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Pardon At The Trémalo Chapel In Pont-aven - Jean-bertrand Pégot-ogier - Brittany



3 800 EUR

Signature : Jean-Bertrand Pégot

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting on cardboard

Width : sans cadre 17 cm

Height : sans cadre 27 cm

Description

Dimensions: unframed 27 x 17 cm, framed 51 x 41 cm. Oil on cardboard, signed lower left. Jean Pégot-Ogier (1877 - 1915): Jean-Bertrand Pégot-Ogier, born on May 7, 1877 in Salamanca, Spain, was a French painter, engraver, illustrator, photographer, and writer whose career was deeply rooted in the Breton artistic landscape of the Belle Époque. From a cultured family, he grew up in Hennebont where his father, a writer, photographer, and art lover, created an artistic atmosphere that stimulated his curiosity from a very early age. Pégot-Ogier studied at the lycée in Lorient and turned to painting at the dawn of the 20th century. While on holiday in Concarneau, he met Théophile Deyrolle and Alfred Guillou, major figures of the Concarneau School, who influenced his early pictorial explorations and

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awakened in him a sensitivity linked to the landscape and Breton culture. He exhibited for the first time in Paris at the Salon des Artistes Français in 1900 and 1901, showing scenes inspired by Breton life. Gradually, he moved away from stereotypical picturesque themes and developed a more personal artistic language, oscillating between Impressionism and Synthetism, where brushstrokes, light, and color became instruments for expressing a deeper connection to Brittany and its traditions. His work, entirely devoted to Breton themes--scenes of pardons (religious festivals), landscapes, figures of daily life--bears witness to a dual influence: on the one hand, the realist teaching of Concarneau, and on the other, the more modern aesthetic of the Pont-Aven School and painters like Henry Moret, who tempered his line and enriched his use of color. Mobilized at the beginning of the First World War, Pégot-Ogier died at the front on October 2, 1915, in Moulin-sous-Touvent (Oise).