

SA749417

Antique Period Oak 17thc Joyned Mural Spice Cupboard. English C1670-90

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA749417

Date of manufacture: 17th Century

Dimensions

Height = 54.6 cm (21.5")

Width = 44.5 cm (17.5")

Depth = 21.6 cm (8.5")

Description

Now and again something comes along which takes you back....as this wonderful example of an early oak joyned mural cupboard from the 17thc did....it is so complete in every aspect...it has the original hand made hinges, handles and the lock... which still works...! The colour is a natural patination that aged oak goes after many years of domestic use....These useful cupboards were a very important part of the 17thc way of life as they were used to keep the highly prized spices and herbs in.... a well stocked spice cupboard was a valuable asset to the manor house cook....Spice cupboards like this one always had doors to keep the spices and herbs dry and free from mildewusually hung on walls simply by nailing them or with later iron brackets..... English. C1670-90.

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