

**SA873830**

## STAFFORDSHIRE BACCHUS / SATYR WINE CUPS Circa 1870

Price

**GBP 220**

| USD \$300 | EUR 257

**Item Reference: SA873830**

**Date of manufacture: Victorian**

Dimensions

Height = 10 cm (3.9")

Width = 7 cm (2.8")

Depth = 11 cm (4.3")

## Description

These four characters are a striking set of mid Victorian Staffordshire Bacchus cups which really evoke the spirit of entertaining and perhaps enjoying the finer things in life - just like the Roman god of wine and pleasure himself - and, as there are four cups in this group it means they can be enjoyed in company! Each cup stands just over 10cm high, and has a wine coloured rim and base, with gilding to both and the handles - each Satyr's hair is tangled with vine leaves and fruits wound behind his pointed ears. The face is compelling to look at, with piercing eyes and a maniacal grin - certainly an unusual and magical piece from another era. All four are in a super 'used' condition commensurate with their age, but with no chips or cracks, and bright and fresh paintwork and gilding - only one cup has a tiny area of paint loss on one of the satyr's red wattles under his chin - please see the photographs to examine the condition of all four. Please don't hesitate to get in touch if I can provide any further information.

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