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Sebastiaen Vrancx (1573 - 1647), Attack On Travelers



7 500 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting on copper

Description

Sébastien Vrancx

Flemish painter

Antwerp 1573 - 1647 Antwerp

Attack on travelers

Oil on copper : 22,5 X 27,3 cm

Unsigned

Circa 1608

Frame : 31,2 X 36,3 cm

Dealer

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old master paintings

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Sebastiaen Vrancx was one of Flanders' most important painters of military scenes during the Eighty Years' War.

Our painting represents marauders attacking a carriage with four Flemish travellers. Their goods and jewellery are stolen, both husbands will be kidnapped, in exchange for a ransom. Vrancx painted it close to the end of the first half of that War, just before the start in 1609 of the Twelve Years' Truce.

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<https://www.jeanmoust.com/categories/battle-scenes-and-military-subjects/vrancx-sebastiaen-2023/attack-on-travellers-4253905>