

SA1079151

Viggo Pedersen, Landscape With Oak Trees, Lake & Horses - Antique Oil Painting

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1079151****Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 103 cm (40.6")

Width = 124 cm (48.8")

Depth = 7 cm (2.8")

Description

This extensive early 20th-century oil painting by Danish artist Viggo Pedersen (1854-1926) depicts a sunlit lake, mature oak trees, hayfield, horses and figure. It's a large work, almost certainly intended for exhibition. Pedersen was an important member of the Danish artistic community and worked tirelessly to evolve his style throughout his successful career. Over time, his brushwork became looser and more expressive, which brought him closer to the progressive European artists of his generation. In 1891, he co-founded Den Frie Udstilling (The Free Exhibition), established as a rebellion against the traditional views of the Danish Academy. Eminent contemporaries such as Vilhelm Hammershøi, Peder Severin Krøyer, Kristian Zahrtmann, Paul Gauguin and Vincent van Gogh exhibited there. Here, in this masterly piece from around 1920, the subject is sunlight with each element presented with contrasting degrees of illumination. It's a symphony of light effects, composed by nature herself. The trees, striking in near-silhouette, are juxtaposed with the buoyancy of a shimmering lake. While the clouds, captured in all their complexity, appear to pass over us, caught by a light b...

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