



C27/115-original Drawing-jacob De Wit-angelots-angels Spilling Flowers-17c



1 000 EUR

Signature : JACOB DE WIT

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Paper

Length : 28 cm

Width : 19 cm

Description

Attributed to the circle of JACOB DE WIT (Amsterdam, 1695 - 1754) Angels pouring out flowers Pen and black ink, gray wash 28 cm x 19 cm Featuring an old watermark, this typically baroque drawing, superbly executed, is an iconographic rarity . If we commonly see swarms of angels in weightlessness, it is more unusual to see them arranged in a garland or pouring flowers from a basket onto the structure of a "flower fall". The image could be associated with the Virgin, of which the rose is the symbol. However, it is difficult to imagine it being a project for part of a painting such as an Assumption. It is undoubtedly more of a ceiling composition, intended to decorate the living room of a private hotel or a religious establishment. The putti mixed with flowers, evolving with an airy lightness, evoke

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the graceful repertoire of the great Dutch
decorator Jacob de Wit, who scattered children on
the ceilings or piers of the interiors of
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