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Attributed To Herman Doncker (1595 - Circa 1650/51), Family Portrait With A Small Pony



7 800 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting on wood

Description

Attributed to Herman DonckerDutch painterHoorn, 1595 - circa 1650/51, probably in EnkhuizenA family portrait with a small ponyOil on panel : 78,0 X 90,5 cmUnsignedFrame : 95,9 X 83,2 cmOver 1 year in stock: enjoy our lower price and absolute transparency Our cost price 4.618 EUR = acquisition price 3.500 EUR + expenses 1.118 EUR (shipment 90 EUR + restoration 1.028 EUR) Our old price 11.000 EUROur new net price 7.800 EUR Our export price 7.248 EURHerman Docker was born in Hoorn, in West-Friesland. Around the age of forty he was active in Haarlem, in Holland, painting genre scenes. Some five years later he moved to Enkhuizen, which was also a West-Frisian port, like nearby Hoorn. In Enkhuizen Doncker specialised in portraits, such

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as our painting. The stiffness of his figures and the rather old-fashioned, but expensive black clothing are typical of West-Frisian portraiture. Doncker painted it during the 1640s. He must have died here around 1650/51. Early 17th century Dutch boy's portraits with ponies are extremely rare and very sought-after. In 1609 Jan Claesz., who had also been active in Enkhuizen, painted a portrait of a five-year old boy with his pony ; it is being exhibited at the Enkhuizen Town Hall.

Another boy's portrait with a small horse, dating from 1618 and attributed to Jan Claesz. was sold at Sotheby's Paris for 360.750 EUR. All my paintings stand fully documented on my website: <https://www.jeanmoust.com/categories/portraits-genre-and-exterior-scenes/doncker-attributed-to-herman/a-family-portrait-with-a-small-pony-4814211>