



## Tavern Scene Att. Arend Diepraam 17th Century



2 800 EUR

Signature : Att. Arend DIEPRAAM

Period : 17th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Length : 41.5

Width : 33.5

### Description

Arend DIEPRAAM (active in the Netherlands, 17th century) Tavern Scene Oil on canvas Arend Diepraam was a 17th-century Dutch painter active in the Golden Age genre painting tradition. Close to the circle of Adriaen van Ostade, he is known for his lively tavern scenes, rendered with a warm palette and keen observation of everyday life. Dimensions: 41.5 × 33.5 cm (unframed) 55 × 48 cm (framed) Recent Dutch frame This oil on canvas powerfully and sensitively illustrates the art of 17th-century Dutch genre painting, of which Arend Diepraam is a celebrated representative. The scene unfolds in the intimacy of a tavern, a favored place of popular sociability, treated here with great keen observation and a skillfully balanced composition. The artist orchestrates the figures around several groups,

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animated by play, conversation, and rest, creating a lively and natural narrative. The mastery of chiaroscuro, the harmony of brown and gray tones, and the subtly placed touches of color lend the whole a warm and profoundly human atmosphere. The expressions and attitudes, rendered with great accuracy, testify to the attention paid to psychological detail. This work belongs to the great tradition of the Dutch Golden Age, heir to masters such as Adriaen and Isaac van Ostade, while also asserting its own distinct personality. The balanced format and the quality of execution make it a choice piece, equally suited to a discerning collector, a museum display, or a prestigious sale. Presented in a recent Dutch frame, this painting offers a rare and captivating glimpse into daily life in the 17th century, combining historical value, artistic merit, and strong decorative appeal.