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Antique & Contemporary Silver

## Canister-shaped George III silver teapot

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REF: 7543

Height: 135 mm (5.31")

Width: 225 mm (8.86")

Diameter: 102 mm (4.02")

Weight: 409 g

## Description

An 18th century drum-shaped silver teapot with a discrete flush hinged cover surmounted by a detachable finial and fitted with a fruit wood handle. The elegant straight tapering spout pours beautifully and proves this is a wonderful example of the drum style of teapot, in superb condition and with excellent clear hallmarks. The handle is a replacement, reproduced with one in the style of the original.

A silver teapot pours like no other and sterling silver is the perfect material for fashioning teapots:

- No other material can be fashioned into such elegant and detailed forms, reflect light as beautifully, and a perfectly formed silver teapot spout will never drip.
- Second only to diamonds, silver has the highest thermal conductivity of any material, meaning that tea leaves can be brewed at a higher temperature than in any other teapot, allowing the tea leaves to fully release their flavours.
- That same high thermal conductivity means a silver teapot will retain heat and keep tea hot for much longer.
- Unlike porcelain and ceramic teapots, silver is sturdy and long-lasting, does not shatter and the occasional dent can be debruised.