

SA895931

17th Century Facon De Venise Wine Glass c1670

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA895931****Date of manufacture: 17th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 14.3 cm (5.6")

Width = 7.3 cm (2.9")

Depth = 7.1 cm (2.8")

Description

Technical Description A wonderful 17th Century Facon De Venise wine glass dating to c1670. It has flared bell bowl above twin merese and a spirally moulded baluster knob with further smaller knobs below. Conical thin folded foot. **Date & Origin** Venise, c1670 **Condition** Excellent, no chips cracks, or restoration. **Dimensions** Height: 14.3cm Rim diameter: 7.3cm Foot diameter: 7.1cm **Historical Context** On June 1st, 1670, at Dover, Charles II of England and Louis XIV of France sign the Secret Treaty of Dover, ending hostilities between their kingdoms on the agreement that Louis will give Charles 200,000 pounds annually...an astronomical sum of money at that time.

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