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PAUL RANSON
(1864 - 1909)

Vase de Fleurs

Pastel on paper

46.5 x 41.5 cm (18 1/4 x 16 3/8 inches)

Signed lower right, *P. Ranson*

Executed *circa* 1900

Provenance

Neffe-Degandt, London

This pastel represents a beautifully assembled bouquet of flowers placed in a bright green jug and displayed on a red tablecloth.

French painter and writer Paul Ranson (1864–1909) was the son of a local politician at Limoges, and studied at the prestigious Académie Julian in Paris. Whilst in Paris Ranson became a leading member of 'Les Nabis' who gathered in his Montparnasse studio every Saturday. A collection of Post-Impressionist artists and illustrators who had close ties to the concurrent Symbolist and Art Nouveau movements, the Nabis became influential in the field of graphic art and design. Key members of the group were Pierre Bonnard and Edouard Vuillard.

This [original artwork by Paul Ranson](#) is available for immediate purchase.

