GREUZE, Anne-Geneviève

Paris 1762–1842

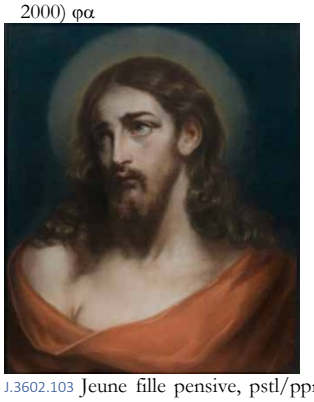
Daughter and pupil of Jean-Baptiste Greuze (*q.v.*), with whom she lived until his death. She is known to have painted genre pictures and portraits, no doubt many confused with the work of her father. The attribution of these pastels to her rests on a family tradition and the close friendship of Mlle Greuze with Greuze's goddaughter and biographer Caroline Trochon de Laudigeois (1787–1875) who married the sculptor, Henri-Zozime, marquis de Valori and in whose family the pastels remained until 2009.

Bibliography

Bénézit; Greuze 2002

Pastels

J.3602.101 Christ, pstl/ppr, 58.5x48.5 (Francesca Valori-Rustichelli, marquise de Bausset (1811–1880), fille du marquis de Valori; desc.: Paris, Drouot, Millon, Cornette de Saint-Cyr, 11.XII.2009, Lot 92 repr., attr., est. €1500–2000) φα



J.3602.103 Jeune fille pensive, pstl/ppr, 53.5x43.5 (Francesca Valori-Rustichelli, marquise de Bausset (1811–1880), fille du marquis de Valori; desc.: Paris, Drouot, Millon, Cornette de Saint-Cyr, 11.XII.2009, Lot 88 repr., attr., est. €1200–1500) φα