

SA1151918

Meissen Covered Chocolate Cup, Harbour Views & Puce Chinoiserie, c. 1780–1820

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1151918****Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Description

An authentic Meissen covered chocolate cup, Germany, circa 1780–1820. Hand-painted with full-color harbor views and rare puce chinoiserie figures, including Chinese scenes executed exclusively in this distinctive color palette. The lid is embellished with a sculpted flower finial flanked by two applied gilt leaves – an elegant hallmark of skilled Meissen craftsmanship. The cup and lid are framed by intricate gilt scrollwork, floral sprigs, and mesh-pattern borders, showcasing the factory's excellence in decorative porcelain at the end of the 18th century. Underglaze blue crossed swords mark to the base. This is a highly collectible piece, combining refined technical execution with exotic thematic decoration – prized by serious porcelain collectors. Dimensions: Height with lid: 11 cm Width: 10.5 cm Depth: 9 cm Condition: excellent antique condition. Minimal wear to the gilding. No chips, cracks, or restoration. Please study the accompanying photographs carefully as they form an integral part of this description. If you have any questions, we will be happy to answer them. The ite...

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