

SA410524

Marine Oil Painting - Boats in a Port

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA410524****Date of manufacture: 1930**

Dimensions

Height = 50 cm (19.7")

Width = 6 cm (2.4")

Depth = 60 cm (23.6")

Description

Superb post-impressionist oil on board by the well listed Belgium artist Victor le Clercq (1896-1944). The signed painting shows boats in a port - probably Northern France or Belgium. It is mounted in a simple wooden frame and is in excellent condition. Victor le Clercq enrolled at the Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Brussels in 1913. He held two exhibitions in his lifetime - one in 1925 and the other in 1929. He married the artist Nelly Fernande Guiche in 1929. From 1940, during the invasion of Belgium he and his wife protected many Jewish children and in 1943 he was arrested and imprisoned in St Gilles and then later transported to Essen in Germany. After many transfers he was finally imprisoned at Bergen - Belsen. It is thought he died of exhaustion. He has several works in museums including: - Royal Museum of Fine Arts, Belgium - Museum of Fine Arts of Mons, Charleroi and Verviers His work was more recently exhibited in 1993 at the Gallery of Municipal Credit.

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