

SA1223291

Four-Masted Sailing Ship Diorama with Steam Barge - Turneresque Seascape

Price

GBP 875

| USD \$1,182 | EUR 1,023

Item Reference: SA1223291**Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 44.5 cm (17.5")

Width = 69 cm (27.2")

Depth = 28 cm (11.0")

Description

Four-masted sailing ship diorama with steam barge in a Turneresque seascape enclosed in a glazed case, fine rigging detail, coastal charm, and very good condition. Why We Love This... There is something irresistibly nostalgic about this maritime diorama - the soft, atmospheric backdrop, the careful rigging, the sense of movement across textured waters. It captures the romance of seafaring in a way that feels both decorative and deeply evocative. The dealer described it as "Turneresque," and the mood certainly leans that way: colour, light and drama working together to create a coastal scene full of presence. A small aside: some dealers use the word "schooner" decoratively rather than taxonomically - it's a familiar term that signals "classic tall ship" to a whole generation raised on nautical storytelling, from The Onedin Line to the sweeping orchestral swell of Khachaturian's Adagio. This piece taps into exactly that emotional register. At a Glance - Appeal, Desirability & Collectibility • Date: Mid-20th century • Origin: England • Style: Maritime folk art; Turneresque decorative seascape • Materials: Painted wood, mixed media, glazed wooden case with gilt slip • Dimensi...

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