Basic Detail Report



The American Independence Sword

Date

ca. 1976

Primary Maker

Wilkinson Sword

Medium

leather, brass, foam, satin, unknown, velvet, fabric, steel,

enamel

Description

(a,b) A narrow silver sword displays gold floral scrollwork against a black background. The pommel features an image of an eagle with outstretched wings encircled by diamond-studded stars against a blue background. The hilt is wrapped in blue leather accented with silver cord, and it has silver eagles with outstretched wings enclosed in silver circles below it. (c) A rectangular blue leather presentation box is lined with white fabric on the interior of the lid and is padded with red fabric on the bottom portion.

Dimensions

Overall (b) (presentation box) H 4 in x W 39 1/2 in x D 6 1/2 in (10.2 cm x 100.3 cm x 16.5 cm)