

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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BIEDERMANN, Johann Jakob

Winterthur 7.VIII.1763 – Ausersihl 10.IV.1830
Swiss topographical painter and engraver. The son of a baker, he was married four times, between 11785 and 1816. He was taught initially by Johann Rudolf Schellenberg. From 1778 he was in Bern and was influenced by Aberli (*q.v.*). His paintings, prints and watercolours are frequently found at auction, but only one pastel is known.

Pastels

J.1538.101 Homme, pstl, 65x54 ov., sd 1795
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