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Attributed To Cornelis De Baellieur I (1607 - 1671), Temptation Of St Anthony

18 500 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting on copper



Description

Attributed to Cornelis de Baellieur I Flemish painter Antwerp 1607 - 1671 Antwerp The Temptation of Saint Anthony Oil on copper : 24,5 X 32,2 cm Unsigned 18th century wooden sculpted Louis XVI frame : 44,3 X 36,7 cm Cornelis de Baellieur the Elder was an Antwerp painter who was strongly influenced by Frans Francken the Younger. Our painting partly copies a popular composition by Frans Francken II of which several versions exist: some are attributed to Frans Francken II or to his workshop, others to Cornelis de Baellieur I. Saint Anthony was the first Christian who consecrated a large part of his life to solitude: an existence of abstinence and self-denial free of earthly attachments. Our painting shows how the devil attacked his mind with lustful thoughts and his body with seductive

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or frightful creatures. All my paintings stand fully documented on my website: <https://www.jeanmoust.com/categories/biblical-mythological-and-allegorical-scenes/baellieur-attributed-to-cornelis-de/the-temptation-of-saint-anthony-4504796>