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## **SOLD - Side Table with Inverted Sword Legs and Delicate Decor**

SHANXI PROVINCE, C19TH

**DIMENSIONS:** W:187 D:39 H:86 (cm)

**REFERENCE:** T356

This elegant side table with its delicate minimal decor and beautiful honey-hued elm wood grain is a fine side table that will enrich both modern and traditional interiors

The table has "inverted sword" legs, a strong piece of carpentry evolved from the Five Dynasty and Ten Kingdoms period (907-23).

In looking how the top of each leg is connected to the apron, one can see that the top of the leg which joins the apron resembles the tip of a sword.

This is a table with elegant design features. Delicate everted flanges lighten the top surface and the curvilinear apron. The double incense stick beading, raised in relief, is visible down the centre of the legs ending in a fortuitous gourd shape. The table stands on delicate small lotus pad like feet.

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