Etienne Jeaurat - The Temptation Of Saint Anthony



3 500 EUR

Signature : Etienne JEAURAT

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 50 cm (59 cm avec le cadre)

Height : 61 cm (70 cm avec le cadre)

Description

Etienne JEAURATVermenton, 1699 - Versailles, 1789 La tentation de Saint AntoineHuile on canvas61 x 50 cm (70 x 59 cm with frame)Signed and dated on the left "E. Jeaurat / p. 1776"Very good conditionOld refinishing (1927)Very fine frame, restoration periodOur painting recalls a very similar composition by Etienne Jeaurat, "Les Chartreux en méditation", which he exhibited at the Salon of 1759 and which is now conserved in the church of Saint Bernard de la Chapelle in Paris (close subject treated as a landscape with similar types of figures and elements that can be found directly, such as the architecture with cutaway panels, and plants with large leaves).The subject here of the Temptation of Saint Anthony brings an added charm: the Saint is tempted by the Devil, who presents him with a young girl,

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adding a little genre scene to the composition. But at the same time, it's a lovely landscape, painted in beautiful green tones and with a wealth of details that are as much still life as Jeaurat's (here, in particular, the pig, the book, the cross, the trough and the plants).