

161-180 brass sestertius of the Philosopher Roman emperor Marcus Aurelius Obv: his laureate and cuirassed bust Rev: Zeus enthroned, holding scepter and victory. Pleasing strong VF \$577.
217-218 AD silver denarius of the general emperor Macrinus Obv: his laureate and cuirassed bust Rev: Salus enthroned, feeding snake NGC EF \$337.



100%

238 AD billon tetradrachm Alexandria mint of the very rare Roman emperor Gordian I. Obv: his laureate and draped bust rev: Eagle with Zeus enthroned, who is holding wreath and scepter NGC Ch Fine..... \$1977.



55%

100-500 AD large well made silver fibula, ie, toga pin worn by Romans at their shoulder. \$977.

269 AD bronze double denarius of the emperor general Victorinus, Gallic mint Obv: his radiate and cuirassed bust Rev: Pietas standing ANACS EF 40..... \$97.

269 AD bronze double denarius of the usurper Marius, Cologne mint Obv: his radiate and cuirassed bust Rev: Felicitas standing ANACS EF 45 sale..... \$677.

276-282 AD billon (silvered) double denarius of Probus Obv: his radiate and draped bust Rev: Jupiter presenting Victory to Probus ICG MS 62..... \$197.

340-350 AD gold solidus of Constans, emperor during the infancy of the Christian Roman Empire Obv: his diademed and cuirassed bust Rev: Two victories holding wreath inscribed with vows of Constans. Siscia mint ANACS AU 50..... \$3700.



100%

C475-500 AD gold (electrum is a pale alloy) from North India, the **Kidarites**, King Vinayaditya. Bizarre and bold obverse design obverse, fire altar on reverse ICG AU 50 \$247.



100%

527-565 AD gold solidus of **Justinian the Great**, eastern Roman, or Byzantine, emperor with his capital at Constantinople. He built the famous church of St Sophia, which still stands today. Obv: facing armoured and helmeted bust of Justinian holding globus cruciger. Rev: Angel standing, facing, holding globus cruciger and long cross surmounted with Chi Rho. NGC MS mint state \$877.

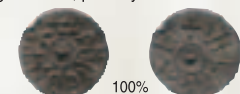


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612-621 AD gold tremissis of Sisebut, **Visigothic** king in Spain. Seville mint Typical Dark Ages engraving. Abt Unc, slight planchet distractions. \$777.

654-668 AD gold solidus of Constans II, Constantinople mint NGC Ch MS \$1277.

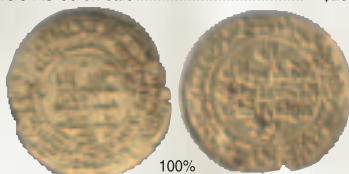
737-758 AD silver sceat of king **Eadberht** of Northumbria, pre Viking conquest of York. Obv: Archbishop Ecgberht standing, holding long cross Rev: Eadberht's name around cross. NGC MS 64 amazing condition, possibly finest known..... \$3977.



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810-841 AD bronze sceat of **Eanred of Northumbria**, England, York mint, moneyer Vilheah. Interesting Dark Ages coinage, pre Viking conquest of this area. NGC AU 50 on sale..... \$297.



100%

954-961 AD gold dinar of **Abd al-Malik**, caliph of the Samirid dynasty of central Asia. Herat mint, struck 348 AH=960 AD. Obv & Rev Accolades to Allah and Abd ICG VF 30 flan slightly ragged as struck on sale..... \$277.



100%

1042-1066 AD silver penny of **Edward the Confessor**, the last major Anglo Saxon king of England, Lewes mint, S-1182 Obv: crowned and robed bust of Edward, holding scepter Rev: short cross, mint and moneyer NGC AU 58 choice original gray toning, on sale \$777.

c1050 AD, 433-443 AD gold dinar of Faramurz, caliph of the Kakwayhid dynasty of central Asia, Isabahan mint Obv and Rev: praises to Allah and his prophet NGC MS 64 SALE \$877.



100%

1071-1078 AD gold (electrum) nomisma of Michael "the Seventh". Forced into debasing his gold coins by 25%, he was known in the marketplaces of Constantinople as **Michael "the Minus a Fourth"**. Obv: nimbate bust of Christ Rev: robed and jeweled bust of Michael, holding labarum and globus cruciger NGC Ch Abt Unc clipped (which it is not, ch orig uncleaned surfaces) \$977.



100%

1185-1195 AD electrum, pale color, nomisma of Isaac II of the Byzantine Empire Obv: enthroned **Virgin Mary** Rev: standing Isaac II, being crowned by the **Archangel Michael** NGC Ch XF clipped (not) nice delicate toning on this high silver content coin..... \$477.



