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Arcadian Painting

Juriaan Andriessen was one of the last exponents of the little-known yet flourishing art of decorating interiors of patrician houses in Amsterdam. His most important work was for Dutch wallpaper manufacturers, making painted wall coverings for private residences. He began as an assistant to Johannes van Drecht (1737-1807) but later started his own factory. His designs followed the prevailing taste for the Arcadian landscapes with small figures and decorative architecture.



Juriaan Andriessen

Dutch, 1749-1819, active in
Amsterdam

***Arcadian Landscape with a
Round Temple***, c. 1800

Oil on canvas

Gift of Mrs. William
Sisler/Mary Sisler
Foundation, 1976,
SN 954.1



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Amsterdam

***Arcadian Landscape with a
Bust of a Satyr,***

c. 1800

Oil on canvas

Gift of Mrs. William
Sisler/Mary Sisler
Foundation, 1976,
SN 954.2



Juriaan Andriessen

Dutch, 1749-1819, active in
Amsterdam

*Arcadian Landscape with an
Altar*, c. 1800

Oil on canvas

Gift of Mrs. William
Sisler/Mary Sisler Foundation,
1976, SN 954.3



Juriaan Andriessen

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Amsterdam

*Arcadian Landscape with a
Pyramid*, c. 1800

Oil on canvas

Gift of Mrs. William
Sisler/Mary Sisler Foundation,
1976, SN 954.4



Juriaan Andriessen

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*Arcadian Landscape with an
Obelisk*, c. 1800

Oil on canvas

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1976, SN 954.5



Italian, 18th century

*Wall Paneling with Inset
Mirrors, c. 1780*

Glass and carved, painted, and
gilded wood

Bequest of John Ringling,
1936, SN 1597 and SN 1598



Italy (Venice), 18th century

*Pair of Chairs Decorated with
Chinese Figures,*
c. 1750

Carved, gilded, and painted
wood and marble

Museum purchase (Estate of
A. Everett Austin, Jr.), 1957,
SN 1797 and SN 1798