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David Teniers Man Smoking on a Barrel

Price

GBP 6,500

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Item Reference: SA1226449

Date of manufacture: 17th Century

Dimensions

Height = 32 cm (12.6")

Width = 23.5 cm (9.3")

Description

Oil on oak panel Image size: 9 1/2 x12 1/2 inches (23.5 x 32 cm) Handmade contemporary frame In this tavern scene, a man is shown lighting a pipe while sitting on the corner of an upturned barrel. In the background, another man is seen leaning against the wall to stabilise himself. The earthy toned room exudes a cold and dreary ambience, with details obscured by the hazy brown hue of the walls. In the lower right of the background, a lit fire flickers, casting a warm glow, its weak force failing to reach the rest of the room. Jugs are scattered on the table and the floor besides the fire adding to the tavern setting. On the back wall a sketch of a man stands out on cream paper, stark against the dark walls. The sketched figure gazes down at the man leaning against the wall, in the melancholy scene. David Teniers the Younger Born in Antwerp, Teniers was a Flemish Baroque painter, printmaker, draughtsman, copyist and art curator. Son of David Teniers the Elder, an altarpiece painter, he had three brothers who were also painters. He studied under his father with the two collaborating to create a series of twelve panels recounting stories from Torquato Tasso's epic Gerusa...

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