

Basic Detail Report



Title Susannah Spencer sampler

Date 1761

Primary Maker Sarah Spencer

Medium Silk on linen.

Description The sampler is stitched on beige linen with a plain border along the outside. The alphabet is first in blue, except the letter D which is a lighter color the symbol "&" completes the alphabet. Below the alphabet is stiched "Susanna Spencer/Born September 20/1747: Made in/ the year 1761/ her sampler" followed by the numbers 1-10. The number 1 looks like a J throughout the peice. There is a cross-stitched diamond design on the right side, with the top two lines of the diamond extending out and having small "flags" at the ends.

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Dimensions Sheet (height x width): 4 1/2 x 6 1/2in. (11.4 x 16.5cm) Frame (height
x width): 7 x 9 1/4 x 1 1/8in. (17.8 x 23.5 x 2.9cm)