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**Portrait Drawing Music
Composer Frédéric Chopin
(1810–1849 Polish) Pen Ink
Wash & Gouache Painting**

Price

GBP 130

| USD \$176 | EUR 152

Item Reference: SA1224037**Date of manufacture: Later than 1960**

Dimensions

Height = 42 cm (16.5")

Width = 33.5 cm (13.2")

Depth = 1.5 cm (0.6")

Description

(1 OF 4) Available Separately Pen Ink Wash & Gouache Painting On Board Preserved Under Glass. ABOUT CHOPIN Frédéric Chopin (1810–1849) was a Polish composer and virtuoso pianist of the Romantic era. Celebrated as the "poet of the piano," he wrote almost exclusively for the instrument. Renowned for his poetic lyricism, he elevated forms like the nocturne, mazurka, and étude into cornerstones of the classical repertoire. Key Details and LegacyThe "Poet of the Piano": Chopin transformed piano playing, focusing on deeply expressive, nuanced, and technically demanding music. He avoided large orchestral pieces and wrote primarily for solo keyboard.Early Life in Poland: Born in Zelazowa Wola, Poland, to a French father and a Polish mother, Chopin was a recognized child prodigy who performed for royalty at age eight. He left his homeland at age 20. Just weeks later, the November 1830 Uprising broke out, preventing his return and inspiring much of his intensely nationalistic music.Life in Paris: He settled in Paris, where he was highly sought after as a piano teacher. Rather than doing massive public tours, he preferred playing intimate shows in private aristocratic salons. ...

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