Somalia 1992-93 Commemorative Cross



Product price:

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Product codes:

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Product features:

Product short description:

The Croce Commemorativa Operazioni Somalia 1992/93 is a commemorative cross honoring those who took part in the peacekeeping missions in Somalia. Designed for veterans, collectors and military history enthusiasts, it makes a dignified display piece and lasting memento.

- **Material:** Made with high-quality materials for a durable, respectful finish.
- **Use:** Commemorative display and tribute to the service and sacrifice of Italian personnel.
- **Design:** Elegant, meaningful design suitable for display or collection.
- **Suitability:** Ideal as a remembrance piece for home display, museums or private collections.

Product description:

Product overview

The Somalia 1992/93 Commemorative Cross recognizes Italian service during Operation Ibis in Somalia under the United Nations. It is intended for veterans, family members, collectors, museums, and those interested in military commemoratives, tactical and military surplus items.

Definition: The Somalia 1992/93 Commemorative Cross is a recognition medal issued to honor Italian military participation in the UN mission aimed at restoring order and addressing the humanitarian crisis. It is a tangible piece of recent military history.

Main features

Clear, durable design with authentic symbolic details that make the cross suitable for display, collection, or ceremonial use.

- **Distinctive design:** Cross with pattee arms surrounded by two olive fronds; the centre bears the inscription "SOMALIA" and the reverse shows a five-point star.
- **Ribbon detail:** Yellow ribbon with three vertical stripes (green, white, red) placed 3 mm from each end, reflecting the Italian flag colours.
- **Available sizes:** Offered in two formats: 37 mm and 20 mm to suit display or smaller mounting needs.
- **Quality materials:** Made from durable materials designed to preserve the cross’s symbolic and historical value.
- **Suitable uses:** Intended for collectors, commemorative display, and ceremonial or duty-related occasions where permitted.

How to use / When it’s useful

Use the cross for display in a medal case, on a commemorative board, or as part of a military surplus collection. It is appropriate for remembrance events, reunions, and historical exhibits.

Quick answer: Wear or display it during commemorations or add it to a collection for historical value. In most cases, veterans and collectors choose the 37 mm for full-size display and the 20 mm for smaller mounts or ribbon bars.

Care and notes

Basic care keeps the cross in good condition while preserving any original finish or patina.

- Store dry and avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive polishing that could remove surface detail.
- Handle by the edges to reduce fingerprints and wear on the ribbon.
- Available only in the standard 37 mm and 20 mm sizes; no custom engraving or personalization is offered.
- Limited stock: order promptly if you need to secure a piece for a collection or ceremony.

FAQ

Q: What sizes are available for the Somalia 1992/93 Commemorative Cross?

A: The cross is available in two sizes: 37 mm and 20 mm. Choose 37 mm for full-size display and

20 mm for smaller mounts or ribbon bars.

Q: What materials are used to make the cross?

A: The cross is made from durable, high-quality materials designed to preserve its appearance and symbolic value over time. Specific metal composition is not stated.

Q: What do the colored bands on the ribbon represent?

A: The three vertical bands—green, white and red—reflect the colours of the Italian national flag; they are placed 3 mm from each ribbon edge.

Q: Can I personalize or engrave the commemorative cross?

A: Personalization is not available. The item is supplied in the standard formats and finishes described in the product details.

Q: Is this an official recognition for service in Somalia?

A: The cross was instituted as a form of recognition for Italian participation in Operation Ibis under the UN. For formal entitlement or service records, consult official military channels.

Q: How can I make sure I get one before they sell out?

A: We recommend adding the desired size to your cart and completing checkout promptly. Limited availability means stock can run low quickly.

Tip: Choose the size that best fits your purpose—37 mm for full-size display, 20 mm for ribbon or compact collections—and consider browsing related military commemoratives and military surplus or tactical items to complete a themed display.

Product attributes:

Medaglie : Formato 37 mm., Formato 20 mm.

Product gallery: