

SA1150342

**Sir George Reid RSA, PPRSA,
HHRA Oil On Canvas**

Price

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Item Reference: SA1150342

Date of manufacture: 1880

Dimensions

Height = 76 cm (29.9")

Width = 61 cm (24.0")

Description

Here we have a very fine Oil on Canvas portrait of an elderly gentleman by Scottish artist Sir George Reid RSA, PPRSA, HRHA (1841 - 1913) It is signed and dated for 1880. Reid worked as a lithographer before moving to Edinburgh in 1862 where he attended the Trustees' Academy. The art collector John Forbes White provided him with a bursary which enabled him to travel to Utrecht where he studied under the landscape and genre painter, Gerrit Mollinger, he exhibited at the Royal Scottish Academy, and became an honorary member after his appointment as its President, which earned him a Knighthood. He also exhibited at the Royal Scottish Society of Painters in Watercolours, of which he was an honorary member, at the Royal Hibernian Academy, and at the Royal Academy, London, from 1865 onward. He illustrated many books, notably *The Life of a Scottish Naturalist*. This painting is unframed and in good order apart from a small area of paint loss to the forehead and a puncture to the ear and would benefit from a good clean. Size: 76 x 61 cm Free UK postage and packaging is included in the price of this item, please contact us for a foreign shipping quote.

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