

SA1028474

Antique silver heart shaped
vesta case 1902 by William
Aitken

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA1028474

Date of manufacture: 1910

Description

An unusual Edwardian antique silver heart shaped vesta case. Formed in a heart shape and in a smooth polished design which sits nicely in the hand, the top of the heart hinges upwards providing a receptacle for matches. There is a ridged match strike to one side and a chain loop from which to hang the vesta. It is a nice tactile piece of silver which sits nicely in the hand. The hinge closes with a good firm snap. A lovely and unusual collectors item. Hallmarked as sterling silver by the Birmingham Assay Office with the makers mark for William Aitken and date code for 1902. Measurements: Height 4.3 cm Width: 3.6 m Depth 1.2 cm Weight 21 grams Condition: There are surface scratches and some deeper marks towards the point of the heart, and some very tiny dints, all commensurate with age but mentioned for accuracy.

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