Jules Benoit-lévy (1866 - 1952) - Evening Reading



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Signature : Jules Benoit-Lévy (1866 - 1952)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 46 cm

Height : 60 cm

Description

Jules Benoit Lévy (1866 - 1952) oil on canvas with frame, signed at the bottom and dated 1904.In this painting imbued with intimacy and silence, Jules Benoit-Lévy captures a suspended moment: a woman in a white dress, alone in an interior, leans under the warm glow of a lampshade. The scene, bathed in golden light, exudes a calm and meditative atmosphere, typical of genre paintings of the Belle Époque. The artist highlights the effects of chiaroscuro with great finesse: the light illuminates the reader's face and clothing, while the rest of the room remains in shadow, creating a contrast of great poetic beauty. The rendering of the fabric, the delicate modeling of the figure, and the sensitivity of the lighting all testify to the talent of Benoit-Lévy, a painter renowned for his intimate scenes and hushed

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