

SA995975

Rare Georgian Engraved Air Twist Wine Glass c1750

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA995975****Date of manufacture: 1750**

Dimensions

Height = 13.7 cm (5.4")

Width = 5.1 cm (2.0")

Description

Technical Description A rare 18th century wine glass dating to c1750. It has a cup bowl engraved with fruiting vine above a double knopped multi spiral air twist stem with a conical foot. There are a few factors which make this glass rare. The first is the bowl shape itself. A cup bowl on any 18th century form is not something you'll find very often. Secondly, a cup bowl on an air twist wine is almost unheard off with very few examples in existence.

Date & Origin England, c1750. Period of George II. **Condition** Excellent, no chips cracks or restoration

Dimensions Height: 13.7cm Rim diameter: 5.1cm Foot diameter: 6.8cm **Historical Context** Hand-blown around the time the first patent for a one-piece pencil with eraser was issued to American inventor J. Rechendorf of New York City.

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