

SA931145

Art Deco Gents 10K GF Watch By Bulova, USA, c1938

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA931145****Date of manufacture: 1930**

Dimensions

Height = 4.5 cm (1.8")

Width = 2 cm (0.8")

Depth = 0.5 cm (0.2")

Description

For your consideration is this fully serviced Art Deco gentleman's manual wrist watch dating to 1938. This watch is powered by a good-quality American-made BULOVA 21-jewel 7AP hand-wound mechanical movement. Online records show the 7AP was manufactured from 1936 to 1944 and features a Breguet hairspring, as used on other high-end watches such as Rolex and noted for aiding more consistent timekeeping throughout the duration of the wind. This particular 21-jewel movement would have been one of Bulova's top-of-the-range power plants of the era and is stamped with the moon date-code symbol for 1938. This also matches the date of the watch case itself. The long, curved two-piece 10k yellow gold-filled case includes Art Deco filigree on either sides of the dial, extending to the tips of the lugs. It presents very nicely for its 84 years, showing the usual light surface use, but no obvious wear to the plating. The back is very clean, and it snaps on securely to the top. The outside is signed B-10K GOLD FILLED, plus its serial number starting with '8'. This indicates, on a Bulova of this era and with this particular movement, a manufacture date of 1938. The inside is signed BULO...

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