

MARIANO GOYA

CLASIFICACIÓN: EASEL PAINTING. PORTRAITS



DATOS GENERALES

CRONOLOGÍA	Ca. 1813 - 1815
DIMENSIONES	59 x 47 cm
TÉCNICA Y SOPORTE	Oil on canvas
RECONOCIMIENTO DE LA AUTORÍA DE GOYA	Attributed work
TITULAR	Private collection
FICHA: REALIZACIÓN/REVISIÓN	10 May 2011 / 16 Jun 2023

INSCRIPCIONES

Goya a su nieto (en el reverso).

HISTORIA

This work was in Mariano Goya's collection. It was subsequently in a number of different collections: that of Eduardo Cano, in Madrid; that of Ussel, in Madrid; and that of Manuel Urzaiz, in Seville. In 1900 it was in the collection of the Marquis of Alcañices, from where it was inherited by its current owners, the Duke and Duchess of Albuquerque.

ANÁLISIS ARTÍSTICO

Mariano de Goya (see biographical data in *Mariano de Goya*) is depicted here for the second time in a magnificent half-length portrait more befitting a young aristocrat than Goya's grandson. He appears to be between seven and nine years old, putting the likely date of the portrait to between 1813 and 1815. He is sitting in a chair, with a blurrily outlined musical manuscript in front of him. Marianito is shown wearing a black jacket that may have been made of velvet, above which a broad collar of white lace, executed in delicate brushstrokes, stands out. He is also wearing a striking black top hat, which frames his lively face, where his alert dark eyes stand out from his delicate white skin. His left hand is held on his hip in a charming formal gesture, whilst his right holds a rolled up piece of paper that he appears to wield like a baton.

Goya's skill in painting children has been showcased on various occasions. This work is one

of his most exquisite, reflecting with perfect naturalness the liveliness and tenderness of his beloved grandson.

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Pinturas de Goya

Museo Nacional del Prado Madrid 1928

consultant editor Fernando Álvarez de Sotomayor. From April to May 1928
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Goya

Prado National Museum Madrid 1951

July 1951
cat. 15

Goya

Festival Internacional de Granada, Palacio de Carlos V Granada 1955

consultant editor Enrique Lafuente Ferrari
cat. 111

Goya and his times

The Royal Academy of Arts London 1963

cat. 66
cat. 112

Goya nelle collezioni private di Spagne

Villa Favorita Lugano 1986

consultant editor Marta Medina. From June 15th to October 15th 1986
cat. 40

Pintura española de la primera mitad del siglo XIX

Sociedad Española de Amigos del Arte Madrid 1913
cat. 258

Retratos de niños en España

Sociedad Española de Amigos del Arte Madrid 1925
cat. 42

Retratos ejemplares de los siglos XVIII y XIX en colecciones madrileñas

Museo Nacional de Arte Moderno Madrid 1946
responsable Eduardo Llonset y Marañón
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Bienal de Venecia

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Francisco de Goya. IV Centenario de la capitalidad

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consultant editor Jean-Gabriel Domergue. From December 1961 to February 1962
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Goya en las colecciones madrileñas

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