



Marco Liberi (venice, C. 1644 - After 1691) - Saint Anthony Of Padua With The Child.



9 000 EUR

Signature : Marco Liberi (Venise vers 1644 - après 1691)

Period : 17th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Oil painting

Length : 73

Height : 85

Description

Marco Liberi (Venice c.1644 - after 1691) - Saint Anthony of Padua with the Christ Child. 85 x 73 cm. Oil on canvas, unframed. Son and pupil of Pietro Liberi (Padua 1605 - Venice 1687), one of the leading figures of Venetian painting in the second half of the 17th century, Marco Liberi trained in his father's workshop. There he worked alongside his father for many years and inherited his stylistic legacy. He was active mainly in Venice, where he painted both sacred and secular subjects, following the elegant and sensual taste that had made the workshop so successful. The painting shows the hallmarks of the artist's language: soft, luminous flesh tones modelled with delicate chiaroscuro, and a warm palette built on golden and brown hues. The brushwork is fluid and confident, especially in the rendering

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of the habit and the background. Stylistic comparisons with the artist's documented works allow the canvas to be attributed to him with confidence. The composition shows the Saint at half length, in his Franciscan habit, hands joined, gazing upwards. The Christ Child stands on a cloud and embraces him around the neck, pressing his smiling face against the Saint's cheek. The luminous golden background, crossed by clouds, emphasises the supernatural nature of the vision. In the lower left corner, the branch of white lilies recalls the Saint's iconographic attribute of purity. Condition report: Lined canvas. Good state of preservation of the painted surface. All shipments within the EU are free and professionally packaged. This item is sold with a legally valid certificate of authenticity. Further details regarding the condition report are available upon request. Viezzi Arte guarantees quality and professionalism at competitive prices; contact us at info@viezziarte.it or via WhatsApp at +39 3402841279. Notice to non-Italian buyers: This artwork has not yet obtained the certificate of free export from Italy, issued by the Superintendence of Cultural Heritage, which certifies that the artwork does not belong to Italy's cultural heritage and may therefore be freely exported. The legislation in effect starting in 2026 provides for shorter processing times for works with a declared value of less than EUR50,000, determined at the discretion of the expert commission: on average, 2-3 weeks from the submission of the request. All costs related to this procedure are included in the price. Rendering Disclaimer: The environment images are AI-generated for illustrative purposes and may not reflect the artwork's actual proportions.