



## Love's Messenger

### Date

1885

### Primary Maker

Marie Spartali Stillman

### Medium

Watercolor, tempera, and gold paint on paper

### Description

Interior. Female figure, facing left, standing in front of an open window, holding a dove with a string attached to it's leg and several kernals of corn in her proper right hand. Free end of string is wrapped around a rolled piece of paper held in her left hand. In front of her, an embroidery with a blindfolded figure holding a bow and arrow. View out the window of water and trees. Red flower ing plant in pot on window sill, middle left.

### Dimensions

32 x 26 in. (81.3 x 66 cm) frame: 45 1/2 x 39 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (115.6 x 100.3 x 8.9 cm)