and displays well. There are some signs of age and use, some wear and minor knocks and some tarnishing to the brass but no major damages or anything detrimental. Approximate Measurements: Height : 9" (32cm) Top Diameter : 10" (25.5cm) HMS Iron Duke was a dreadnought battleship of the Royal Navy, the lead ship of her class, named in honour of Arthur Wellesley, 1st Duke of Wellington. She was built by Portsmouth Dockyard, and her keel laid in January 1912. Launched ten months later, she was commissioned into the Home Fleet in March 1914 as the fleet flagship. Iron Duke served as the flagship of the Grand Fleet during the First World War, including at the Battle of Jutland. After the war, Iron Duke operated in the Mediterranean as the flagship of the Mediterranean Fleet. She participated in both the Allied intervention in the Russian Civil War in the Black Sea and the Greco-Turkish War. She also assisted in the evacuation of refugees from Smyrna. In 1926, she was assigned...

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