100%

1187-1250 AD gold dinar of the Crusader kingdom of Jerusalem, probably struck at the fortress of Acre. Obv and Rev, pseudo-cufic script, imitating a coin of Fatimid Egypt. About 1250 AD the Pope banned the production of a coin which imitated the praises to Allah. Abt Unc, uneven strike \$577.



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1478-1485 silver half lira, or Marcello from Venice, Italy Obv: Christ enthroned Rev: doge Giovanni Mocenigo kneeling before St. Mark VF, slight irregular \$377.



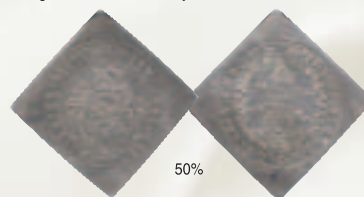
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C 1540 brass medal by the Italian artist Valerio Belli Obv: bust of Alexander the Great, cuirassed and wearing Macedonian helmet Rev: procession of a Greek religious festival. VF \$477.



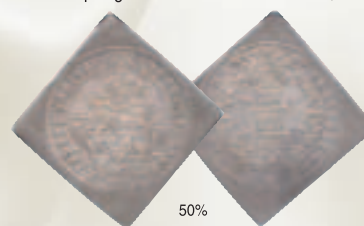
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1544 silver teston of **Duke Anthony of Lorraine**. Dies engraved by Renaissance artist Florentin Oriet at the Nancy, France mint. Anthony was a powerful supporter of the Catholics, and suppressed the Protestant peasant's uprising by slaughtering as many as 20,000. NGC MS 62 \$2700. Milenia Pedigree. On sale for only \$1677.



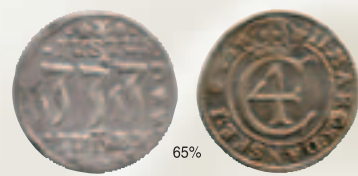
50%

(1587-1612) silver 1/2 taler klippe of Salzburg, archbishopric in Austria. Obv: Archbishop Wolf Dietrich Rev: Tower in sea, assailed by waves and storm winds, an allegory for the **Christian fortress** of Salzburg attacked by the Moslem Turks. NGC AU 50, ex: Stacks pedigree \$1477.



50%

1593 dated silver **double taler klippe** of Salzburg, as previous coin, but 4 x heavier. NGC AU 55 \$2477. Or the pair for \$3277.



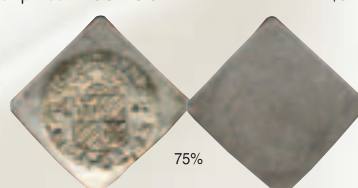
65%

1645 silver 2 mark from Denmark King Christian IV. Obv: his crowned monogram Rev: tetragrammaton, Justus Juxta VF, neat hole for suspension... \$577.



100%

1667 silver luigino of **Fosdinovo**, a lordship and castle near Florence. Still owned by the Malaspina family who sheltered the famous writer, Dante Alighieri, while he was in exile. Obv: Very baroque bust of Maria Maddalena Centurioni Malaspina (1663-1669) Rev: coat of arms. Recovered from shipwreck. NGC MS 62 \$347.



75%

1672 silver **12 1/2 stuiver klippe** struck during the siege of Groningen, which resulted in the defeat of the Bishop of Munster. Obv: coat of arms Rev: blank. NGC MS 63 superb grade, on sale..... \$1477.

1707 Silver 2 reals of **Barcelona**, Spain NGC AU 55 \$297.

1708 silver 2 reals of Barcelona, raw VF+..... \$97.



100%

1738 silver 1/2 real of Spain, nicely mounted in 14 kt gold bezel with 14 kt gold 23" chain, ready for wearing. Fine, with informative COA..... \$297.

Colonials and related Foreign

1600-1750 silver 4 real cob, 1/2 dollar weight, Fine, very crude, corrosion \$87.



100%

C1640 silver 8 real cob recovered from the Concepcion shipwreck, Mexico City mint, mounted in modern silver bezel ready for wearing..... \$197.

(1641-43) silver shilling of Charles I of England. Tower mint, the fort where he was beheaded. Badly struck VF \$97. Net VG.



100%

C1714 **gold 2 escudo cob** from the Santa Fe mint, and lost in the 1715 shipwreck off the coast of Florida. Abt Unc. Or better. Usual crude strike, where the salvors net graded it "Fine" in 1988?. COA insert from Cobb Coin Co..... \$2077.

1725-H silver ecu of Louis 15th of France, most of this year's La Rochelle mintage was being shipped to Canada for colonial payrolls when the **Le Chameau** sank off Port Nova island in Aug 1725. VF, heavy silver chloride oxidation \$127.