



Fine Japanese Art (JAP0621)

Fri, 4th Jun 2021

Viewing:

You may view objects in this auction in our gallery from 25 May to 4 June, 2021. We are open Monday to Friday from 10 AM to 6 PM CET, as well as by appointment. On the day of the sale, the preview will be open from 10 AM to 1 PM. FFP2 masks are required.

Lot 86

Starting price: €750

Estimate: €1500

KOZAN: A FINE SATSUMA EARTHENWARE BOWL WITH SAMURAI SCENE

By Kozan, signed Kozan

Japan, late 19th century, Meiji period (1868-1912)

The rounded sides rising from a short foot ring to a straight gilt rim, finely decorated in bright enamels and gilt, to the interior with a scene of many samurai in a court setting as well as a broad and varied floral band framed by two dense geometric bands, and to the exterior with a band of longevity peaches and peonies above various scholar's objects divided by geometric bands, the recessed base with the gilt signature KOZAN within a gilt double square.

DIAMETER 15.4 cm

Condition: Excellent condition with minor wear and firing irregularities.

Provenance: French private collection.

Auction comparison:

Compare a similar bowl by the same maker, of slightly smaller size, at Bonhams, Fine Japanese Works of Art, 20 March 2012, New York, lot 2228 (**sold for 4,000 USD**).