

SA864663

Empire Ormolu and Green Marble Four Glass Antique French Clock ~ Eagle

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA864663****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 50.5 cm (19.9")

Width = 21 cm (8.3")

Depth = 16.5 cm (6.5")

Description

~ French - Circa 1890 ~ ~~ Excellent condition, fully overhauled ~~ A stunning original antique French clock by the illustrious maker Charles Hour. It is of the beautifully restrained Empire design in a sumptuous green variegated specimen marble and ormolu (finely gilded bronze). To the top is a beautifully modelled spread eagle. The case is glazed with beveled glass to four sides to allow the mercury compensated pendulum to be seen gently swinging. The dial is porcelain enamel with it's original blued steel Breguet hands. The French movement is of high quality and is by Charles Hour. It is in excellent clean and running condition having been fully overhauled by our clockmaker. Pendulum is original, we have replaced the mercury with silver steel for safety. It runs for 8 days and strikes the hours and halves on a sonorous gong. We have a video of the clock running, please ask and we will send you a link. Condition of the case is excellent, the original gilding is beautifully clean and bright with hardly any wear or discolouration. The dial is also in excellent condition with no damage. The marble is also excellent with just some slight nibbles to the edges. There are...

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