



Pair Of Pastoral Scenes. Oil On Leather. Ferretées



4 000 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Leather

Width : 49 cm

Height : 67 cm

Description

This is decorative work made from leather, decorated using stamping, gilding and painting techniques. The term "ferreté" refers to the use of heated irons (or "ferrets"), with which patterns are imprinted on the leather surface, creating characteristic reliefs and textures. During the 18th century in France, these techniques saw notable development in the decorative arts for aristocratic and bourgeois interiors. Leather was first tanned and prepared, then a base coat was applied, usually silver or gold; it was then stamped with these irons ("ferrets") and finally painted

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