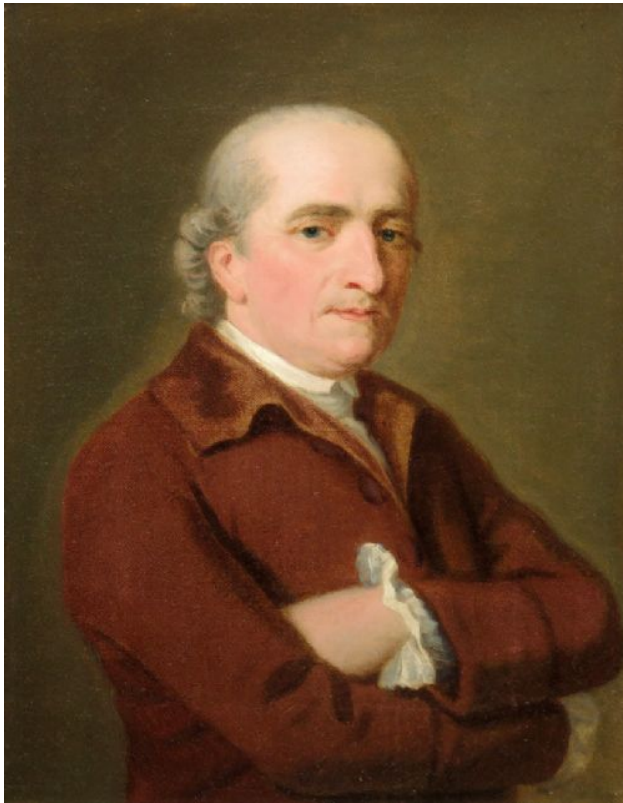


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Allan Ramsay, 1713 - 1784
Portrait of William Sandeman
1722-1790 of Luncarty
Perthshire

Price

GBP 6,500

| USD \$8,796 | EUR 7,606

Item Reference: SA486040**Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 32 cm (12.6")

Width = 24 cm (9.4")

Depth = 2 cm (0.8")

Description

Allan Ramsay, 1713 - 1784 Portrait of William Sandeman 1722-1790 of Luncarty Perthshire Signed/Inscribed: on the frame " WILLm SANDEMAN ESQ / By All.....R..MSAY La....t." oil on canvas 32 x 24 cm. (12.3/4 x 9.3/4in.) Provenance Private Collection New York, USA Notes William Sandeman (1722 in Luncarty, Scotland – 1790 in Perth, Scotland) was a leading Perthshire linen and later cotton manufacturer. For instance in 1782 alone, Perthshire produced 1.7 million yards of linen worth £81,000. Linen manufacture became by the 1760s a major Scottish industry, second only to agriculture. He was one of the pillars of the Scottish enlightenment. William was born in 1722 in Luncarty just north of Perth, Scotland the fifth child of David Sandeman and his second wife Margaret Ramsay. David Sandeman was a merchant and magistrate (1735–63) of Perth .William with his first wife Christina Fleming had two children. With his second wife Mary Anderson he had a further 14 children (five of whom married five of the 20 children of Hector Turnbull, his bleachfield's business partner). In 1740, Robert and William Sandeman started a weaving business together, though Robert's expanding church...

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