

Newcastle Coins

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This unique coin pays tribute to Saint Mary McKillop who will be named Australia's first saint on 17 October 2010 at a canonisation ceremony performed by His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI in Rome. The release of this most up-lifting tribute is significant for Australians of all faiths.

Proof Quality

The gold coin is struck from 1/10oz of 99.99% pure gold in proof quality.

The silver Coin is struck from 1oz of 99.99% pure silver in proof quality.



Australia's First Saint

Both the 1oz silver and 1/10oz gold proof coin's reverse depicts a coloured image of Saint Mary MacKillop.

The design also incorporates the inscription SAINT MARY MACKILLOP FIRST AUSTRALIAN SAINT, the 2010 year-date and the Perth Mint's 'P' mintmark.

The obverse of each coin depicts the Ian Rank-Broadley effigy of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and the monetary denomination.

Australian Legal Tender

Each coin is issued as Australian legal tender under the Australian Currency Act 1965. The silver coin has a legal tender value of \$1 and the gold coin a legal tender value of \$15.



Limited Mintage

No more than 2,010 of the gold coins and 7500 of the silver coins will be released.

Presentation Packaging

Each coin is housed in a presentation case and custom-designed shipper incorporating a coloured portrait of Mary MacKillop, and is accompanied by a numbered Certificate of Authenticity.