



Ambrotype Photograph Of A Confederate Cavalry Soldier From The Civil War

295 EUR



Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Length : 8

Width : 8

Diameter : 12,5

Height : 9,5

Depth : 1,5

Description

Ambrotype photograph of a Confederate cavalry soldier from the Civil War
Period 1860-1865
Very good condition with lock to close case

Ambrotype: The ambrotype, also called a collodion positive in the UK, is a positive photograph on glass made using a variation of the wet collodion process. Like a paper print, it is viewed by reflecting light. Like the daguerreotype, which it replaced, and the prints produced by a Polaroid camera, each print is a unique original that can only be reproduced with a camera. The ambrotype was introduced in the 1850s. In the 1860s, it was replaced by the tintype, a similar photograph on a thin, black-lacquered iron plate, difficult to distinguish from an ambrotype under glass.

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