

*Ascension of Christ / Evangelist Luke* (inv. 00210)

Author: Anonymous

Place: Picardy

Period: Circa 1500

Material: Oil on panel (oak)

Measurements: h. 130 cm x b. 74,5 cm x d. 3,8 cm (including frame)

Origin: Purchased by Jean van Caloen

Description: Around a small hill we see Mary with the twelve apostles, all have a halo. They witness Jesus ascending into heaven. We can still see his legs and feet with the stigmata (cross wounds) in a halo or halo of rays. His footprints are clearly visible in the grass of the knoll. On the other side, we see a hilly landscape with some buildings. The reverse depicts St. Luke. The evangelist, with halo, sits in front of a brocade fabric with beside him his attribute, a bovine with banderole on which is written 'St. Luke'.

Exhibition:

Bibliography:

