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Jean-georges Pasquet (1851-1936) The Biarritz Lighthouse And The Beach In The Basque Country

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Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Description

An oil on canvas by Jean-Georges Pasquet (Périgueux, 1851-1936) depicting a view of the Basque coast: the foreground features a beach and a path winding through wild grasses, overlooked on the left by a rocky cliff, while the Biarritz lighthouse stands out against the Atlantic Ocean in the distance. It is a luminous work of striking contrasts, featuring the artist's characteristic vibrant palette and demonstrating the application of Impressionist principles to a realistic landscape. 38 x 55 cm

A native of Périgueux, Jean-Georges Pasquet attended the École des Beaux-Arts in Paris--graduating with honors--and studied under Gustave Boulanger, Jules Lefebvre, and Jean-Joseph Benjamin-Constant. Upon returning to the Périgord region in 1879, he became the director of the Municipal School of

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Drawing in Périgueux. A landscape painter associated with the Périgueux School, he set up his easel along the banks of the Dordogne and Isle rivers but also traveled along the Atlantic coast--specifically the Royan and Saint-Georges-de-Didonne area--and through the Basque Country, producing beautiful views of Biarritz and the Bay of Saint-Jean-de-Luz. Signed lower right