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Antique & Contemporary Silver

Large Victorian can-shaped silver teapot

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Sold



REF: 8714

Height: 142 mm (5.59")

Width: 250 mm (9.84")

Depth: 117 mm (4.61")

Weight: 609 kg

Description

Late Victorian silver teapot of panelled, can-shaped form and decorated with fine hand engraving around the entire body and cover. The cover is fitted with a flush-mounted jeweller's hinge - a sign of quality - and is surmounted by a detachable finial. Both finial and handle are ebonised fruitwood, probably apple or pear.

The teapot pot has bead pattern borders and is engraved on one side within a circular shield with entwined initials. The other side features a vacant shield without engraving.

Weight: 609g (19.58 troy ozs)

With a capacity of more than nine teacups, which is more than a litre, this teapot is robust and big enough to be used daily at breakfast or tea time. Most importantly, it pours beautifully without dripping.