Pedersoli Philadelphia Derringer German Silver Pistol caliber .45

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SKU	Designation	French Law	Caliber	Shots	Barrel (cm)	Length (cm)	Weight (g)	MSRP
DPSV367	Pedersoli Philadelphia Derringer German Silver Pistol caliber .45	D	.45 BP	1	7.8	16	245	679.00 € incl. tax

Compact historical replica of the famous Philadelphia Derringer, with smoothbore barrel, percussion lock and German Silver fittings.

Pedersoli revisits one of the most iconic pocket pistols of the 19th century with the **Philadelphia Derringer German Silver .45 caliber** . This historical reproduction is inspired by the model designed by John Henry Derringer, whose name has become synonymous with American compact handguns. Featuring a **3 1/16-inch (approximately 7.8 cm) smoothbore barrel** , this muzzle-loading pistol operates with a percussion lock using #11 percussion caps. Its walnut grip, case-hardened steel components, and elegant German Silver fittings respect the aesthetics of period models.

- **Brand:** Davide Pedersoli
- **Model:** Philadelphia Derringer German Silver
- **Type:** Historical muzzle-loading pistol
- **Caliber:** .45
- **Canon:** smooth
- **Barrel length:** 3 1/16" (approximately 7.8 cm)
- **Total length:** 6 5/16" (approximately 16 cm)
- **Weight:** 0.54 lb (approximately 245 g)
- **Mechanism:** percussion plate
- **Priming:** percussion cap no. 11
- **Relaxation:** simple
- **Sights:** fixed, metallic
- **Stock:** walnut
- **Finish:** components in mottled steel

- **Trims:** German Silver (nickel silver)
- **Warranty:** manufacturer Pedersoli

A reproduction of the famous Philadelphia Derringer

The **Pedersoli Philadelphia Derringer German Silver** replica is a replica of an iconic 19th-century American pocket pistol. Originally designed by gunsmith John Henry Derringer, this type of weapon is distinguished by its compact size and percussion mechanism. Its name is notably associated with a tragic episode in American history: the assassination of President Abraham Lincoln in 1865.

With this reproduction, Pedersoli restores the characteristic proportions of the Philadelphia Derringer, notably its very short barrel, its curved stock and its decorative metal fittings.

A .45 caliber percussion smoothbore barrel

This historical pistol has a **.45 caliber smoothbore barrel** , measuring 3 1/16 inches, or approximately 7.8 cm. It uses a traditional muzzle-loading system, designed for use with a round ball and patch.

The firing mechanism is a **percussion cap** using a No. 11 percussion cap. The external hammer and single trigger mechanism reflect the mechanical principles employed on handguns of that era. The fixed metal sights also adhere to the traditional Derringer design.

German Silver finishes inspired by vintage models

The Philadelphia Derringer is distinguished by its **German Silver fittings** , also known as nickel silver. This silver-like alloy, traditionally composed of copper, nickel, and zinc, provides an elegant contrast to the case-hardened steel elements and the walnut stock.

These materials contribute to the visual authenticity of this replica and underline the historical character of this small American pistol.

A compact, historical pistol for collectors

With a **total length of approximately 16 cm** and a weight of only 245 g, the Pedersoli Philadelphia Derringer retains the compact proportions that made the original model famous.

This reproduction is an interesting piece for enthusiasts of antique American firearms, collectors, and historical reenactors. Its manufacture by Pedersoli combines aesthetic fidelity with contemporary gunsmithing expertise.

FAQ - Pedersoli Philadelphia Derringer German Silver

What does German Silver mean?

German Silver refers to nickel silver, a metallic alloy with a silvery appearance, although it does not typically contain silver. It is used here for the decorative fittings of the pistol.

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