



Cusco School (xx) - Our Lady Of The Sierra



480 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Description

Oil and gold pigments on burlap. Cuzco painting represents an exquisite syncretic synthesis, unique in viceregal art, a visual phenomenon that crystallized the profound Andean spirituality and the fervor of Catholicism brought by Europeans. Born in Cuzco during the colonial period, this school is distinguished by its saints and Madonnas dressed in sumptuous garments adorned with the gold brocade (estofado) technique, reflecting the gold of the earth. These figures, with their hieratic faces and devout gestures, inhabit not only the Christian heavens but are also integrated into the elements of Peruvian nature: their frames and backgrounds are populated with exotic birds and vibrant flowers of the Amazon rainforest, bearing witness to the devotion of a people who divide their

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prayers between the immensity of the snow-capped, unfathomable peaks of the Apus Mountains and the venerated figures of Catholicism. This art, imbued with a vibrant autonomy, transforms European codes into a pictorial language authentically rooted in Andean cultural identity. - Image dimensions without frame: 44 x 60 cm / 59 x 75 cm with custom frame.