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19th-Century Turned Wooden Salting Bowl

£95

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Height: 10 cm (3.9")

Diameter: 42 cm (16.5")

Description

A beautifully timeworn 19th-century turned wooden salting bowl, with a simple, generous form shaped by both the lathe and many years of practical use. Its softly rounded profile, gently raised foot, and mellow surface make it a particularly appealing example of vernacular domestic treen.

Originally used for holding salt in the kitchen or pantry, the bowl has acquired a rich patina that cannot be replicated. The wood displays warm, varied tones, softened edges, and the small marks and irregularities of an object that has been handled and used over generations. Rather than detracting from the piece, this honest wear gives it its quiet character and tactile charm.

Hand-turned wooden bowls of this kind were essential household objects throughout the 19th century. Functional, durable, and unpretentious, they now carry a sculptural quality that suits both traditional and contemporary interiors. Its modest scale and beautifully aged finish make it ideal for a kitchen dresser, open shelf, coffee table, or collection of antique treen.

A wonderfully authentic piece of country-house and farmhouse decoration, offering warmth, texture, and a tangible connection to everyday domestic life in the 19th century. Please refer to photographs for condition, dimensions, and the individual character of the timber.

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