



Battle Scene, Michelangelo Cerquozzi (rome 1602-1660) Circle

3 800 EUR



Signature : Michelangelo Cerquozzi (Rome, 1602 - 1660)
cercle

Period : 17th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : encadré 66 cm.

Height : encadré 55 cm.

Description

Michelangelo Cerquozzi (Rome 1602-1660)
circle Battle Scene oil on canvas 38 x 48 cm. with
frame 55 x 66 cm. The compositional and stylistic
characteristics of this delightful battle scene, such
as its dramatic intensity and dynamic
composition, suggest a close connection to the
work of the painter Michelangelo Cerquozzi
(Rome 1602-1660), known precisely as the
"Michelangelo of Battles" for his mastery of this
genre, and one of the most celebrated exponents
of Roman Baroque painting. Our work, in
particular, captures the moment following a clash,
with the knights about to assess the immediate
aftermath of the battle. The detail of the landscape
in the background is beautiful, featuring a city
and an ancient hilltop fortress which, though
barely recognizable, offers a realistic view of the

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suburban areas of the Eternal City. Scenes of this type were intended for 17th- and 18th-century collections not so much to celebrate grand war themes, but to decorate noble and bourgeois residences: battle paintings were particularly popular during the Baroque era and were often inspired by actual military events of the time, in an age of wars and armies that continually invaded Italian territory. The style evident in the canvas is a unique fusion of Italian tradition and the influence of Northern European painters present in Rome. This blend is a distinctive feature of Cerquozzi's oeuvre, as he successfully combined the analytical attention to detail typical of the Flemish school with the narrative composition and chromatic sensibility of the Roman painting tradition. The work is in good condition, with a sound paint layer and some minor restoration points. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** The work is sold complete with a charming antique frame and is accompanied by a certificate of authenticity and a descriptive iconographic sheet. We handle and arrange the transport of purchased works, both within Italy and internationally, using professional and insured carriers. You can also view the painting at our gallery in Riva del Garda; we would be delighted to welcome you and show you our collection of works. If the work is purchased by international clients, an export permit will be required, which takes approximately 10-20 days to process; our gallery will handle the entire process until the permit is obtained. All costs associated with this procedure are included. Please contact us, with no obligation, for any additional information. Follow us on: <https://www.instagram.com/galleriacastelbarco/> <https://www.facebook.com/galleriacastelbarco/>