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Genoese School (XVII) Painting
of the Penitent Mary
Magdelene Comforted by
Angels, Attributed to Gian
Lorenzo Bertolotto (1640 -
1721)
Price

GBP 3,790

| USD \$5,129 | EUR 4,435

Item Reference: SA1146629

Date of manufacture: 17th Century

Dimensions

Height = 108 cm (42.5")

Width = 150 cm (59.1")

Depth = 3 cm (1.2")

Description

Artist: Genoese School (XVII), Attributed to Gian Lorenzo Bertolotto (1640 - 1721) Title: Penitent Mary Magdelene Comforted by Angels Date: Circa late 17th century Overall size with the frame is 150cm x 108cm x 3cm and the painting itself measured at 128cm x 88cm Biography: Gian Lorenzo Bertolotto has only recently been rediscovered thanks to the research of Camillo Manzitti and Gianluca Zanelli. The artist was a pupil of his father, Michelangelo (still alive in 1674, but of whom no work has survived) and of G. B. Castiglione. Bertolotto appears to have had a short yet prolific career. He is listed as a pupil of the renowned Genose painter Domenico Piola, with other sources listing him also being the pupil of Giovanni Benedetto Castiglione, Paolo Gerolamo, and Gregorio De Ferrari. 25 September 1646 and died there on 7 April 1720 Description: The style, composition and type of painting positions this work within the Genoese School of the 17th century. The Genoese school developed early in the 17th century and took influence from Italian artists of the late 16th century as well as the Flemish artists Rubens and Van Dyck who visited the region to study the work of t...

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