



#### Alexander I, Emperor of Russia

Title

Portrait of Alexander I, Emperor of Russia

Description

Portrait of Alexander I, Emperor of Russia, wearing the Order of St. Andrew, holding a sword and a scepter, seated on a throne, facing left. Signed and dated in the lower left corner: D. Steudt 1805 (7)

88 x 100 mm.

Catalogue Raisonné

He was born on 12 February 1801, Alexander I succeeded his father Nicholas I in 1825. He was the son of Paul I, who had been forced to abdicate in 1801. He was the first Russian Emperor to visit France, in 1812, during the Napoleonic Wars. He was the last Russian Emperor to visit France, in 1812, during the Napoleonic Wars. He was the last Russian Emperor to visit France, in 1812, during the Napoleonic Wars.

Medium

Enamel and gilded on ivory

Year of Work

1805

Size

Height 3.4 in.; Width 2 in.; Height 0.5 cm.; Width 5 cm.

Place

St. Petersburg

Date of

Sotheby's Paris, Tuesday, April 29, 2008 (Lot 000791)

Estimate

8,000 - 12,000 EUR (11,000 - 16,000 USD)

Sold For

21,250 EUR (29,342 USD)