

SA1061220

Enamel Portrait of HRH Prince Charlotte by Henry Pierce Bone

Price

GBP 1,850

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Item Reference: SA1061220

Date of manufacture: Regency

Dimensions

Height = 10 cm (3.9")

Width = 9 cm (3.5")

Description

* Shown amongst darkening clouds, this is a poignant memorial portrait of Princess Charlotte of Wales. * Princess Charlotte Augusta of Wales (1796-1817) was the only child of George IV and Caroline of Brunswick. Her parents separated very soon after her birth and, as a result, Charlotte was brought up by governesses and saw little of her parents especially her mother. She married Prince Léopold of Saxe-Coburg and tragically died in childbirth at the age of 21 leading to a period of unprecedented public mourning. Had she outlived her grandfather and father, Princess Charlotte would have become Queen of England. * Enamel on copper, the portrait is unsigned but is attributed to the hand of Henry Pierce Bone. In fine condition, it is set in a gilt metal frame with canted corners. * Born in 1779, Henry Pierce helped out in his father's enamelling studio from an early age. Having trained at the RA Schools, he forged a successful career copying portraits in enamel and was appointed enamel painter to the Queen, Princess Victoria and Prince Albert. * Framed Size: 102 x 91mm max. *

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