



## Pair Of Orphres, 16th Century



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Period : 16th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Wool

Width : 21 cm

Height : 128,3 cm

### Description

- Two orphrey strips\* mounted on a plywood panel, 16th century work. - These orphrey strips, which probably decorated a chasuble, represent medallions of saints arranged in register. Of the six medallions initially present, five have been preserved. The study of these allows us to identify four Saints: Saint John the Baptist holding a lamb in his arms, Saint Nicholas of Myra appearing in the middle of tossed ships, Saint John the Evangelist represented with a poisoned cup from which a snake emerges, Saint Peter holding a large key. These figures of Saint are surrounded by a decorative field made up of foliage and small medallions each containing a stylized flower. - This rich decoration is composed of brown cut silk velvet, drawn elements (notably for the skin tones and faces),

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polychrome silk embroidery and gold and silver  
metallic threads. - Condition: wear and missing  
parts are to be noted (see photos) \* border  
embroidery applied to ecclesiastical clothing -  
Dimensions for the first panel: Height: 128.3 cm,  
Width: 21 cm - Dimensions for the second panel:  
Height: 125.5 cm, Width: 21.5 cm