

SA701633**GEORGIAN SILVER
MOUNTED TORTOISESHELL
SCENT BOTTLE ETUI, CIRCA
1780**

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA701633****Date of manufacture: Georgian**

Dimensions

Height = 5.5 cm (2.2")

Width = 3 cm (1.2")

Depth = 2 cm (0.8")

Description

This delightful 18th Century silver banded tortoiseshell etui* is of tapering form and is charmingly inlaid with a bright-cut silver border and an initialled silver cartouche to the lid. The hinged lid opening to reveal a fitted interior complete with the original and undamaged scent bottle, a rather rare occurrence, making it very desirable. Push button mechanism at the front. stud decorations at the back. In Georgian times, etuis* - word of French origin - were very popular, they were small, usually ornamental cases for holding articles such as needles, scent bottles, vanity items. Dimensions: Height: 5.5cm / 2.2 inches. Width at base: 3.5cm / 1.3 inches. Condition: Very good for the age. Tortoiseshell in very good condition. Glass scent bottle in perfect condition. Tortoiseshell panel on the lid with minor lift. Postage UK: £7 Special delivery next day. Postage overseas: £10 International Signed For. You can pay by PayPal, bank transfer, cheque, debit or credit card. To pay by PAYPAL please add P&P and click on button below. To pay by credit or debit card over the phone or by cheque, please contact me on 01449 760 585.

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