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Title Elizabeth (Eliza) Taylor Dixon Marsh and William Dixon Marsh

Date probably 1842

Medium Painting; oil on canvas in frame

Description Three-quarter length portrait of Eliza Dixon Marsh and her young

son William Dixon Marsh attributed to Luther Terry. Eliza Marsh is wearing a

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black dress with lace trim and a mantilla, with a shawl draped over her

shoulders. Her hair is pulled back, with a tendril on either side of her face. A classical urn holding a flowering vine is depicted in the uppper left quadrant of the painting, and drapery fills the background in the upper right. Young William is at his mother's knee, his right arm on her leg and her right hand resting on his right shoulder. His blond hair is parted at the side. He is wearing a pale peachcolored dress trimmed at the sleeves and neck with ruffles. Dimensions Stretcher (height x width): 30 × 25in. (76.2 × 63.5cm) Frame (height

x width): 36 1/2 \times 31 1/4in. (92.7 \times 79.4cm)