



## Desnoyer François, Watercolor And Gouache Portrait Of A Seated Woman, Signed 20th Century



500 EUR

Signature : François Desnoyer

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Paper

Width : 40

Height : 48

### Description

A watercolor gouache depicting woman seated three-quarters, wearing a green and brown striped shawl over a red and blue striped blue and red striped skirt Signed lower right

François Desnoyer Wood frame, coaster Period: mid-20th century Dimensions : framed 48x40cm, view 31x24 cm Good condition François Desnoyer (1894-1975), French painter. In 1913, he moved to Paris to pursue his studies, attending the Ecole des Arts Décoratifs and studied with Antoine Bourdelle. During the First World War, he was wounded three times and taken prisoner. During his captivity, he continued to draw. From the 1920-30, he quickly won awards and distinctions, which made him to the general public. In 1945, Desnoyer discovered the Mediterranean. He was immediately seduced by

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the light and colors of the region. Mediterranean landscapes became a major source of inspiration. He was also a talented portraitist. In 1975, the Fondation François Desnoyer was created in Saint-Cyprien. Its mission is to preserve and disseminate the artist's work. Desnoyer is considered one of the most important painters of the second half of the 20th century.