

SA854693

Antique English 18th Century Engraved Export Wine Glass c1750

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA854693****Date of manufacture: 1750**

Dimensions

Height = 15.7 cm (6.2")

Width = 5.7 cm (2.2")

Depth = 6.8 cm (2.7")

Description

Technical Description A superb English lead mid 18th-century Export wine glass in pale green. It has a large Ogee bowl engraved with a continuous fruiting vine. A solid section at the base of the bowl contains an air tear above a large hollow angular knop and hollow stem. Conical foot with a snapped pontil. These glasses were made in England for export into the European market. You can see an almost identical unengraved example in 'Coloured Glass by Derek C David and Keith Middlemas' where they show a selection of Export glasses from the mid 18th century on pages 22 and 23. A wonderful example which we have never had in the last 20 years. **Date & Origin** England, c1750. George II **Condition** Excellent, age-related wear as shown. **Dimensions** Height: 15.7cm Bowl Diameter: 5.7cm Foot diameter: 6.8cm. **Historical Relevance** Hand-blown around the time of The French and Indian War from 1754 to 1763. Fought between the colonies of British America and those of New France.

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