

**SA1042874**

## FRANCIS WILLIAM TOPHAM WATERCOLOUR 'DONKEY WITH MAN AND WOMAN IN SPANISH LANDSCAPE'

Price

**GBP 795**

| USD \$1,076 | EUR 930

**Item Reference: SA1042874****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 46.5 cm (18.3")

Width = 58 cm (22.8")

Depth = 2.5 cm (1.0")

## Description

Francis William Topham 1808-1877. Genre painter and watercolourist. Born in Leeds. Came to London about 1830 to work as an engraver of heraldic designs. Took up line engraving, then watercolours and oils. In 1842 elected associate, and in 1843 member, of NWS; in 1847 he retired to become ARWS, and in 1848 RWS. He usually painted rustic figures, especially peasant girls and children. Travelled in Ireland and Spain in search of suitably picturesque subjects. Exhib mainly at OWS, also at RA 1832-70, B.I.S.S and NWS. Died at Córdoba, on his second visit to Spain. His remaining works were sold at Christie's on 30 th March, 1878.

'Donkey with Man and Woman in Spanish Landscape' watercolour signed with initials and dated (18)69 image size 23.5x35cms, framed size 46.5x58 cms. Professionally cleaned by my excellent restorer; period giltwood frame with new wash line mount.

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