

Circa 1900 Bamboo and Mahogany Table Lamp

£195



REF: 6723

Height: 59 cm (23.2")

Diameter: 23 cm (9.1")

Description

A very stylish bamboo table lamp, dating from circa 1900, combining the warmth and texture of natural bamboo with a refined mahogany plinth. Its beautifully simple form reflects the late Victorian and Edwardian taste for natural materials, artisanal craftsmanship, and furnishings with an exotic yet understated character.

The bamboo stem has a pleasing organic quality, its segmented surface providing both visual interest and a gentle contrast to the rich, polished tone of the mahogany base. The plinth gives the lamp a sense of permanence and proportion, elevating an otherwise humble material into an elegant decorative object. Together, the materials create a design that feels both practical and sculptural.

Originally made as an atmospheric source of light, this piece now lends warmth and individuality to an interior. It would sit particularly well on a desk, side table, bedside table, or library table, bringing texture and period charm to both traditional and eclectic settings. Its restrained design also allows it to complement Arts and Crafts, Aesthetic Movement, colonial-inspired, and contemporary interiors.

A handsome and versatile antique lighting piece, valued for its natural materials, rich colour, and enduringly appealing form.