

SA1047477

George III Mahogany Timepiece by George Lupton – Altrincham c1780

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1047477****Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 195 cm (76.8")

Width = 37 cm (14.6")

Depth = 22 cm (8.7")

Description

George III mahogany timepiece by George Lupton – Altrincham c1780 A very rare small grandfather clock by George Lupton – Altrincham c1800. The 9" dial enclosed in a sleek mahogany case with ebony string inlay and splayed bracket feet. The hood flanked by ebony reeded Corinthian columns capped with gilt bronze acanthus leaves, the swan neck pediment also have gilt bronze floral rosettes decorating them. The dial has etched numerals and foliate decorations with a painted moon phase dial the brass plate has gilt bronze foliate applications. The whole is 76" high by 16" wide by 8" deep. Maker Details : Lupton Family George Lupton I (1772 - 1828) - The earliest record was when he advertised for a journeyman clockmaker in 1772 and was still recorded as having been working in 1828. By 1793 he was a freeholder and bought clock parts and tools from Peter Stubbs of Warrington from 1799 -1814. He was also an engraver. He was the forbearer of the Lupton family of clockmakers as detailed below: George Lupton II, Altrincham (1811 - 1829) Watch & clockmaker & corn dealer, Market Place. John Lupton I, Altrincham (born 1698 - died 1759) Married Martha Fletcher at M...

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