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Edwardian Sterling Silver Sugar Shovel

£25

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Description

A charming Edwardian sterling silver sugar shovel, an elegant and practical accessory for the tea table. With its beautifully proportioned bowl and slender handle, this refined piece reflects the care and ceremony associated with afternoon tea and formal entertaining in the early 20th century.

Sugar shovels were made for serving loose sugar from a bowl or caddy, allowing the host to add a measured spoonful to a cup without handling the sugar directly. Their compact scale and specialised purpose make them wonderfully evocative of a period when even the smallest table accessory was designed with both usefulness and visual appeal in mind.

The bright silver surface brings a gentle sparkle to any tea service, while the shaped scoop gives the piece a distinctive presence among more conventional spoons. Whether paired with antique silver, displayed in a collection of tea wares, or used as intended, it offers an appealing combination of function, craftsmanship, and period charm.

A lovely addition to a traditional tea table, a silver collection, or a thoughtful gift for a lover of afternoon tea and English decorative arts.

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