

SA1186958

Victorian Large Enamelled Silver AEI Eternal Love Locket

Price

GBP 325

| USD \$443 | EUR 379

Item Reference: SA1186958

Date of manufacture: Victorian

Dimensions

Height = 5.3 cm (2.1")

Width = 3 cm (1.2")

Description

A beautiful large Victorian locket in silver and black enamel studded with twinkling cut-steel marcasites. The front bears the monogram AEI standing for Amity, Eternity and Infinity - though some believe AEI may be the Greek word aei which means always and forever, conveying the same typically morbid/romantic Victorian sentiment of eternal love conquering death. The inside is gilded and contains a reproduction Pre-Raphaelite portrait in one side but you could easily insert your own pictures. The chain in the photos is not included but is available for sale separately at the time of listing:

<https://www.etsy.com/uk/listing/4421452263/chunky-antique-victorian-silver-book> SIZE: 5.3 x 3cm. WEIGHT: 23.4g. MATERIALS: Silver, enamel, marcasite. HALLMARKS/STAMPS: There's a non-UK mark, possibly an Austro-Hungarian silver stamp, on the bail. CONDITION: Very good antique condition with fully working hinges and a nice snappy clasp. The locket has been cleaned but not overpolished. The enamel is in great condition, there is light overall surface wear and a few very tiny nibbles on the bail when seen under magnification. A couple of the marcasites are vacant but they're very har...

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