

SA1194578

"The Roaring Lion" – Rare 1964 Life Portrait of Sir Winston Churchill Oil on Canvas

Price

GBP 4,750

| USD \$6,432 | EUR 5,558

Item Reference: SA1194578**Date of manufacture: 1960**

Dimensions

Height = 60 cm (23.6")

Width = 50.5 cm (19.9")



Description

An exceptional and poignant original "The Roaring Lion" oil-on-canvas portrait of Sir Winston Churchill, dated 1964. Captured in the final year of his life, this work offers a powerful study of the great statesman, moving the nation "War Rooms" image to reveal a legend. "The Roaring Lion" was a black and white photograph taken in 1941 by Yousuf Karsh of a 67 year old Winston Churchill as Prime Minister of the United Kingdom. Technique: Masterfully rendered in the Mid-Century Realist style. The artist utilizes dramatic chiaroscuro (light and shadow) to emphasize Churchill's iconic features, creating a sense of three-dimensional depth and monumental character. Historical Significance: Dated '64, this is one of the last portraits painted during Churchill's lifetime. It captures the "Bulldog" brilliantly. The Artist: Signed with a distinctive, modern "grid" monogram. This stylized signature identifies the work as a professional commission from a mid-century studio. Condition: Good Dimensions: The Canvas measures 51cm x 41cm (approx. 20" x 16"). Frame measures 60cm x 50.5cm (approx. 24" x 20"). Medium: Original Oil on Canvas. Framing: Housed in its original period g...

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