



A rare and impressive Elizabeth I joined oak open armchair, circa 1575

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Height: 122 cm (48")

Width: 63.5 cm (25")

Depth: 53 cm (20.9")

Description

Of rare design, namely the arms mortised into the front supports rather than on top, with a twin panelled back, the upper panel with nulled-carving, the shaped cresting with matching carving and a four-petal flowerhead to each projecting end, shaped ears, historic later seat board, turned front legs and plain stretchers, together with a tasselled squab of 17th century silk and linen damask filled with pure British wool.

Provenance: Cold Overton Hall, Leicestershire, private collection of William Stokes and C. K. Binns.