



Paul Désiré Trouillebert (1829-1900) Oil On Canvas "bouquet Of Violets"

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Signature : Paul Désiré Trouillebert (1829-1900)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : encadrement : largeur 25 cm hauteur 19 cm

Height : chassis : largeur 22 cm hauteur 16,5 cm

Description

Paul Désiré TROUILLEBERT (1829-1900)
Bouquet of violets and love note Oil on canvas,
signed lower right Dimensions with frame: 25 x
19cm of the artwork: 22 x 16,5 cm This artwork
belongs to a particularly intimate and sought-after
series in Trouillebert's body of work. Far from his
misty landscapes inspired by Corot, these still
lifes featuring violets were tokens of friendship or
gifts offered by the artist to his close circle or
patrons. The bouquet, placed with feigned
simplicity on a lime green entablature, is
accompanied by a folded note, a recurring motif
for the artist, who liked to slip his business card
into the heart of his compositions. Although
famous for his views of the Loire, it is in these
small formats that Trouillebert reveals his
greatest sensitivity, capturing with Parisian

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elegance the language of flowers and the social etiquette of the 19th century. Anecdote about Hortense Bégard: One of the most famous versions of his bouquet of violets (dated 1880) was given to Hortense Bégard, the wife of one of his pupils, Pierre Ucciani. Condition: Oil on canvas preserved on its original stretcher and without previous restoration, it shows slight surface wear localised on the reliefs of its paint layer. Very careful shipping.