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Victorian En Tremblant Paste and Pearl Spray Brooch

£495

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Description

A graceful and finely worked mid-19th-century silver spray brooch, dating to circa 1860. Designed in the form of a delicate flowering branch, it is set with old-cut paste stones and pearls, creating a luminous and romantic jewel typical of the Victorian period.

The spray is enriched with en tremblant elements-individually sprung sections designed to move softly with the wearer. As the brooch catches the light, these mobile flowers and leaves create a subtle sparkle and sense of animation, heightening the brilliance of the paste stones and the gentle lustre of the pearls. This technique was prized for its technical sophistication and for the lively effect it brought to floral jewellery.

Its naturalistic form reflects the Victorian fascination with flowers, foliage, and sentimental symbolism. The combination of silver, shimmering paste, and pearls gives the piece a refined yet wearable presence, making it suitable for both formal display and special occasions.

A beautiful example of Victorian jewellery craftsmanship, this brooch would be a distinguished addition to a collection of antique paste jewellery, en tremblant pieces, or 19th-century floral jewels.

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