



## Painting "in The Mist", By G. Lhermitte - 1930



900 EUR

Signature : Georges Lhermitte

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Painted wood

Width : 64 cm

Height : 47 cm

Depth : 4 cm

### Description

In this 1934 oil on panel, Georges Lhermitte immerses us in an exquisitely delicate maritime scene, where silence seems to have taken hold of the world. The painting depicts a solitary sailboat, gliding slowly across a calm sea, enveloped in a thick, cottony mist. The gray sail, taut yet serene, captures the diffuse light of the sky, while human figures stand aboard, almost frozen in waiting or contemplation. The mist is omnipresent, blurring the horizon, merging sky and sea into a single vaporous expanse. It softens the contours, absorbs sounds, and lends the scene an atmosphere of suspended dreams. The reflection of the boat in the water, barely disturbed by a few ripples, reinforces this impression of absolute calm. Lhermitte's palette is subtle: pearl grays, cool blues, and sea greens, which blend into one

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another with great mastery. Nothing jars the eye; Everything invites contemplation. The gilded frame surrounding the work adds a touch of solemnity, as if to underscore the silent nobility of this scene. This painting is not simply a seascape: it is a visual meditation on time, solitude, and the fragile beauty of suspended moments. It evokes inner journeys as much as physical travel, and leaves us, too, feeling a little lost... in the mist. Georges Lhermitte (1882-1967) was a French painter and architect. He studied at the École des Beaux-Arts in Paris and practiced as an architect in Nantes, where he also taught. Alongside his professional work, he painted numerous seascapes, especially along the Atlantic coast (Brittany, Vendée, etc.). His style is gentle and soothing, with light colors and often misty scenes. He loved to depict calm seas, boats, and silent harbors. He was a member of the Saint-Nazaire Artistic Group. Discreet yet talented, Lhermitte left behind a sensitive and poetic body of work, inspired by the sea and light.

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