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Untitled

Surrealist Angel. Element of the Cupola-Stage of the Dalí Theatre-Museum in Figueres

Date: c. 1976

Technique: Oil on canvas

Dimensions: 197 x 197 cm



Signature: Unsigned and undated

Location: Fundació Gala-Salvador Dalí, Figueres



Provenance

• Artist's collection

Observations

According to the testimony of Antoni Pitxot, Dalí drew inspiration from the Italian painter Luca Cambiaso (1527-1585) for the painting of the figures and characters we see in the dome of the Dalí Theatre-Museum in Figures. Dalí spoke of this group as a "Parade of giants with victorious angels", according to reports in the press of the time ("Salvador Dalí dona más obras a su museo de Figures", Los Sitios, July 24, 1977, or "Nueva donación de Dalí", Ampurdán, July 27, 1977, Figures).

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