

SA937211

FINE MARQUETRY LONGCASE CLOCK – PETER WISE – LONDON

Price

GBP 18,950

| USD \$25,594 | EUR 22,164

Item Reference: SA937211

Date of manufacture: 1700

Dimensions

Height = 230 cm (90.6")

Description

A beautiful 8-day marquetry longcase clock of slim proportions, made by a master of English clockmaking during the golden age of clockmaking period. This is a very attractive clock of great quality. Dial: 11" square brass dial with finely cast cherub head spandrels, finely matted dial centre having ringings to winding holes and to the seconds subsidiary dial centre. Decorative engraving to date aperture. Silvered, engraved chapter ring with five minute markers, Roman and Arabic numerals, signed "Peter Wise London". Finished with some beautifully sculpted finely blued steel hands. Case: Handsomely slender, exquisitely proportioned. A Walnut, Bird & Flower marquetry case with side windows and blind fret frieze to flat topped hood, Doric hood columns, convex throat moulding, long trunk door having round brass lenticle, with the base set on plain strip plinth. Movement: The 8-day, brass bound weighted driven clock movement, held together by five knopped and finned pillars with anchor escapement and seconds pendulum. The strike train uses an internal count wheel system to know which hour to strike the bell on the hour. Peter Wise: Peter was the son of John Wise. An excellen...

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