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19th Century After Van Brekelenkam Dutch Genre Scene Saying Grace Oil Panel



730 EUR

Signature : Quiringh van Brekelenkam

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting on wood

Width : 44,8 cm

Height : 55 cm

Description

This captivating genre composition, painted in oil on a wooden panel in the 19th century by an unknown artist, represents a masterful reinterpretation of the masterpiece "Old Woman Saying Grace" (also known as Saying Grace or The Grace / Le Bénédicité) from the brush of the Dutch Golden Age master Quiringh van Brekelenkam (1620-1668). Unpretentious and simple is the motif of the painting, but behind this intimacy hides a deep philosophical resonance. The canvas reveals before us a symbolic subject of sincere piety and quiet virtue. The artist, following Brekelenkam's original with striking skill, lovingly renders every detail of the canvas: a kitchen interior with a fireplace and a spinning wheel, an elderly woman with hands folded in prayer before a modest meal, and a cat sleeping

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peacefully at her feet. Executed with the highest respect for the 17th-century original, this work will become a truly magnificent acquisition for discerning collectors seeking the unique heritage of the Dutch/Flemish Baroque era.DETAILS:Artist: Unsigned, unidentified European professional painter of the second half of the 19th century. The original work by the artist Quiringh van Brekelenkam is dated to around 1648-1654. Currently on display at the Musée du Louvre, Salle 837 Aile Richelieu, Niveau 2.Medium: Oil on wooden panel.Image dimensions (approx.): 55 x 44.8 cm (21.7 x 17.6 inches).Condition: Overall in good condition, commensurate with its age, with minor paint loss and losses to the edges caused by previous framing.Frame: Unframed.Provenance: Swedish private collection.Shipping: Approx. weight 1.4 kg; packed approx. weight 2-3 kg. Secure, insured worldwide shipping available.Notes: Please refer to the high-resolution photographs that form part of the condition report. Colors and tonal values may vary when viewed in person, depending on viewing conditions and ambient lighting.