

Podstakannik in Silver Plated Brass, by Molotov Workshop, Mstyora, 1956.

Stands 97mm tall to the top of the handle, 69mm wide at the body, 80mm wide at the bottom ring. Uncommon design features absence of the centerpiece cartouche. In its place, we see the center of a symmetrical ornament, heavier with fruits and berries than the rest of it.

Maker marked "MM6" on the bottom. The combination of the format of the mark and the number "6" identifies the item as made by the Molotov Workshop, Mstyora, in 1956. "MET" stands for "metal" indicating that this is not silver (Melchior looks very similar to silver when the item is new). The "1COPT" mark to the right of "MET" is the QC stamp rating this podstakannik as top quality.

In very good to excellent condition. Moderate patina and tiny spots of verdigris add character. The body shows just one shallow dent to the right of the center of the ornament. The bottom ring is very slightly dented on one side, not too obvious and not detractive. There are no other significant deformities anywhere.

Item# 41201

**\$70.00**

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