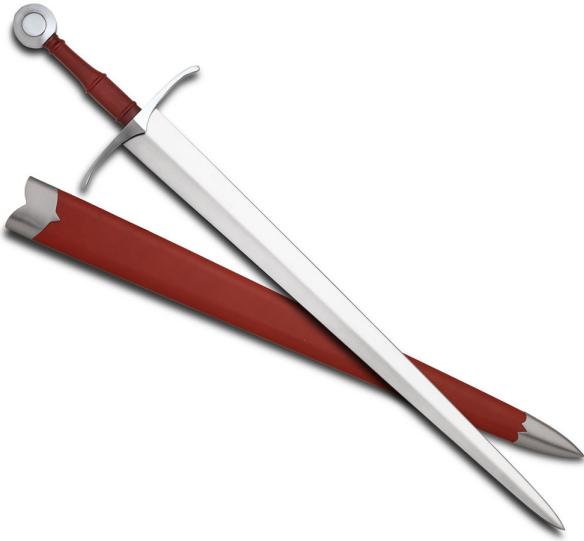


Windlass Signature Series Arbedo Sword 1350-1400

Category:



Product ID: 501894

Manufacturer: Windlass Steelcrafts

Price: 279.00 EUR

Availability: Out of stock

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In Arbedo on June 22, 1422 the famous Milanese cavalry commander Carmagnola, along with Angelo de la Pergola, 6,000 horsemen and 4,000 footmen, attacked an army of 4,000 Swiss pikemen and halberdiers. As the battle raged on, a group of Swiss foragers wandered near the scene. Both Carmagnola and de la Pergola thought the foragers were another army and pulled back, allowing the Swiss to retire in good order. This bloody, rather inconclusive battle left a large percentage of Swiss dead, although Carmagnola's army actually lost more men.

We've named this beautiful type XVIIIa war sword after that battle at Arbedo, where either side would have carried it. The effective cutting blade tapers to a sharp, deadly point. The 6" grip allows for one or two hand use. High carbon steel blade. Steel guard and pommel. Grip is wood, wrapped with cord and then covered with red leather. Wide tang construction.

Original rests in the Metropolitan Museum and can also be seen in "Records Of The Medieval Sword", pg. 189 by Ewart Oakeshott.

Product parameters:

- Total length: 100 cm
- Blade length: 78,3 cm
- Blade width: 7 cm
- Blade thickness: 4,8 mm
- Weight: 1,36 kg
- Steel: 1075