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Sapphire Pearl Ring in 18ct Gold, Date 1885-1901, Lilly's Attic since 2001 £475.00

From 1885 to 1901, sapphire and pearl rings became more stylised, reflecting the Aesthetic Movement and early Art Nouveau. Designs became lighter and more whimsical, moving away from heavier Victorian styles to incorporate motifs like crescent moons, stars, and flowers. Sapphires were favored for their symbolism of loyalty and trust, while seed pearls represented purity and were often used to add delicate, light-coloured accents to these artistic pieces. Mass production also made these more accessible to the growing middle class.

Period	Pre 1900
Style	Victorian
Condition	Excellent
Materials	Gold
Main Gemstone	Sapphire
Carat for Gold	18 K

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