

# LANGFORDS

Antique & Contemporary Silver

Large George III silver teapot  
Alexander Field

Sold



REF: 8397

Height: 195 mm (7.68")

Width: 290 mm (11.42")

Depth: 130 mm (5.12")

Weight: 591 g

## Description

Fine George III silver teapot, oblong in form and mounted on four ball feet. The body of the teapot is nicely engraved with scrolling foliage and birds, while the lid, spout and foot are all engraved with leaf designs. The hallmarked silver handle has an acanthus leaf cap and the lid has a flush hinge hidden in the engraving - a sign of superior quality.

Serving approximately ten cups of tea, this is a perfect breakfast teapot.

A silver teapot pours like no other and sterling silver is the perfect material for making teapots:

- No other material can be fashioned into such elegant and detailed forms, reflect light as beautifully, and a perfectly formed silver teapot spout will never drip.
- Second only to diamonds, silver has the highest thermal conductivity of any material, meaning that tea leaves can be brewed at a higher temperature than in any other teapot, allowing the tea leaves to fully release their flavours.
- That same high thermal conductivity means a silver teapot will retain heat and keep tea hot for much longer.
- Unlike porcelain and ceramic teapots, silver is sturdy and long-lasting, does not shatter and the occasional dent can be debruised.