

# Basic Detail Report



**Title** Reading the Scriptures.

**Date** 1845

**Primary Maker** E.B. & E.C. Kellogg

**Medium** Lithography; printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper in 4-ply mat

**Description** A man and a woman are seated in upholstered armchairs in a domestic interior. The man wears a jacket, vest, shirt, and tie. The woman wears a dress with separate white cuffs, possibly trimmed with lace. She holds what appears to be a handkerchief. The man reads from a large open book, probably a Bible, that rests on a table covered with a patterned tablecloth. A lamp is on the table. A patterned rug is on the floor. Drapery is in the left and right background. A fire burns in a fireplace directly behind the table. Flowers, probably roses, in vases and books are on the mantel.

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Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width):  $8 \frac{3}{16} \times 12 \frac{3}{8}$  in. (20.8 x 31.4cm) Sheet (height x width):  $9 \frac{7}{8} \times 13 \frac{5}{8}$  in. (25.1 x 34.6cm)