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Pinchus Krémègne Seated Nude Painting Oil On Canvas Signed Lower Left "Kremegne"

Price

GBP 3,950

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Item Reference: SA1132782**Date of manufacture: 1950**

Dimensions

Height = 73 cm (28.7")

Width = 50 cm (19.7")

Description

Pinchus KREMEGNE - Seated Nude - circa 1950 Oil on canvas Signed lower left "Kremegne" 73.0 x 50.0 cm / 28 3/4 x 19 3/4 in. Kremegne (Lithuanian, 1890-1981) Brought from Paris Gallery by present owner Biography Pinchus Kremegne was a Lithuanian painter and sculptor. He was born near Vilnius, where at the age of 19 he enrolled at the School of Fine Arts. As a student in Vilnius, he became friends with Chaim Soutine and Michel Kikoine. Due to Kremegne's Jewish heritage and the growing anti-semitic sentiments, he realised that if he were to reach his full artistic potential he would have to leave. In 1912 he left for Paris, specifically La Ruche in Montparnasse. Kremegne urged his friend Soutine to also make the move to Paris, as Kikoine had already done in 1911. Kremegne at first practised sculpting and exhibited pieces at Salon des Indépendents in 1914. From 1915, however, he focused on painting. Cubism, Fauvism and Expressionism had a particularly strong influence on his style. He became part of a tightly knit community of artists who lived and worked in Montparnasse, among them Chaim Soutine and Michel Kikoine, André Derain, Maurice de Vlaminck, Max Jacob, Marc ...

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