

SA1078409

Antique Chinese Export Silver Bowl on Stand Circa 1890

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1078409****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 13.4 cm (5.3")

Description

An exceptional, fine and impressive antique Chinese Export Silver bowl on stand featuring dragons; an addition to our Asian/Chinese silverware collection. This impressive Chinese Export Silver (CES) bowl has a circular rounded form. The body of this antique silver bowl is embellished with impressive six chased decorated panels, all with matte backgrounds. The decoration to the body incorporates illustrations of three of the four noble plants: bamboo stalks, prunus branches and chrysanthemum. The body is further embellished with a panel depicting three figures (wenren) by scholar's rocks (gong shi) and another bearing Sanxing, the gods of the celestial bodies known as FU (?), SHOU (?) and LU (?)*. The final panel depicts a traditional oriental undulating dragon amidst cloud designs. Each panel is segmented with a plain rounded border, conjoining at the rim to make an incurved design. This exceptional Chinese silver bowl is fitted with three exceptional embossed scrolling dragon decorated feet; these three-dimensional figures conjoin the bowl at the rim in addition to suspending the body from the lower portion. The bowl is fitted to the original carved cherry wood s...

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