



## Charles Brun 1825-1908 Soldier In Uniform Of The 5th Hussars, Drawing, Napoleon, Empire



320 EUR

Signature : Charles Guillaume BRUN

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Water color

Width : 25 cm

Height : 32 cm

### Description

Charles Guillaume BRUN  
Montpellier, 1825 - Paris, 1908  
Soldier in uniform of the 5th Hussars  
Drawing, watercolor, gouache and ink on paper  
Unsigned  
Stamp of the estate  
Drawing: 25 x 32 cm  
Sold in sheet, unframed  
Very good condition  
Circa 1900  
Drawing kept in a drawings board, so the paper is  
well preserved and the colors bright

Charles Brun has studied in the School of Fine  
Arts in Paris under the direction of  
François-Edouard Picot (1786-1868) then  
Alexandre Cabanel (1823-1889). His

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participation in the Salon began in 1851 with genre subjects (Young girl doing her morning prayer), but from 1853 he regularly sent Orientalist scenes, located in Algeria (The Prayer in 1859, Meeting in Constantine in 1861, Mauresque Woman in 1867), of great architectural rigor, animated by sharp contrasts in the lighting effects and showing a fine sensitivity in the modulations of gray. In addition to his many landscapes of Algeria, he also became known as a military portrait painter, painting uniforms with precision, and naturally became an official painter at the Ministry of War, where he collaborated with Alexandre Cabanel. He is also the author of church decorations, including that of Villemomble (Martyrdom of Saint Laurent, 1857). Brun became a member of French Artists from 1883.