

## PORTRAIT OF A PAIR OF BASSETS HUNTING DOGS BY LOUIS DAREY IN GILDED FRAME, 1880S



**\$6,750**

A French oil on canvas painting by Louis Darey (1848-1917) depicting a pair of Bassets hunting dogs from circa 1880 in gilt frame. Step into the world of French Realism with this exquisite oil on canvas painting by Louis Darey (1848-1917), capturing the essence of canine loyalty and friendship. Painted circa 1880, this captivating artwork features a pair of Basset hunting dogs, their somber expressions and attentive gaze inviting the viewer into their world. Darey's masterful use of light and shadow creates a dramatic contrast between the dogs' dark silhouettes and the dimly lit background, adding depth and dimension to the composition. The dogs' fur, meticulously rendered with delicate brushstrokes, conveys their unique texture and highlights their expressive eyes, drawing the viewer into their world. The painting's frame, with its remnants of gilded detailing, complements the artwork's timeless elegance and adds a touch of sophistication to the overall presentation. The carefully inscribed names of the dogs, including "Médor," further personalizes the piece and adds a touch of historical charm. With its captivating portrayal of canine companionship and the artistry of Louis Darey, this oil on canvas painting is sure to become a cherished addition to any home. Imagine it gracing the walls of a living room, its somber tones adding a touch of sophistication to the space. Envision it adorning the entryway, welcoming guests with its unique presence and inviting them into the home's warmth. Or, picture it in a home office, providing a calming reminder of loyalty and friendship amidst the day's tasks.

Height: 30 in (76.2 cm)

Width: 25.5 in (64.77 cm)

Depth: 2 in (5.08 cm)

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