

## The Provençal Mas By Antoine Serra 1908-1995



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Signature: Antoine SERRA 1908-1995

Period: 20th century
Condition: Bon état
Material: Oil painting

## Description

"Le mas provençal" By Antoine Serra 1908-1995" Beautiful oil on canvas by the great painter Antoine Serra measuring 50cm x 81cm plus slightly damaged wooden frame 63cm x 94cm Signed lower right Antoine SERRA born in 1908 in Sardinia in a very poor Arrived at the age of 6 in Marseille he had to work very early to feed himself He entered the School of Fine Arts at a very young age and won numerous prizes Politically involved, he joined Spain to fight against Franco, a proletarian painter, after the war he joined the group around Ambrogiani, Toncini, Ferrari, Sari, Diana etc... One day, without being able to shake it off, he experienced a magnetic attraction for the Alpilles which he discovered by chance. a stay, amazed by "landscapes enveloped in a light which magnifies

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the forms". He then decided to settle in this region, which he did in 1946, by purchasing an old farmhouse, renovated over the years, the "Mas du Diable", located at the foot of Les Baux de Provence He lived the last fifteen years of his life in Mouriès, a small Provençal village in the heart of the Alpilles, in a farmhouse that he had rehabilitated. He died on May 6, 1995, at the age of 87. Free shipping for the European Union