Study for 'July' in 'The B.B.C. Book of the Countryside'

John Northcote Nash R.A, R.W.S

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Height: 16.5 cm (6.5")

Width: 11 cm (4.3")

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Framed Height: 37.5 cm (14.8")

Framed Width: 30 cm (11.8")

Description

John Nash's illustrations were published in 'The B.B.C. Book of the Countryside' in 1963. Nash made six illustrations to accompany the countryside descriptions made by C. Gordon Glover. The theme of a gardener running out to scare off the blackbirds stealing his soft fruit was new to Nash’s repertoire. In the final illustration, on page 85, Nash omitted the gardener, reducing the narrative effect of the subject.In the lower part of the drawing Nash lightly made calculations in pencil, perhaps relating to the sizes of his images for the book.

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