

MID-CENTURY FRENCH OIL LANDSCAPE ON CANVAS "PAYSAGE D'ALSACE" SIGNED J. MUSLIN

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Bring rich texture and regional charm to your interior with this expressive mid-century oil painting by French artist Joseph Muslin (1911–2003). Titled "Paysage d'Alsace", the work captures a warm and rustic village view rendered in bold palette knife strokes and thick impasto. Earthy ochres, soft neutrals, and deep red tones evoke the glow of late afternoon in the Alsatian countryside, while the simplified architecture and sculptural texture add a distinctly modern sensibility. Muslin was active in France during the postwar period and is known for his stylized landscapes of Provence, Alsace, and other French rural regions. His paintings often feature strong color contrasts and impasto technique, as seen here. This piece was acquired from the Van der Straeten Gallery in New York, a venue known for exhibiting European modernist painters in the 1960s and 70s, and retains the original gallery label and handwritten title on the stretcher. Measuring 32 inches wide by 27.5 inches high, the painting is presented in its original carved and gilded wooden frame. A compelling and substantial work ideal for collectors of mid-century French art or anyone drawn to bold, regional modernism. Excellent condition commensurate with age and use.

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