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18th-century View Of Paris' Place Des Victoires

200 EUR



Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Paper

Description

Perspective View - Place des Victoires in Paris - Watercolor engraving - 18th century18th-century perspective view (circa 1770-1780) depicting the Place des Victoires in Paris, titled: "Perspective View of the Place des Victoires, where the standing figure of Louis the Great and the angel crowning him are made of gilded bronze and cast in a single piece by Mr. Desjardins in the year 1686".Etching on laid paper, enhanced with very fresh period watercolor. As was customary for prints intended to be viewed through a zograscope (an optical device that creates a 3D effect), the title at the top is printed in mirror image.The lively scene depicts the former monumental statue of Louis XIV surrounded by its original railing and lanterns, which was destroyed during the French Revolution. In

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excellent condition, with vivid and well-preserved colors (see photos). Mounted under glass in an elegant Napoleon III frame made of blackened wood with gilded trim and a blue-gray mat, ready to hang.Dimensions with frame: