Basic Detail Report



Old Ben and Mrs. Marks

Date 1916

Primary MakerEdwin Dickinson

Medium

Oil on board

Description

This painting, in shades of gray, brown, and black, depicts an elderly man standing behind an elderly woman, both of them facing front. The man is slightly to the left of the woman. He is looking down over her shoulder and his large hands grasp her upper arms. His face is long and thin with a long prominent nose. His hair is gray and he

has a drooping mustache. The woman is dressed in black with a black shawl over head, which covers most of her white hair. She is looking straight out at the viewer with her hands clasped in her lap. The figures appear to be seated in front of doorway of a clabbered building. There is a bare tree to the right.

Dimensions

Object size: 36 x 29 1/2 inches (91.4 x 74.9 cm) Frame size: 43 5/16 x 37 inches (110 x 94 cm)