



Medieval Silver Signet Ring Engraved With An Eagle. Italian, 14th Century.

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Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Sterling silver

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Description

A Medieval silver signet ring engraved with an eagle.

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Ring size U UK / 10 US / 62 EU.

Weighs 7.3 grams.

The bezel is engraved with an eagle and a palm frond to the centre, representing Saint John the evangelist. Around the central image are the letters 'S V S V S V C V', which could either be an abbreviation of a motto, magic protective symbols or nonsensical.

A comparable example is in the collection of the

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