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## Engraving Demachy Descourtis Saint-bernard Gate Quai De La Tournelle Paris

1 600 EUR



Signature : Demachy Descourtis

Period : 18th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Paper

Width : 100 cm

Height : 67 cm

### Description

This engraving was made by Descourtis (engraver) from a painting by Demachy around 1785. Charles-Melchior Descourtis, born in 1752 in Paris where he died on December 28, 1819, is a French engraver, specialist in engraving in colors. Pierre-Antoine Demachy (September 17, 1723, Paris - September 10, 1807, Paris) was a French artist who specialized in painting ruins, trompe l'oeil architectural decorations, and imaginative scenes of Paris. This engraving represents the Saint-Bernard bridge and the quays of la Tournelle in Paris. The Saint-Bernard Gate, also called the Tournelle Gate, now disappeared, was one of the Paris gates of the Philippe Auguste enclosure. The engraving is in color, from the 18th century, beautifully made. The frame is later, it is from the 19th century. We report

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friction and spots of freckling on the engraving,  
the paper is yellowed all around, especially in the  
margin. Note friction, wear of the gilding and  
some gaps on the frame. Everything is visible in  
the photos, however the work remains in  
acceptable condition. We sell this engraving  
without protective glass. We did a basic cleaning.  
For the condition, please detail the photos. The  
photos are an integral part of the description.  
Dimensions: Frame Height: 67 cm Width: 100 cm  
Engraving Height: 96 cm Width: 63 cm E: A4369