



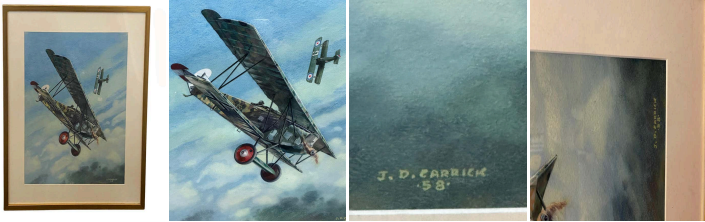
"Sky Battle" Airplanes Litograph by J.D. Carrick

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Details

This 1958 lithograph by J.D. Carrick depicts an aerial encounter between two iconic World War I-era biplanes. The focal plane, likely representing a German Fokker D.VII fighter—known for its distinctive camouflage pattern and iron cross insignia—dominates the scene. The structure and detail of the aircraft are rendered with precision, capturing the mechanical mystery of these early war machines. In the distance, we see a second aircraft, likely a British Sopwith Camel, identified by the roundels on its wings, engaged in an active dogfight. Carrick masterfully captures the tension of early air combat, where pilots in fragile, open-cockpit planes fought at close quarters, relying on both skill and daring to outmaneuver their adversaries.

The use of perspective emphasizes the scale and speed of the aircraft, with the German biplane sharply tilting downward, drawing the viewer's eye into the heart of the action. The muted sky, with its subtle gradations of blue and white, provides a calm contrast to the dynamic motion of the planes, enhancing the sense of depth and tension in the composition.

Through both technical accuracy and dramatic composition, Carrick invites us to step into a pivotal moment in time, evoking the fragility and intensity of early air warfare—a period when the skies became a new and perilous battlefield.

Owning this lithograph reflects a passion for history while serving as a reminder of bravery, innovation, and strategic thinking. In an office, it can symbolize navigating high-pressure environments, while in a home, it may simply serve as striking decor.

When presenting art, it's not always possible to be entirely certain about every detail. We purchase pieces with our heart,



drawn to their beauty and emotion. As with this painting, we conduct our research based on the clues we have. Please be indulgent if there are any inaccuracies, particularly regarding names of the airplanes. Our passion lies in the stories behind each work, allowing us to journey through history with a sense of freedom.

J.D. Carrick was one of the most prolific artists covering the First World War with many of his paintings being featured in books and magazines.

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PERIOD: 1950-1959

CONDITION: Good

MEASUREMENTS: Height: 23.75" Width: 20.5" Depth: 0.75"

COUNT: 1

MATERIAL: Lithograph

CREATOR: J.D. Carrick