17th Century School Christ On The Cross Oil On Canvas



450 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Description

Moving depiction of Christ on the cross, treated with great dramatic intensity in the deep chiaroscuro characteristic of 17th-century painting.The slender body of Christ, bathed in cold light, stands out powerfully against a dark, almost nocturnal background. Head tilted skyward, arms outstretched, the figure expresses restrained suffering imbued with spirituality. The anatomical treatment, precise and sensitive, accentuates the human and sacred dimension of the subject.In the background, subtle touches of light hint at a distant landscape, reinforcing the depth of the composition and the dramatic solitude of the scene.This work is part of the tradition of 17th-century European schools, marked by the influence of Caravaggesque naturalism:strong contrast between light and

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shadowhighlighting of the body through directed lightingsober compositionemotional intensityIt bears witness to a search for truth and spirituality typical of religious painting of this period.Good overall condition.Ancient wear and restoration, consistent with age.Representations of Christ on the cross occupy a central place in 17th-century painting, a period when artists sought to reinforce the emotional and devotional impact of images. This work captivates with its sobriety, expressive power and strong contemplative power. Presented in a gilded wooden frame