

Georgian natural seed pearl double strand rope

£495



Description

A fine 18th century Georgian natural saltwater seed pearl double strand rope of pearls with a yellow gold seed pearl and rock crystal plaited hair clasp, circa 1770.

Natural saltwater seed pearls are tiny, lustrous gems formed in wild oysters in saline waters. These pearls are typically less than 2 millimetres in size, cherished for their delicate beauty and rarity. Unlike cultivated pearls, they form without human intervention, making each one unique. Valued in antique and vintage jewellery, seed pearls often embellish intricate designs or serve as subtle accents. Their soft shimmer and organic origin make them timeless symbols of elegance and natural artistry.