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Panoramic Panel Depicting Wading Birds By Ermes d'Odorico, 1955 - 178 Cm

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Signature : D'Odorico Ermes

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Length : 178 cm

Height : 100.5 cm

Description

Panoramic Panel Depicting Wading Birds by Ermes D'Odorico, 1955- 178 cm Object Type: Painting / Decorative Panel Artist: Ermes D'ODORICO (20th century) Period: 20th century - 1950s (Dated 1955) Technique: Oil on plywood panel Condition: Very good condition. Sound paint layer, vivid and fresh colors. Presented in its original gilded wooden frame (very slight signs of wear on the frame). Panel dimensions: 178 cm x 100.5 cm (without the frame) Location: Centre-Val de Loire region, Vierzon area (Cher - 18) Asking price: EUR1,700 An impressive and spectacular panoramic decorative panel painted in oil on plywood by the Italian painter Ermes D'Odorico, signed and dated 1955 in the lower right corner. This monumental work, nearly 1.80 meters wide, offers a striking immersion

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into an idyllic and lush aquatic landscape. The composition masterfully features a group of seven wading birds (crowned cranes and herons) going about their business in the foreground along the banks of a cascading stream. In the background, the perspective opens onto a wooded plain where one can make out a colony of flamingos, all crowned by a mountainous landscape bathed in soft light. Here, the artist displays a remarkable richness of color, playing brilliantly on the contrasts between the copper-hued autumn foliage and the golden vegetation.

Iconography & Context of the Artist
Painter: A discreet and sought-after figure of the École de Paris, **Ermes D'Odorico** became known primarily during the interwar period for his surrealist works imbued with classicism, situated at the crossroads of **Giorgio De Chirico's** pure surrealism and the rigor of the Italian Renaissance (**Bronzino**), as exemplified by his famous painting **Maternité Surréaliste** (1938), listed by **Galerie Lhoste**. Dated 1955, this large panel illustrates a fascinating post-surrealist and animal-themed turning point in the artist's career. With its exceptional dimensions and wooden panel, this unique piece was conceived as a large-scale decorative commission, intended to lavishly adorn the wall of a prestigious residence, a grand salon, or a reception room. With its "Jungle & Exotic Birds" aesthetic, this work possesses a very strong visual impact and highly decorative appeal, fitting perfectly into the sought-after trend of Mid-Century design and the grand decor of the 1950s.

Delivery, Shipping & Pickup: Due to the artwork's oversized dimensions (178 cm in length), standard mail delivery (Colissimo, Mondial Relay) is not possible. On-site pickup: Pick up directly on-site in the Vierzon area (Cher - 18). Easy access (immediately adjacent to the A71, A20, and A85 highways). Delivery by carrier: Shipping is possible via a carrier specializing in artwork (or a service such as Mail Boxes Etc. / Cocolis) based on a quote, with shipping costs borne by the buyer.