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Antique 17th-century Italian Painting, Mystical Marriage Of Saint Catherine Of Alexandria



4 000 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 84

Height : 108

Depth : 3

Description

COD 11441A splendid 17th-century Italian painting. This oil on canvas artwork depicts the mystical marriage of Saint Catherine of Alexandria, recognizable by the cogwheel of martyrdom in the foreground. A princess of Alexandria, Egypt, rejected all earthly marriage, declaring herself already the bride of Christ. During a mystical vision, the Virgin appeared to her with the child, who placed a ring on her finger, sealing an eternal spiritual union. The scene is set in an intimate, domestic context, with the figures depicted in simple, contemporary clothing, reflecting a humanized interpretation attributable to mid-17th-century Lombardy. The composition, of remarkable pictorial quality, is characterized by a warm, enveloping light and a natural rendering of the figures. On the left, we

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see the Saint extending her hand and the gesture of the ring offered by Jesus. Behind her, a man in chain mail watches the scene, presumably a portrait of the patron. The Child is held in the loving arms of the Madonna, while Saint Joseph is glimpsed in the background. A rare artwork of great spiritual intensity, ideal for prestigious settings, both classical and modern. The 20th-century carved and gilded wooden frame shows various signs of aging. The painting has already been restored with re-lining, replacement of the stretcher, and repainting in some areas. Overall, it is in good condition. Internal dimensions: H 99 x W 75 cm. As each of our products it will be accompanied by a certificate of authenticity and guarantee with photographic documentation. Visit our website www.parino.it, free shipping throughout Europe in custom-made wooden crates. Buy in installments without interest.