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fl. England 1766–88

Landscape painter and draughtsman, perhaps a pupil of Richard Wilson. Exhibited at the Society of Artists in 1766, Royal Academy 1772–88. Some 30 of his landscape drawings were sold 22–23.IV.1790. The description of a picture reproduced several times as a “pastel” has not been directly verified.

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