

Basic Detail Report

Title Mourning scene

Date early 19th century

Medium Watercolor on silk

Description Memorial embroidery depicting three monuments bearing the names of maker Ruth Norton Upson's (later Pardee) brothers: Asa Austin (1788-1811), Samuel Newell (c. 1799-1811), and Samuel Austin (1818-1819). Mourners stand near their graves. A weeping willow is directly behind the monument to Asa Austin. In the background there is a small town surrounding a pond or small lake. On the right there is a cottage.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width): 25 × 29in. (63.5 × 73.7cm)