

Basic Detail Report

Reference photo only



Title Martha Leeds Silliman

Date probably 1810

Medium Painting; oil on canvas in frame

Description Portrait painting of Martha Leeds Silliman (Mrs. Joseph Silliman), attributed to Nathaniel F. Wales, who painted the portrait of her husband

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(1968.46.1). Silliman is wearing a dark bodice with either a lace undergarment

showing at the neckline or a lace piece attached to the neckline. There is a lace

ruff around her neck. She is wearing a lacy bonnet trimmed with a white silk

ribbon. Small curls of dark hair fall onto her forehead; the rest of her hair is

covered with the bonnet.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): $35 \frac{3}{4} \times 29 \frac{3}{4}$ in. (90.8×75.6

cm)