17th Century Old Master Baroque Genre Scene Oil On Canvas Street Dice Players



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Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 63 cm

Height : 76 cm

Description

This expressive genre scene, an oil on canvas, presents a magnificent example of Baroque-era painting. The dramatic narrative of the "dice game" subject - where the emotions of an easy victory, the disappointment of an unfortunate loss, and detached, condescending sarcasm intertwine - creates the sensation of an almost theatrical performance. Working masterfully with the palette and the contrast of light and shadow, the artist has captured on canvas the mood inherent to 17th-century Caravaggism. This antique painting will not merely decorate an interior; it will bring the atmosphere and aesthetic of the 17th century into the space, becoming a captivating focal point for any discerning collection.DETAILS:Artist: Unidentified. The reverse retains a handwritten label, presumably

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early 19th-century, referencing Pilkington's Dictionary.Medium: Oil on canvas.Dimensions (approx.): 76 x 63 cm (29.9 x 24.8 inches).Condition: Overall in good condition considering age: wear, losses, retouches and repairs of tears. The canvas underwent relining and primary restoration in the mid-19th century.Frame: Unframed.Provenance: Swedish private collection.Shipping: Approx. weight 1.5 kg; packed approx. weight 3 kg. Secure, insured worldwide shipping available.Notes: Please refer to the high-resolution photographs that form part of the condition report. Colors and tonal values may vary when viewed in person, depending on viewing conditions and ambient lighting.