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JOOS DE MOMPER AND SEBASTIAN VRANCKX

1564 Antwerp 1635

**WIDE MOUNTINOUS AREA WITH TRAVELLERS AND A VILLAGE IN THE
BACKGROUND**

Panel, 62 x 93 cm



Provenance:

Hruschka Collection, Vienna
Art Dealer De Boer, Amsterdam
Vienna, Private Collection

Literature :

Klaus Ertz, Josse de Momper, *Catalogue raisonné*, Freren 1986, no. 38,
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There is not much knowledge about Joos de Momper's life. He obviously was member of one of the grand painter's-families in Antwerp. At the age of 17, in 1581, he became a member of the Sanct Lucas Guild as a Master. Later researches were able to proof that he travelled to Italy, which was not certain before. Joos de Momper is one of the most interesting Neterlands painters in the period of development from manierism to naturalism in landscape-painting.