



## 19th-century Oil Painting On Wood Panel, "young Woman In Meditation"



480 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting on wood

Width : 18,5 cm, encadré 31 cm

Height : 25 cm, encadré 37 cm

### Description

A charming Louis-Philippe period genre scene depicting a young woman seated on a straw chair, holding a book in her right hand. She is ready to continue reading--one of her fingers serves as a bookmark--but for the moment she is lost in thought. This is likely a religious work, as suggested by the cross hanging on the wall. Nevertheless, with her bright red habit, she is fully engaged in life. The painter, a member of the French School from the first half of the 19th century, does not present us with a nun secluded in a convent. Excellent mastery of color and successful composition. Imprecise painting technique reminiscent of sfumato. Good condition, with fine craquelure in the black skirt. Beautiful original Louis-Philippe frame.

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