



The Vision Of Constantine, Oil On Copper, Northern School, 17th Century.

3 500 EUR



Period : 17th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Oil painting on copper

Length : 30,5 cm

Height : 25,5 cm

Description

Oil on copper depicting "The Vision of Constantine," Northern School, dating from the second half of the 17th century. Private collection. In perfect condition. Dimensions: Frame: W 30.5 cm x H 25.5 cm. Copper: W 25 cm x H 19.5 cm. History: Emperor Constantine the Great and his army were at war against one of the Western Augusti, Maxentius. According to legend, before the Battle of the Milvian Bridge, Constantine is said to have prayed with his army, and a cross appeared in the sky. According to Eusebius of Caesarea, he is said to have received a revelation from Christ: "In hoc signo vinces" -- "By this sign you will conquer."

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