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WELTE, Christian Gottlieb

Biebrich 11.VI.1747 – Lohu, Estonia 17.XII.1792 Also Welté, Weldé etc. Painter and etcher. He studied initially under his father, Hofmusiker und Maler Johannes W. Welte (his mother was Johanna Margaretta Henriette Fuchs) before moving to Frankfurt, where he painted figures in Schmitz's landscapes. He taught the Estonian painter Helene Zoege von Manteuffel, whose portrait he made. He appears to have supplemented his meagre earnings from art with his musical skills.

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