

*Portrait of Marie de Potter de Droogenwalle* (inv. 00242)

Author: Joseph Denis Odevaere (Bruges, 1775 – Brussels, 1830)

Place: Bruges

Period: 1814

Material: Oil on canvas

Measurements: h. 100 cm x w. 75,5 cm (excl. frame)  
h. 128,4 cm x w. 103 cm x d. 11,5 cm (incl. frame)

Origin:

Description: Marie de Potter de Droogenwalle is seen from behind while strumming her harp and turning her head toward the viewer. She wears a dress according to the Greek fashion, very popular in the Empire. Over her shoulder is a shawl in cashmere. Furthermore, she has a diadem on her head and a necklace decorated with cameos around her neck. Her hairstyle also follows the guidelines of the Empire period. The white dress, skin tone and red harp contrast against the dark background.

Exhibition:

Bibliography:

