Imperial Porcelain

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St. Petersburg

RUSSIAN STYLE COLLECTION

The Russian Style Collection represents the best of the works designed by Alexei Vorobyevsky, one of the most gifted men to have worked in Russian porcelain. His favourite themes of winter and spring, his intricate floral ornaments, his fantastic Oriental luxury, show how Vorobyevsky had an innate feeling of the necessary balance and harmony between fine bone china and decor. His decorations always enhance and underscore the airy and fragile qualities of a porcelain surface. Vorobyevskiy's work is notable for its use of traditional Russian motifs found in peasant crafts such as lubok (painted woodwork) and in old folklore. This is why his designs have such bright colours and a wide array of images drawn variously from Russian country fairs, feast days, Punch and Judy shows, fairy tales. His images of magical red-gold cockerels and golden horses, old Russian cities and mythological characters, were deliberately looking to illustrate the nature of the Russian soul. It is this love of old Russia which continues to make Vorobyevsky's designs so popular today.

Tea Service «Fabulous Butterflies»

Fine bone china. Hand moulding
Hand overglaze painting
Gilding enamel

A. Nosova after A. Vorobyevsky's patterns

Anna Nosova, who designed the «Fabulous Butterflies» pattern, worked for many years alongside the People's Artist of Russia Alexei Vorobyevsky. She meticulously studied his artistic style, masterfully copying his fairy-tale pictures with the filigreed precision of porcelain calligraphy. Anna Nosova based her «Fabulous Butterflies» on the motifs of Vorobyevsky, preserving all the warmth, the luscious palette and ornamentality of his work.

Teapot, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
900 ml
80.01355

Tea Cup with saucer
shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
220 ml
81.15089

Sugar Bowl, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
300 ml
80.01357

Jam Dish, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
D–95 mm
80.01354

Cake Plate, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
D–180 mm
80.01353

Cake Dish, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
D–460 mm
80.01358

Creamer, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
320 ml
80.01360

Butter-dish, shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
H–90 mm
80.01356

Vase for Confectionery
shape Bolero
pattern Fabulous butterflies
300 ml
80.01359

Coffee Service «Russian ballet»

Fine bone china. Hand moulding
Hand overglaze painting
Gilding enamel

Author A. Vorobyevsky

It could be said that the author's unfulfilled dream to work for the Theater is reflected in his work. Vorobyevky's whimsical, fantastic images do frequently resemble a set for a theatrical production. And some of the artist's creations, for example this service set, were literally inspired by actual theatrical productions.

Coffee Pot, shape Debussy
pattern Russian ballet
500 ml
80.08939

Coffee Cup with saucer
shape Debussy
pattern Russian ballet
68 ml
81.15736

Sugar Bowl, shape Debussy
pattern Russian ballet
155 ml
80.08940

Cake Plate, shape Smooth
pattern Russian ballet
D–155 mm
80.08938

Creamer, shape Debussy
pattern Russian ballet
138 ml
80.08941

Vase for Flowers
shape Debussy pattern
Russian ballet
H–150 mm
80.08942

Collection of Coffee Cups

Fine bone china
Overglaze hand painting
Gold-etching

Author A. Vorobyevsky

Coffee Cup with saucer shape Black coffee pattern Winter day 81.14678

Coffee Cup with saucer shape Black coffee pattern Fairy tale 81.14680

Coffee Cup with saucer shape Black coffee pattern Rose patterns 81.14681

Coffee Cup with saucer shape Black coffee pattern Oriental gifts 81.14682

Delicate thin bone-china cups seem to be destined to fit for fine Vorobyevsky patterns. Miniature paintings reflect main Vorobyevsky themes: winter and spring fantasy scenes, intricate floral ornaments, Old Russian folk architecture, fantastic Oriental luxury. The artist had an immaculate feelong of balance and harmony between fine bone china and decor, his decorations invariably enhance and underscore almost airy, delicately thin fragility of porcelain surface.

Russian Soul

Tea pots set, shape Family, pattern Red Rooster
1800 ml/250 ml
81.10357

Tea pots set, shape Novgorodsky, pattern Red Horse
2450 ml/250 ml
81.10353

Vine set, shape Joyous little Samovar
pattern National Motifs
900 ml/50 ml
81.10362

Tea Cup with saucer, shape Spring
pattern Red Cockerel
250 ml
81.15902

Mug with saucer, shape Leningrad
pattern Red Rooster
360 ml
81.10547

Tea Cup with saucer, shape Spring
pattern Red Horse
250 ml
81.15308

Vine set, shape Slavic
pattern Maiden
650 ml/50 ml
81.10361

Vine set Matryoska Doll
pattern Red sarafan
H–264 mm/700 ml
81.10359
Decanter, shape Lion, pattern Red
H–144 mm/380 ml
80.00798

Decanter Kumanets
H–272 mm/600 ml
80.00796

Ester Egg
pattern Russian patterns
H–115 mm
80.57815

Covered Cup with saucer
shape Gift-2, pattern Souvenir
250 ml
81.10319

Decorative Plates and Jevellery boxes

Author A. Vorobyevsky

Jevellery box, shape Guest II
pattern Lady in a gold dress
H–120 mm
80.07363

Jevellery box, shape Guest III
pattern Lady
in a golden-rose dress
H–125 mm
80.05179

Jevellery box, shape Housewife
pattern Lady
with a bright colored shawl
H–125 mm
80.05003

Jevellery box, shape Guest I
pattern Lady in a violet dress
H–120 mm
80.04759

Jevellery box, shape Oval
pattern Blue mountains
D–93 mm
80.03050

Jevellery box, shape Facetted
pattern Eastern dance
D–93 mm
80.02360

Jevellery box, shape Oval
pattern russian balet
D–90 mm
80.04777

Decorative Plate, shape Ellipse
pattern Winter Fun
D–195 mm
80.09999

Decorative Plate, shape Ellipse
pattern Eastern dance
D–195 mm
80.09865

Decorative Plate, shape Ellipse
pattern Dancers
D–195 mm
80.09864

Decorative Plate, shape European
pattern Dream
D–300 mm
80.52054

Jevellery box, shape Oval
pattern Golden spring
D–90 mm
80.07337

Decorative Plate, shape Ellipse
pattern Winter fantasy
D–195 mm
80.09998

Decorative Plate, shape European
pattern Spring Procession
D–300 mm
80.52055