

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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MECHAU, Jacob Wilhelm

Leipzig 1745 – Dresden 1808

Also Jakob. Painter, draughtsman and engraver of landscapes and religious compositions; pupil of Rode, Le Sueur and Casanova. He travelled to Rome in 1776. There are numerous prints, drawings and a few paintings, but only one pastel is recorded, supposedly a portrait of the young Kleist.

Bibliography

Bénézit

Pastels

?Heinrich von KLEIST (1752–1831), Dramatiker,
pstl/pchm, 42x36, c.1792 (lost) *φ*