



The Death Of Patroclus, 18th Century, School Of Jacques-louis David (1748-1825)

5 500 EUR



Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Length : 31cm

Width : 26cm

Description

The Death of Patroclus, 18th Century School of Jacques-Louis David (1748-1825) 18th-century French Neoclassical scene depicting the Death of Patroclus, oil on panel. Of excellent quality and condition, this scene depicts the lifeless body of Patroclus, being carried from the battlefield under the protection of Melaneus and Ajax, after being killed and stripped of his armor by Hector. This scene illustrates the pivotal moment in Homer's Iliad and the Trojan War, which prompts Achilles to join the Achaeans after the death of his beloved friend. The style and period are typical of David and his circle. Presented in its original gilt frame. Provenance: Estate, Surrey, UK Dimensions: 30.5 x 25.4 cm (framed) approximately

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