



JOHANN RUDOLF BYS

(Chur 1660–1738 Würzburg)

Pair of works: Large exotic sea snail, with flowers and finch/Large scallop with flowers and goldfinch. 1694.

Oil on canvas.

Signed lower left: J. R. Bys fec / signed and dated lower left: J. R. Bys fecit 1694.

Each 44.5 × 35 cm.

Provenance: - Sotheby's, London, 6.12.1989, Lot 62. - Private collection. - Galerie Neuse, Bremen. - Private collection. - Koller auction, Zurich, 10.9.1998, Lot 28. - Swiss private collection. Exhibited: - Dialog mit Alten Meistern, Prager Kabinetmalerei 1690–1750, Herzog-Anton-Ulrich-Museum, Braunschweig, 5.6.–17.8.1997. - Prazska Kabinetni Malba 1690–1750, Prague 1997,

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No. 95 and 96. Literature: Bernd M. Mayer: Johann Rudolf Bys, Studien zu Leben und Werk, Munich 1994, Cat. No. G61 and G62, pp. 216–217, ill 54–55. Record price: highest price realised for a work by this artist as of 27 September 2019.

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