



Portrait Of A Woman With A Rose By Gustave Boulanger (paris, 1824 - 1888)



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Signature : Gustave Boulanger (Paris, 1824 - 1888)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 46 cm

Height : 60 cm

Description

Entitled "Young Woman with a Rose," this painting delicately and elegantly captures the understated charm of a woman in a suspended moment. The figure, shown in three-quarter view, turns her head slightly toward a rose she holds between her slender fingers: the flower, a soft rose hue, draws the eye and lends a poetic dimension to the composition. The background, a subtly nuanced light blue, beautifully highlights the woman's face and brown hair. The choice of clothing--a dark garment accentuated by delicate gold details--reinforces the refinement and sobriety of the scene. The skillful interplay of light carefully highlights the delicacy of her hands, the texture of her skin, and the delicate beauty of the flower. The richly ornamented original frame completes the picture, giving it the

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aura of a small 19th-century salon painting.

Gustave Clarence Rodolphe Boulanger was born in Paris in 1824 and died in 1888. He studied art in the studios of Pierre-Jules Jollivet and then Paul Delaroche. In 1849, he won the prestigious Prix de Rome, which allowed him to live in Rome and develop a passion for archaeological research and Greco-Roman antiquity. He belonged to the Neo-Greco (or Neo-Greek) movement, alongside artists such as Jean-Léon Gérôme, meaning that he revisited antiquity with decorative flair but always with a concern for academic rigor. His work is characterized by subjects drawn from antiquity, Orientalist scenes, decorative work, and official commissions (notably for the decoration of the Opéra Garnier in Paris). He taught, influenced a generation of artists, and remains a renowned painter of his time for his stylistic elegance and decorative refinement. Oil on canvas with frame, signed G Boulanger.