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Helen Dahm (*21.5.1878 Egelshofen, +24.5.1968 Männedorf)



Title Der Engel des Gerichts

Also known as Angel of Judgement

Date 1954

Medium Oil on canvas

Dimensions image: 200 x 105 cm

Signature inscr. b. l.: H DAHM / 1954

Inscription -

Catalogue raisonné -

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Inv. No. 1954/0023

Credit line Kunsthaus Zürich, Donated by the artist, 1954

Accession year 1954

Object type painting

Classification D 1[1] art 20th century CHE

Description Repetition of the composition 'Angel of Judgement over St. Peter in Tyrol' (1925/26, oil

on plywood, 200x 100 cm), which was cut in two by the artist: the upper part is privately owned, the lower part forms the reverse of inv. no. 1953/1 (cf. Paola von Wyss-Giacosa/Sandi Paucic: Helen Dahm (Ausst.-Kat. Erlenbach 2000) pp. 52-54 with illus.

and colour illustrations of the fragment).

The depiction goes back to the experience of a violent thunderstorm in St. Peter in Tyrol, whose church can be seen here; the figure in the half-collapsed house is probably a self-

portrait.

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the time-consuming nature of comprehensive scientific research on each individual artwork, we have decided to disclose some works also without provenance information to the public. The progression of provenance research will be continuously updated online.

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About the provenance (State of research 01.01.2007)

Literature - Kunsthaus Zürich. Gesamtkatalog der Gemälde und Skulpturen, hrsg. von Zürcher

Kunstgesellschaft et al., Sammlungskatalog, Ostfildern: Hatje Cantz, 2007, S. 345.