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Jean Baptiste Greuze 'the Pea Feast' 38 X 46 Cm. Signed Work.



25 000 EUR

Signature : Jean Baptiste Greuze

Period : 18th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Oil painting

Width : cm. 46

Height : cm. 37

Description

Jean-Baptiste Greuze. "The Pea Feast." This charming painting depicts a humble French peasant family, immortalizing a suggestive scene of family life. The head of the family holds a basket of peas, while his two daughters, kneeling near a barrel serving as a table, are busy peeling vegetables. The mother watches over her young son, who, trousers down, goes about his business while having breakfast with a cup of milk. The spontaneity of the scene makes this domestic image a raw sample of the life of the rural poor of the mid-18th century. The genre of the scene is fully in keeping with the style of the painter Jean-Baptiste Greuze, considered an immature work of his youth. He often evoked family interiors in the Flemish manner, as evidenced by the various objects hanging on the walls, ever

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more mastering the pictorial line and the
meticulousness of the figures. The original canvas
and frame allow us to date this painting to the
mid-18th century, precisely during the refined
painter's youth. The work is signed lower right on
a wooden board. (37 x 46 cm)