

SA1230124

18th Century Italian Mythological Oil Painting Old Master Apollo and Marsyas

Price

GBP 45,000

| USD \$61,353 | EUR 52,511

Item Reference: SA1230124**Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 72 cm (28.3")

Width = 97.5 cm (38.4")

Depth = 4.5 cm (1.8")

Description

18th Century Italian Old Master Apollo and Marsyas After Filippo Lauri Large Baroque Mythological Oil on Canvas in an Antique Giltwood Frame Highlights * 18th-century Italian School oil on canvas * After Filippo Lauri (1623-1694) * Apollo and Marsyas musical contest * Seated elder possibly representing King Midas * Large Baroque mythological composition * Antique carved and gessoed giltwood frame * Private Northern UK provenance * Formerly sold through Tennants Auctioneers Introduction An impressive 18th-century Italian School oil on canvas depicting the mythological musical contest between Apollo and Marsyas. Set within an atmospheric wooded landscape, the protagonists are surrounded by classical figures witnessing the encounter. A seated elder at right may represent King Midas within the wider mythological tradition. Catalogue Details Artist / School: Italian School Attribution: After Filippo Lauri (1623-1694) Date: 18th Century Medium: Oil on canvas Signature: Unsigned Style: Italian Baroque / Old Master Catalogue Note Marsyas, the Phrygian satyr renowned for his mastery of the aulos, entered into musical competition with Apollo. Apollo ultimately prevail...

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