

SA1204306

Yew-wood Lovespoon with Carved Vine Leaf, Swiss, circa 1840

Price

GBP 480

| USD \$650 | EUR 562

Item Reference: SA1204306

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 28 cm (11.0")

Width = 4.2 cm (1.7")

Depth = 2 cm (0.8")

Description

A rare lovespoon, with a long bowl and narrow handle which is finely carved with a vine scroll. In desirable yew-wood, this love token is a wonderful lustrous colour and has a beautiful surface patination. This distinctive style became, by the later nineteenth century, a craft object that was distributed throughout Europe, including the British Isles - but this example is truly exceptional and a clear forerunner of the later types. Switzerland, circa 1840
Length: 11 ins; 28 cms. width: 1.75 ins; 4.25 cms Depth: 0.75 ins; 2 cms

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