



Charles Houben (1871-1931) Snow-covered Barges

680 EUR



Signature : Charles Houben (1871-1931)

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 102,5

Height : 72

Description

Oil on canvas depicting barges in a winter landscape, bathed in light that creates a serene and peaceful atmosphere. Signed lower left by the Belgian artist Charles Houben, associated with Impressionism and Luminism (a Belgian artistic movement). Charles Houben's work is characterized by his ability to capture light and atmospheric vibrations. He uses a clear and luminous palette, typical of the Luminists. His brushstrokes are quick and vibrant, seeking to seize the moment and its reflections. He primarily painted scenes of canals and undergrowth, landscapes (Flanders, the Ardennes, the area around Namur), and views of bustling cities (he notably painted Venice), often animated by a hazy or sunlit atmosphere. Charles Houben studied painting in Liège, then architecture in

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Brussels. For his fine arts training, he studied painting under Alfred Bastien. Many famous painters of his time were his friends, such as Prosper de Wit, Géo Bernier, and Jean Gouweloos.

Charles Houben has an established reputation in the Belgian and international art market. His works are held in several public collections, notably the Royal Museums of Fine Arts of Belgium. Good condition. Canvas dimensions: 90.3 x 72 cm. Frame dimensions: 102.5 x 60 cm. Shipping by parcel with appropriate protection, price upon request. Contact me at +33 6 78 87 61

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