



**Victorian Sapphire and Diamond Bar Pin, PN-2599**

Long and slender in design, this 18k yellow gold and platinum Victorian bar pin is simply spectacular. A collection of five old European cut diamonds centerpiece this bar pin for a total diamond weight of 0.43 carats. The diamonds are flanked by ten rectangular faceted mixed cut blue sapphires, five on each side. The combined gemstone weight of all the sapphires in this Victorian jewelry piece is 1.25 carats. Circa 1890.





Item #	pn2599
Metal	18 karat yellow gold with platinum veneer
Circa	1890
Weight in grams	6.50
Period or Style	Bar
Special characteristics	hard enamel trim
Condition	Excellent
Diamond cut or shape	old European cut
Diamond carat weight	0.43
Diamond mm measurements	2.7 to 2.8
Diamond color	G to I
Diamond clarity	VS2 to I1
Diamond # of stones	5
Gemstone name	Natural Corundum (Sapphire)
Gemstone cut or shape	Rectangular, faceted mixed cut
Gemstone carat weight	1.25
Gemstone mm measurements	2.5 x 2.0 x 1.48 to 2.8 x 2.5 x 2.22
Gemstone type	Type II
Gemstone clarity	VS to SI1
Gemstone hue	slightly violetish blue
Gemstone tone	4-Medium Light

Gemstone saturation	2.-3
Gemstone # of stones	10
Gemstone other info	No evidence of heat treatment detected
Length	80.0 mm [3.12 in]
Width of widest point	3.2 mm [0.12 in]

### Important Jewelry Information

Each antique and vintage jewelry piece is sent off site to be evaluated by an appraiser who is not a Topazery employee and who has earned the GIA Graduate Gemologist diploma as well as the title of AGS Certified Gemologist Appraiser. The gemologist/appraiser's report is included on the Detail Page for each jewelry piece.

An appraisal is not included with your purchase but we are pleased to provide one upon request at the time of purchase and for an additional fee. The appraiser bases the value for the jewelry on the range of prices prevailing in the most common and appropriate retail markets on the date the appraisal is completed.

Diamonds, pearls and colored gemstones are graded by the grading standards as taught by the Gemological Institute of America (GIA). All measurements and carat weights are approximate, unless otherwise noted, and are determined without removing the stones from the mounting.

The process of determining when a jewelry piece is made and the period it belongs to is not an exact science. The determination is based on design, materials, hallmarks, signatures, and the manufacturing method. Circa dates and period assignments are made to the best of our abilities.

All pearls are cultured unless noted as natural. All gemstones have been treated by accepted industry standards unless noted otherwise.

Platinum refers to all metals in the platinum family and the alloys which are mixed with it -- palladium, platinum/iridium, and platinum/ruthenium and platinum/cobalt. A non-destructive acid scratch test is used to verify the metal in each jewelry piece. A refractometer is used to test gemstones.

Computer monitors show colors differently; please keep in mind that the actual colors in a jewelry piece may be different from the colors displayed in the website photos.

Jewelry photographs are enlarged to show details. To help you determine if a jewelry piece is appropriate in terms of actual proportions that suit your style as well as the statement you want to make, we provide detailed measurements of the piece.

Rings are photographed on a mannequin's hand in a glove size 6. Rings in sizes from 5.0 or smaller are photographed on a mannequin's hand in a glove size of 5.0.

Each antique and vintage jewelry piece has been pre-owned and expertly restored unless otherwise noted under "Condition".

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