

SA586760

Superb London Dial Clock by Smith & Sons, Clerkenwell

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA586760****Date of manufacture: 1860**

Dimensions

Height = 58.5 cm (23.0")

Width = 58.5 cm (23.0")

Depth = 16.5 cm (6.5")

Description

A superb over sized 19th century Mahogany Dial Clock by J Smith & Sons of Clerkenwell, London. Having a 16 inch dial and signed by J Smith & Sons, housed behind a fine quality cast and lacquered bezel and retaining the original bevelled glass. The finely hand carved surround made from solid dense mahogany with super colour and lustre, no repairs or replacements. With a 8 day single fusee movement of which retains the original pendulum, chain and key. Wonderful condition and quality throughout. English, London, Circa 1860. Diameter: 58.5 cm - 23 Inches, Depth: 16.5 cm - 6 1/2 Inches J.Smith & Sons of St. John's Square, Clerkenwell were one of the leading Clerkenwell clockmakers, making all varieties of clocks from the smallest timepieces to the largest turret clocks. They were particularly well known for their turret clocks, which were sent all over the world, and for their skeleton clocks, many of which were supplied partly finished for completion by other 'makers'. It is easy to confuse this company with S. Smith & Sons (Smiths Industries) and J. Smith & Sons of Derby, also famous makers of turret clocks. The company started in 1780 and by 1830 they were in St Jo...

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