

SA1095364

Magnificent Antique Georgian Solid Silver Gilt Dish/Salt Pair - Barnard 1814

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1095364****Date of manufacture: Georgian**

Description

We are delighted to offer this spectacular and unusual pair of Georgian solid silver dishes made in London by Rebecca Emes & Edward Barnard I 1814. In spite of their compact and modest size, that is where their simplicity ends for nothing else about this pair is ordinary. The dishes have a silver gilt surface (gold on top of solid silver) which has a most ornate lemon gilded lustre which highlights any interior setting or display immediately. What cannot be conveyed through photos is the gauge and quality of the pair. The craftsmanship and quality are on par with some of the finest silver dinner plates and have an incredibly reassuring and satisfying feel in hand. Additionally, the border is embellished with shell and gadroon decoration with anthemion accenting. The design and quality are very much like those of Paul Storr's dishes/wares and are ability delightful, particularly to have in such a small form factor - a true testament to a 'no cost cut' craftsmanship and exemplary of how intricate Georgian silverware can be despite what could have otherwise been a plain and utilitarian object. The dishes are raised and have a stepped design and border making it ideal...

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