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CHRISTIE'S UNVEILS THE PRIVATE COLLECTION OF PRESIDENT AND MRS. RONALD REAGAN

SOLD TO BENEFIT
THE RONALD REAGAN PRESIDENTIAL FOUNDATION & INSTITUTE



*The Reagans leaving after the Moscow Summit. June 2, 1988.
Credit: The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library*

LIVE AUCTION SEPTEMBER 21-22 | ONLINE AUCTION SEPTEMBER 19-27

New York — Christie's announces the release of the sale catalogue for the upcoming auction of **The Private Collection of President and Mrs. Ronald Reagan**, the celebrated 40th President and First Lady of the United States. This landmark Collection will be on view at Christie's New York **September 17 to 20** and is slated for sale **September 21 and 22**, with live and online components, to coincide with Americana auctions at Christie's.



AN EVOCATIVE RELIC SYMBOLIZING ONE OF
PRESIDENT REAGAN'S GREATEST FOREIGN
POLICY ACHIEVEMENTS

A SIGNED FRAGMENT OF THE BERLIN WALL
Measures Approx. 25" x 13" x 2"
Weighs 19.75lbs.
Estimate: \$10,000-20,000

Among the iconic objects revealed with the catalogue's release is **A Signed Fragment of the Berlin Wall**, an evocative relic symbolizing one of President Reagan's greatest foreign policy achievements (*pictured left*, estimate: \$10,000-20,000). Other featured objects emblematic of the 'Reagan Era,' include **President Ronald Reagan's Cowboy Boots by Tony Lama**, a gift from Western actor Rex Allen (estimate: \$10,000-20,000); **A Series of Personal Doodles by President Ronald Reagan on White House Stationery** (estimate: \$2,500-3,500); and **An Official NFL Wilson Football, Signed and Inscribed**, "Win One For the Gipper Ronald Reagan," (estimate: \$5,000-10,000).

The sale also encompasses furniture and decorative works supplied by William (Billy) Haines Inc., in the 'Hollywood Regency' style, jewelry and handbags from Mrs. Reagan's collection, books with personal dedications, presidential mementos and gifts, and fine art from the Reagans' home in Los Angeles. Many of these objects were used by the President and First Lady during their time in the White House and are designated as such with a green label. Per the Reagans' wishes, proceeds from the Collection sale are designated for The Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation and Institute. There are over 700 lots with estimates on individual items ranging from under \$1,000 up to \$50,000, and the auctions are expected to realize in excess of \$2 million total.

OBJECTS EMBLEMATIC OF THE REAGAN ERA



A NEEDLEPOINT CUSHION CIRCA 1984
Estimate: \$1,000-1,500

PROVENANCE:

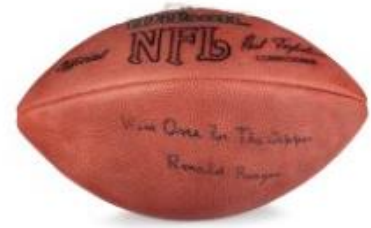
A gift to President Ronald Reagan from Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stark.



PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN'S COWBOY BOOTS, BY TONY LAMA BOOTS, CIRCA 1980
Estimate: \$10,000 – 20,000

PROVENANCE:

A gift to President Ronald Reagan from Western actor Rex Allen and Tony Lama Boots, September 1981.



REAGAN, RONALD (1911-2004). AN OFFICIAL NFL WILSON FOOTBALL, SIGNED AND INSCRIBED: "WIN ONE FOR THE GIPPER RONALD REAGAN"
Estimate: \$5,000-10,000



PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN A COLLECTION OF ACCESSORIES FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK, 20TH CENTURY
Estimate: \$1,000-2,000

PROVENANCE:

Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.



'GOOD MORNING MR. PRESIDENT' AN INAUGURATION GIFT TO PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN FROM MR. AND MRS. FRANCIS SINATRA A MARINE CHRONOMETER TIFFANY & CO., CIRCA 1981
Estimate: \$5,000-10,000

PROVENANCE:

An Inauguration gift from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sinatra. January 20, 1981.



PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN A SERIES OF PENCIL SKETCHES SIGNED "RONALD REAGAN" [WATERMARKED 1982] ON WHITE HOUSE STATIONERY
Estimate: \$2,500-3,500

PROVENANCE:

Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.

FURNITURE AND DECORATIVE ARTS



PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN 'THE GOVERNOR'S DESK' AN AMERICAN SCUMBLE-PAINTED SLANT FRONT DESK BY DON GUSTAFSON, 1971
Estimate: \$4,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

A gift to Governor Ronald Reagan to commemorate his second term as Governor of California.



A GEORGE III GILTWOOD PICTURE FRAME MIRROR, LATE 18TH CENTURY AND LATER
Estimate: \$2,000-3,000

PROVENANCE:

Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.



