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Giovanni Riva (turin 1890 - Turin 1973) - Venice, View Of The Basin Of San Marco.



800 EUR

Signature : Giovanni Riva (Turin 1890 - Turin 1973)

Period : 20th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Oil painting on cardboard

Length : 24

Height : 18

Description

Giovanni Riva (Turin 1890 - Turin 1973) - Venice, view of the Basin of San Marco with the Doge's Palace. 18 x 24 cm (without frame) - 29 x 34 cm (with frame). Oil on cardboard, in a period carved wood frame. Signed lower right: «RIVA». The Turinese painter Giovanni Riva returned frequently to Venetian views, rendering them with a free and textured brushwork that draws on the European Impressionist tradition as reinterpreted through early twentieth-century Italian sensibility. The painting depicts the Basin of San Marco with the Doge's Palace seen from the water: the Gothic façade of the building occupies the middle ground of the composition, flanked on the left by a bell tower, while in the foreground gondolas animate the lagoon with rapid, luminous strokes reminiscent of the typical

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repertoire of Canaletto's figures. The brushwork is loose and synthetic, favouring atmospheric effect over the precise rendering of architectural detail. Condition report: Good state of conservation of the pictorial surface.- All shipments to the EU are free and professionally packaged. - This item is sold with a certificate of authenticity with legal validity. - Further details on the condition report are available upon request.

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