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Antique Jewellery Box, English, Coromandel, Aesthetic Period, Victorian, C.1900

Price

GBP 845

| USD \$1,143 | EUR 989

Item Reference: SA1150745

Date of manufacture: Victorian

Dimensions

Height = 11 cm (4.3")

Width = 29 cm (11.4")

Depth = 15 cm (5.9")

Description

This is an antique gentleman's jewellery box. An English, coromandel keepsake casket in Aesthetic movement taste, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1900. Distinguished by its unusual pyramid lid detail, this exquisite piece offers a rare blend of refinement, craftsmanship and exotic materials. Handsome late Victorian jewellery casket, ideal for the refined dresser or collector. Crafted from exotic coromandel wood, displaying deep tonality and light patina. Distinctive pyramid form to the lid, a rare and characterful architectural flourish. Each pyramid adorned with small metal in work, a handful absent from careful use. Lid lifts to reveal a striking interior, finished in vibrant scarlet and plum hues. Velvet lining to the lid reverse, resplendent in bold scarlet with a tactile finish. Five-division tray to the interior base, including two lidded compartments. Fascia adorned with an ornate monogrammed brass escutcheon — key absent. A fine example of Aesthetic movement design, combining function with high visual appeal. This rare and unusual antique gentleman's box would grace any dressing table, study, or showcase. A truly collectible and decorative item for those with...

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