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## OLD MASTERS

TOTAL: \$14,430,900



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PIETER BRUEGHEL THE YOUNGER  
(BRUSSELS 1564-1638 ANTWERP)

The Tower of Babel

Price realized: \$2,580,000

**New York** – Christie's **Old Masters sale on 10 June**, realized a total of \$14,430,900, selling 88% by low estimate, with strong prices for Northern Renaissance and Baroque masters, as well as spirited bidding on sculptures from across centuries. The top lot in the sale was *The Tower of Babel* by Pieter Brueghel the Younger, an ambitious, monumental picture on panel that shows the strong influence of his father, Pieter Brueghel the Elder. It brought \$2,580,000. Other highlights among paintings include *Roses, lilies, an iris and other flowers in an earthenware vase* by Clara Peeters, which realized \$1,500,000; *The Bagpiper and Marry Wife*, by Jan van Hemessen, which fetched \$1,134,000; and *A View of Beverwijk*, by Salomon van Ruysdael, which sold for \$567,000. Two sculptures sold well above their estimates, *A Group of Composite Figures of Ceres, Venus, Apollo, and Mercury* in the Manner of Joseph Chinard, which brought \$604,800, more than eight times its low estimate; and *A Polychrome And Gilt Limestone Figure Of Saint Roch* attributed to Gilbert Bertrand, which made more than 20 times its low estimate, at \$592,000.



**OLD MASTERS**

CLARA PEETERS

(ANTWERP 1589-1657)

Roses, lilies, an iris and other flowers in an earthenware vase signed and dated oil on panel

Price realized: \$1,500,000



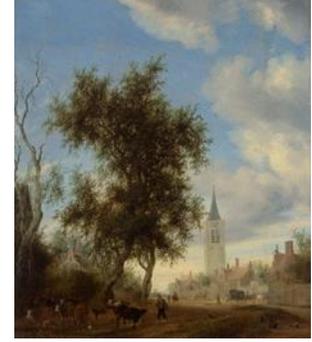
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JAN SANDERS VAN HEMESSEN (HEMESSEN C.

1504-1556 ANTWERP)

The Bagpiper and Merry Wife signed(?) 'IOËS DE HEMESSEN PINXIT' (lower right, on the tankard) oil on panel

Price realized: \$1,134,000



**OLD MASTERS**

SALOMON VAN RUYSDAEL

(NAARDEN 1600/03-1670 HAARLEM)

A view of Beverwijk signed and dated oil on panel

Price realized: \$567,000



**OLD MASTERS**

MANNER OF JOSEPH CHINARD

(FRENCH, 1756-1813)

A Group Of Composite Figures Of Ceres, Venus, Apollo And Mercury

Price realized: \$604,800



**OLD MASTERS**

ATTRIBUTED TO GILBERT BERTRAND,

(FRENCH, CIRCA 1494-1510)

A Polychrome And Gilt Limestone Figure Of Saint Roch

Price realized: \$592,200

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