





## MID-CENTURY FRENCH MONTMARTRE AND SACRÉ-CŒUR OIL PAINTING SIGNED V. LEBOT

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Decorate a den or office with this exquisite Parisian street oil painting. Created in Paris, France circa 1950, this artwork is beautifully set in a carved antique two-tone cream and gold frame. The canvas, signed by French artist V. Lebot in the lower right corner, depicts a charming and vibrant street scene in Montmartre, with the iconic white dome of the Sacré-Cœur Basilica as a dominant architectural focal point in the background. The composition captures a bustling outdoor café and pedestrians strolling through the cobbled square, all painted in impressionistic strokes with warm earth tones and touches of vivid color in the figures' attire. The lively ambiance and picturesque setting evoke a romanticized vision of mid-century Parisian life. The brushwork is expressive and textured, suggesting movement and capturing the fleeting light of the season, possibly early autumn, as indicated by the amber-tinged trees. The artist's use of perspective draws the eye naturally toward the basilica, giving depth to the compact urban scene. The detailed architecture of the surrounding buildings adds character, while the diverse crowd, depicted in colorful clothing, lends an air of festivity and community. V. Lebot's work is often associated with tourist art of the Montmartre district, blending charm with nostalgic atmosphere. The colorful wall art is in excellent condition commensurate with age and use, and adorns wonderful and rich colors. Montmartre, one of Paris's most charming and artistic neighborhoods, offers a captivating glimpse into the city's bohemian past and present. Perched atop a hill, it exudes a vibrant, creative spirit where narrow cobbled streets, lively cafés, and hidden ateliers invite exploration. At its heart stands the magnificent Basilica of Sacré-Cœur, an iconic symbol of faith and artistic inspiration. Its pristine white domes and sweeping panoramic views of Paris inspire awe in visitors and locals alike. The area is steeped in history, once a haven for legendary painters, writers, and musicians who transformed it into a dynamic cultural hub. Today, Montmartre continues to celebrate artistic expression through street performances and art markets. The blend of historical charm, creative energy, and breathtaking vistas makes Montmartre and Sacré-Cœur essential destinations for those seeking to experience the soul of Paris. Its enduring allure captivates hearts, promising an unforgettable journey into Parisian history and art. 18.5"W x 16.5"H