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Antique & Contemporary Silver

Commemorative silver model of Spirit of St Louis

Unknown Maker

Sold



REF: 6080

Height: 144 mm (5.67")

Width: 295 mm (11.61")

Depth: 180 mm (7.09")

Weight: 560 g

Description

A cast silver model of the famous Spirit of St Louis, mounted on a removable wood and silver base bearing a commemorative inscription denoting the 50th anniversary of the first solo transatlantic flight.

The Spirit of St Louis was the custom-built, single engine, single-seat, high wing monoplane that was flown by Charles Lindbergh on May 20/21, 1927, on the first solo non-stop transatlantic flight from Long Island, New York, to Paris, France, for which Lindbergh won the \$25,000 Orteig Prize.