

An unknown child wearing white dress trimmed with green ribbon waistband

SOLD

REF: 5001

Height: 5 cm (1 1/16")



Short Description

Signed with initials W.S, in rose coloured gold frame.

William Singleton (d. 1793) was one of a family of artist (brother of Joseph Singleton) all of whom lived and worked in London. He was a pupil of Ozias Humphry and the painstaking work here reflects Humphry's influence. He exhibited at the Society of Artists, 1770-1790 and at the Royal Academy, 1779-90.

This miniature was probably painted in the 1760's and is typical of the 'modest' period of portraiture in its use of small ivory base and short or stippled brush strokes..

More Information

Year	circa 1760.
Medium	Watercolour on ivory,
Signed	signed with initials W.S,
Provenance	Bonhams, 10th April, 2002, lot 387