

SA541629

Huge Joseph Farquharson R.A. Oil painting

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA541629****Date of manufacture: Victorian**

Dimensions

Height = 76 cm (29.9")

Width = 101 cm (39.8")

Depth = 7 cm (2.8")

Description

Huge Joseph Farquharson R.A. Oil on canvas A superb painting by this renown Scottish artist. Loch Duich Isle of Skye. A stunning work of a hillside over the loch with sheep in the foreground, figure by the shoreline. He travelled to this area every summer in the 1880s one of his favourite places to paint. This painting is in its original exhibition frame. Painting size. 30" x 40" plus frame. Provenance. Primarily owned and exhibited by Mr & Mrs Wills (The tobacco family). Exhibition no 79, original Aberdeen Museum labels verso. Condition. Untouched no damage whatsoever. a few minor scuffs to some of the guiding on frame edges. Ready to hang, although would benefit from a light clean. Farquharson mostly painted in a mobile studio at Finzean, the estate he inherited in Aberdeenshire. In order to depict sheep in his compositions, the painter commissioned plaster models from a local sculptor, William Grant of Monymusk (b 1832). The fluid painterliness and natural effects of Farquharson's painting were developed and matured during the four winters (1880-1884) he spent studying in Carolus-Duran's studio in Paris, where he was a contemporary of John Singer Sargent, who i...

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