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Abrams (o. J.) - Christ God - Victorian Illumination



1 000 EUR

Signature : ABRAMS (O. J.)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gouache

Description

London (England), August 1878. 218 x 551 mm (mat: 431 x 848 mm), gouache and gilt paint on heavy vellum paper.Exceptional Victorian illumination depicting the words "Christ" and "God" side by side with religious iconography.Initial C: The Good Shepherd (John 10:1-42) - The haloed Christ holding a staff and a lamb, walking along a forest with a palm tree in the distance. Christ and the lamb gaze at each other.Initial D: Jesus at Gethsemane (Matthew 26:36-46) - Jesus kneeling in prayer with hands crossed on his chest, sweat flowing from his forehead, facing a chalice.On the reverse, partially printed label: "No. 67. / ILLUMINATED / BY / O. J. Abrams, / August 1878, / (Holder of Art Certificates), / TOTTENHAM, LONDON."Mysterious artist: no

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biographical information or other known production by this London illuminator holding art certificates. Unique and singular work in Victorian English production.Condition: browned paper.