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Pinchas Kahlenberg Synagogue Interior



350 EUR

Signature : Pinchas Kahlenberg 1912-1990

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état petite déchirure dans le papier rien de grave

Material : Water color

Width : 33.5cm

Height : 48cm

Description

Pinchas Kahlenberg was born in 1912. He is the son of Rabbi Moïse Kalhenberg and Chana Gittel Kahlenberg, née Teitelbaum (July 7, 1883 - September 1942). His paternal grandfather is Rabbi Avraham Yehudah Feibush Kahlenberg, a Possek at the court of the Kopycznitzer Rebbe². His maternal grandfather is Rabbi Yisrael Mordechai Teitelbaum, a Hasid from Husyatin³. Pinchas Kahlenberg comes from a long line of rabbis and he follows their path. His origins are Hasidic, but he officiates in more modern communities. His brother, Marc Kalhenberg, is the rabbi of Brussels. Pinchas Kahlenberg has a double education: from rabbi and Hasan. Pinchas Kahlenberg's parents are interned at Camp de la Lande de Monts, in Monts, Indre-et-Loire, having taken refuge in Bordeaux, after the annexation of

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Alsace-Lorraine by the Nazis. They were deported from Drancy to Auschwitz by Convoy No. 31 on September 11, 1942 and murdered the day after their arrival at Auschwitz. A week later, his paternal grandfather was also assassinated. The two brothers, Marc and Pinchas Kahlenberg, survived the war but remained marked by the Holocaust. Pinchas Kahlenberg participated in the development of the religious youth group, Bné Akiba Européen, by giving regular lectures⁶. In exchanges of letters with the German Jewish painter Ludwig Meidner, one can perceive the interests of Pinchas Kahlenberg, in particular on the subject of the relations between Judaism (Orthodox) and painting, himself also being a watercolourist⁷.