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Mid-18th-Century English School, Portrait Of A Girl With A Posy - Antique Oil Painting

Price

GBP 3,700

| USD \$5,007 | EUR 4,329

Item Reference: SA1133366

Date of manufacture: 18th Century

Dimensions

Height = 100 cm (39.4")

Width = 81 cm (31.9")

Depth = 5 cm (2.0")

Description

This exceedingly charming mid-18th-century English oil painting depicts a girl wearing a red gown with a train over a white petticoat. She's holding a posy or nosegay. Evidently once commissioned for an English country house, the identity of this young lady remains a mystery. Her gown appears to be inspired by the popular 'robe à la française' but with modifications due to her age. These remained fashionable until around 1770 when replaced by the 'robe à l'anglaise'. It's accessorized with decorative sleeve ruffles and a pleated train, while her hair is adorned with an intriguing fascinator created from colourful flora and feathers. Held in a later frame. Medium: Oil on canvas Overall size: 32" x 39½" / 81cm x 100cm Year of creation: c. 1740 Provenance: The Estate of David Pike, UK. Condition: Cleaned. Canvas relined. Fine craquelure throughout. The paint layer is stable. Later stretcher. Frame in good condition with minor age-related wear. Our reference: BRV2118

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