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# A Gallant Scene In A Park By Hippolyte Garneray 1787-1858



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Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Length : 55 x 46 hors cadre

Width : 76 x 66 total

## Description

Original oil on canvas signed by Hippolyte Garneray (1787-1858), depicting an elegant, lively courting scene in a Neoclassical-inspired park. The particularly refined composition harmoniously combines figures in period costumes, garden architecture, and lush vegetation in a warm and balanced palette. The finely characterized figures demonstrate the artist's narrative sense and elegance, inherited from the 18th-century tradition and revisited with the Romantic sensibility of the 19th century. Hippolyte Garneray, a pupil of Jacques-Louis David, is best known for his seascapes, but is also highly regarded for his lively landscapes and genre scenes, now sought after by collectors. A former sailor and official painter of the French Navy, he developed a body of work marked by

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great mastery of drawing, a supple touch, and a poetic atmosphere. This work belongs to the artist's mature period and is a fine example of his charming scenes, combining pictorial quality with decorative subject matter. The painting is presented in a perfectly fitting gold frame, which remarkably enhances the painting and contributes to the overall elegance.