

SA705472

A Fine mid 19th century Italian
Oil on Canvas, signed F Morelli

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA705472

Date of manufacture: 1860

Dimensions

Height = 80 cm (31.5")

Width = 68 cm (26.8")

Depth = 9 cm (3.5")

Description

This superb and highly decorative mid-19th century oil on canvas is by the Italian artist F Morelli. Whose work comes up for auction or sale infrequently. After researching this artist, I have found the subject matter for his work is always of this type. He specialised in painting Italian rural characters such as gypsies and peasants often with a pretty young lady as in this fine example. It depicts a young bearded gypsy male musician playing the fiddle to a pretty young girl, both brightly clothed relaxing sat in a doorway of a whitewashed cottage with flagons and bottles around them. Signed in the bottom left-hand corner, beautifully framed in an original elaborate deeply moulded gesso frame with original title plate at the bottom. Circa 1860 £1650 size including frame, height 80cm width 68 cm d depth 9cm

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