

William IV Mahogany Side Table, Circa 1830

£275



REF: 7632

Height: 73 cm (28.7")

Width: 46 cm (18.1")

Depth: 34 cm (13.4")

Description

A handsome and versatile William IV mahogany side table, dating from circa 1830. Elegant in proportion and wonderfully practical, it features a hinged top that opens to reveal a discreet fitted compartment, positioned above a single frieze drawer. The table is raised on confidently turned, ringed legs, a pleasing and characteristic detail of the period.

The warm, richly figured mahogany gives the piece considerable visual depth, while its restrained ornament reflects the refined transition between late Regency design and the fuller, more expressive furniture of the early Victorian era. The concealed compartment would originally have been ideal for correspondence, writing implements, and other small personal possessions; the drawer below provides further useful storage.

Its compact scale and clean lines make this an exceptionally adaptable piece. It would work beautifully beside a sofa or armchair, beneath a hallway mirror, or as an occasional table in a bedroom, library, or study. The mellow mahogany surface pairs naturally with antique furniture, brass, and leather, but will also bring warmth, texture, and a sense of history to a more contemporary interior.

A charming and useful example of William IV furniture-equally appealing for its quality of design, rich colour, and everyday practicality.