



Portrait Of A Clergyman - Early 17th-century French School



1 750 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 48 cm et 58 cm avec le cadre

Height : 54 cm et 64 cm avec le cadre

Description

An elegant portrait of a clergyman depicted in bust view and facing forward, wearing a dark coat with a blue lapel peeking out. The subject has a gentle and dignified countenance, enlivened by slightly rosy cheeks and a serene gaze. The long, curly hair, the delicate rendering of the skin tones, and the balanced composition link this work to the French portrait tradition of the late reign of Louis XIV and the early 18th century. A cross suspended from a red ribbon adorns the figure's chest. It could represent a symbol of devotion, office, or ecclesiastical dignity, though it cannot be identified with certainty. The understated, centered composition stands out against a neutral background that particularly highlights the model's face and benevolent expression. Oil on canvas, previously re-stretched

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and mounted on a modern frame. In good overall condition considering its age. Some wear, slight lifting, and an old horizontal mark above the cross are worth noting. Please examine the photographs carefully. Period: early 18th century School: French Technique: oil on re-stretched canvas Dimensions: Viewable area: 58 × 48 cm With frame: 64 × 54 cm We deliver and ship worldwide. Please contact us for an accurate quote.