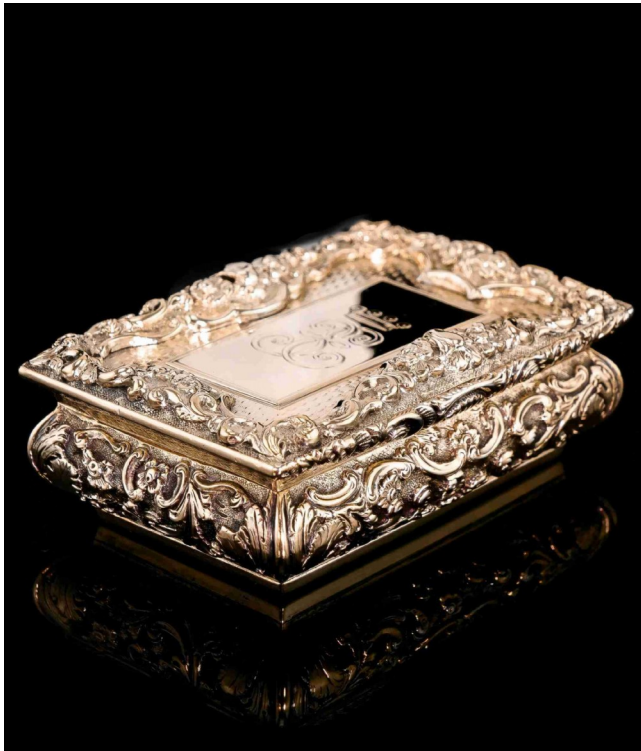


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Antique Silver Gilt Table Snuff Box - Yapp & Woodward 1847

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1011929****Date of manufacture: Victorian**

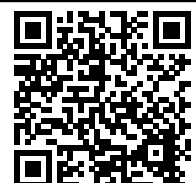
Description

We are delighted to offer this fabulous large and majestic Victorian solid silver gilt snuff box with the mark of Yapp & Woodward, Birmingham 1847. Even upon first glance, this box exuberates opulence and importance with its fully gilt exterior (layer of gold on top of solid silver) and profusely chased decorations ornamenting the entirety of the box. Each section and every surface has been carefully designed in one way or another leaving no area unembellished - a truly spectacular box with no cut corners nor costs in craftsmanship. The box is of substantial weight and quality with the top lid featuring a high-relief acanthus and floral border. Further, a section of fine engine-turned motifs surround the central rectangular cartouche with the coronet and monogram of a Baron. A very small detail that could easily be missed yet is particularly noteworthy is the thumbpiece that presents a wonderful Rococo shell surrounded by volute scrolls - an unusual combination and a rare design compared to most counterpart table snuff boxes. The generous proportions of this box allow for each wall to be equally ornate with further acanthus and floral motifs with a stippled...

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