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Rare Sunflower Pottery Studio
Art Pottery Jug by Sir Edmund
Elton – Clevedon Court,
Somerset c.1890

Price

GBP 165

| USD \$223 | EUR 193

Item Reference: SA1210953

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 15 cm (5.9")

Width = 11 cm (4.3")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

Rare Sunflower Pottery Studio Art Pottery Jug by Sir Edmund Elton – Clevedon Court, Somerset c.1890. A rare and highly desirable late Victorian art pottery jug, produced at the celebrated Sunflower Pottery Studio, Clevedon Court, Somerset, circa 1890, and fully signed by the renowned aristocratic potter Sir Edmund Elton. Elton's distinctive studio pottery is highly regarded for its artistic innovation, unusual forms, and richly experimental glazes. Produced in very limited numbers as individual works of art, these exceptional pieces were retailed through high-end shops and prestigious stores in England and America, where they commanded premium prices even in their day. Today, authentic signed examples are increasingly scarce and sought after by collectors of British studio pottery and Victorian art ceramics. This particularly attractive example is a stylised art pottery jug, beautifully designed with an elegant, tapering, bulbous body that rises to a narrow neck that flares into a shaped, open top, accompanied by a separate short spout and a graceful handle, giving the piece a wonderfully sculptural and organic quality. The jug is finished in Elton's characteristic thi...

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