

SA1017599

Antique Victorian Gonçalo Alves Vanity Box C1860

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1017599****Date of manufacture: 1860**

Dimensions

Height = 17 cm (6.7")

Width = 30 cm (11.8")

Depth = 23 cm (9.1")

Description

This is a magnificent antique Victorian Gonçalo Alves table top Vanity Box, circa 1860 in date. The fitted interior reveals a lift-out compartment tray, dressed with a green velvet centre and three scent bottles. The top features a green leather coloured leather folio sleeve with gilt edging that opens to reveal a mirrored back. A small push button within the rear edge activates the lower secret jewellery drawer to the right. Complete with working lock and key. This is a highly decorative piece which will make a statement anywhere it is placed. Condition: In excellent condition having been beautifully cleaned, polished and waxed in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 17 x Width 30 x Depth 23. Dimensions in inches: Height 7 inches x Width 1 foot x Depth 9 inches. Gonçalo Alves is a hardwood (from the Portuguese name, Gonçalo Alves). It is sometimes referred to as tigerwood — a name that underscore the wood's often dramatic, contrasting color scheme. While the sapwood is very light in color, the heartwood is a sombre brown, with dark streaks that give it a unique look. The wood's color deepens with exposure and age and even...

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