A PAIR OF CHINESE EXPORT PORCELAIN 'PHEASANT' STANDING LAMPS 20TH CENTURY, SUPPLIED BY TED GRABER, INC., CIRCA 1988
Estimate: \$5,000-8,000



AN AMERICAN WHITE-PAINTED SWIVEL DRESSING STOOL
 20TH CENTURY, SUPPLIED BY WILLIAM (BILLY) HAINES INC., CIRCA 1970-1985
 Estimate: \$500-1,000



A SET OF EIGHT GEORGE III STYLE WHITE AND GREEN-PAINTED DINING CHAIRS SUPPLIED BY TED GRABER, INC., CIRCA 1988
 Estimate: \$4,000-6,000



A PAIR OF WHITE PORCELAIN FISH-FORM LAMPS, 20TH CENTURY SUPPLIED BY WILLIAM (BILLY) HAINES INC., CIRCA 1970-1985
 Estimate: \$2,000-3,000

DINING AND ENTERTAINING



THE REAGAN'S BAR
 A GROUP OF BAR NAPKINS
 SECOND HALF 20TH CENTURY
 Estimate: \$200-400



PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN
 A SET OF SIXTEEN AMERICAN SILVER GOBLETS
 MARK OF INTERNATIONAL STERLING CO., MERIDEN, 20TH CENTURY
 Estimate: \$1,000-1,500



PRESIDENT AND MRS. RONALD REAGAN
 A COLLECTION OF BAR ACCESSORIES
 20TH CENTURY
 Estimate: \$1,000-2,000



A SET OF TEN CHINESE EXPORT INITIALED SOUP PLATES, AND A PAIR OF SIMILAR PLATES
 CIRCA 1780-95
 Estimate: \$4,000-6,000

PROVENANCE:

A gift to President and Mrs. Ronald Reagan from Mr. and Mrs. Armand Deutsch.

Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.



A RUSSIAN SILVER SAMOVAR
 MARK OF TIMOFEI RYCHAGOV,
 MOSCOW, 1899-1908
 Estimate: \$5,000-8,000

PROVENANCE:

A gift to President and Mrs. Ronald Reagan from Mstislav and Galina Rostropovich.



A PRIVATE COMMISSION TO COMMEMORATE THE INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN -A PAIR OF MOTTAAHEDEH CHINESE EXPORT-STYLE PORCELAIN ICE PAILS, MODERN, BLACK PRINTED AND IMPRESSED MARKS
 Estimate: \$2,000-4,000

PROVENANCE:

Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.

The ice pails were part of a private commission to celebrate the inauguration of President Ronald Reagan on January 20, 1981

JEWELRY HIGHLIGHTS



A DIAMOND, SAPPHIRE AND RUBY RING, BY BULGARI
Estimate: \$5,000-8,000



President Reagan and Nancy Reagan on the USS Iowa in New York Harbor. July 4, 1986.
Photo credit: The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library



A PAIR OF DIAMOND AND GOLD EAR CLIPS BY VAN CLEEF & ARPELS
Estimate: \$15,000-20,000



A PAIR OF DIAMOND AND PLATINUM EAR PENDANTS
Clips signed V.C.A. for Van Cleef & Arpels
Estimate: \$5,000-7,000



A GOLD AND DIAMOND EVENING BAG
Estimate: \$10,000-15,000



A BLACK STAR SAPPHIRE AND DIAMOND BROOCH
Estimate: \$3,000-5,000

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A COLLECTION OF FIVE GLASS MODELS OF ELEPHANTS, 20TH CENTURY
TWO ETCHED STEUBEN
Estimate: \$800-1,200

PROVENANCE:
Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.



A COLLECTION OF DINING ROOM ACCESSORIES, 20TH CENTURY
Estimate: \$200-400

PROVENANCE:
Formerly in The Family Residence, the White House, Washington D.C.



THE REAGAN FAMILY 'THANKSGIVING' PLATTER
AN ITALIAN CERAMIC TURKEY PLATTER AND TWO SETS OF TURKEY-FORM CASTERS
20TH CENTURY
Estimate: \$500-1,000



MRS. RONALD REAGAN
A COLLECTION OF PERSONALIZED DESK ACCESSORIES, 19TH/20TH CENTURY
Estimate: \$500-1,000



TIFFANY & CO. DIAMOND DRAGONFLY BROOCH
Estimate: \$2,000-3,000



CHANEL, BLACK AND CREAM LAMBSKIN LEATHER BAG, NAVY CANVAS QUILTED CLUTCH BAG AND LIGHT BROWN LEATHER BAG, 20TH CENTURY
Estimate: \$500-700

[Link to Reagan Collection microsite and video](#)

Note to the Editors:

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