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Oil painting on canvas.

Size:cm 71x71

Signed and dated lower right Andrea Chiarantini.<sup>75</sup>

The painting depicts a bizarre and provocative still life with celery and two pears on a cushion, all with unreal colors and unnatural combinations. Painting of great decorative effect, which expresses the aesthetics of the 1970s, a period of great experimentation in Florence.

## 300 EUR

Signature : Andrea Chiarantini (Florence, 1951 - ) Period : 20th century Condition : Bon état Material : Oil painting Width : 71cm Height : 71cm

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Via Maggio 63 / rosso Firenze 50100 The author, the artist Andrea Chiarantini (born 1951), at the time of the creation of these paintings, was a student at the Faculty of Architecture in Florence. The painting, which ironically juxtaposes incompatible objects with great decorative sense, reveals the provocative spirit of the Florentine movements of the 1970s (groups Ufo, Archizoom, Superstudio). The young architect of the time will certainly have been influenced by innovative ideas in design.

In the heart of Florence in the 1970s, Radical Architecture became the spokesperson for innovative and often provocative design.

Design objects created during this period were ironic and innovative, functional in surprising ways.

Radical design opposes the advance of rationalism, preferring projects that are the expression of an alternative culture, often eccentric and unconventional. Bright colors, inspired by Pop Art, reflected the revolutionary spirit and energy of the movement, while the bold use of color served to capture attention and communicate strong messages. Finally, Radical Architecture's style was a mix of influences, ranging from utopian visions of future cities to critical and experimental reinterpretations of everyday objects. This period of great experimentation aimed to break with the past, creating objects and spaces that were tangible manifestations of radical ideals and theories.