Julio Viera (1934-2023) -- "my Friend The Poet"



750 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Description

- Oil on canvas. Original canvas. Hand-signed and dated.- This portrait, dated 1963, exudes that *sprezzatura* so typical of the 1960s--an undeniable mark of genius--and bears the signature of the Canarian artist Julio Viera. An artist as eclectic as he is elusive, defying the aesthetic labels of his era, Viera navigates from the most dreamlike surrealism to existential figuration with an elegance that is both nonchalant and magnetic. With his neck wrapped in a sweater in earthy tones, his haughty gaze lost toward an inner horizon against a backdrop of melancholic gray, Viera projects onto the canvas the figure of a cosmopolitan dandy--an heir to both the historical avant-garde and a boldly reinterpreted classicism. He thus reminds us that his creative universe is a borderland where the

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most refined bohemian spirit is in constant dialogue with the mystery of the human condition.- Dimensions of the artwork without frame: 49 x 60 cm / 57 x 68 cm with an exclusive, custom-made frame.