

Elegance and Refinement: The Still Life Paintings of Willem van Aelst

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Cat. No. 1

Willem van Aelst

Peaches, Grapes, and a Plum on a Ledge, 1646

oil on copper

unframed: 17.02 x 22.61 cm (6 11/16 x 8 7/8 in.)

Private collection

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Willem van Aelst

Still Life with a Mouse and a Candle, 1647

oil on copper panel

unframed: 19.3 x 24.64 cm (7 5/8 x 9 11/16 in.)

Rose-Marie and Eijk van Otterloo Collection



Cat. No. 3 / File Name: 3244-005.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Fruit Still Life with a Snail, 1649

oil on canvas

unframed: 53.59 x 65.02 cm (21 1/8 x 25 5/8 in.)

framed: 76.5 x 89.9 x 6.1 cm (30 1/8 x 35 3/8 x 2 3/8 in.)

Stedelijk Museum Het Prinsenhof, Delft



Cat. No. 4 / File Name: 3244-006.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Bouquet of Flowers, 1651

oil on wood panel

unframed: 41.91 x 32.51 cm (16 1/2 x 12 13/16 in.)

framed: 50.2 x 42 x 7.8 cm (19 3/4 x 16 9/16 x 3 1/16 in.)

Musée des Beaux-Arts de Caen



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Willem van Aelst

Pronk Still Life with Armor, 1651

oil on canvas

unframed: 200 x 170 cm (78 3/4 x 66 15/16 in.)

framed (estimate): 235 x 202 cm (92 1/2 x 79 1/2 in.)

Musées du Mans, Le Mans



Cat. No. 6 / File Name: 3244-009.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Flowers on a Marble Ledge, 1652

oil on canvas

unframed: 72.9 x 57.91 cm (28 11/16 x 22 13/16 in.)

Galleria Palatina, Florence



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Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Melon, 1652

oil on canvas

unframed: 72.9 x 57.91 cm (28 11/16 x 22 13/16 in.)

Galleria Palatina, Florence



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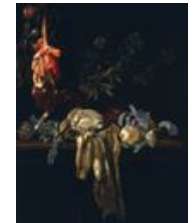
Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Ram's Head, 1652

oil on canvas

unframed: 125.5 x 99.5 cm (49 7/16 x 39 3/16 in.)

Galleria Palatina, Florence



Cat. No. 9 / File Name: 3244-030.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Game, 1652

oil on canvas

unframed: 124.5 x 99.5 cm (49 x 39 3/16 in.)

Galleria Palatina, Florence



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Willem van Aelst

Pronk Still Life with Fruit and Game, 1654

oil on canvas

unframed: 195.48 x 136.91 cm (76 15/16 x 53 7/8 in.)

Galleria Palatina, Florence



Cat. No. 11 / File Name: 3244-038.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Vase of Flowers with a Watch, 1656

oil on canvas

Overall: 55.9 x 46.4 cm (22 x 18 1/4 in.)

framed: 71.6 x 62.2 cm (28 3/16 x 24 1/2 in.)

North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, Purchased with funds from the State of North Carolina



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Willem van Aelst

Dead Game with Implements of Sport, 1657

oil on canvas

unframed: 105.41 x 89.92 cm (41 1/2 x 35 3/8 in.)

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Cat. No. 13

Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Fruits and a Wineglass, 1659

oil on canvas

unframed: 81.18 x 65.99 cm (31 15/16 x 26 in.)

Koninklijk Museum voor Schone Kunst, Antwerp

Cat. No. 14 / File Name: 3244-015.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Birds and Hunting Equipment, 1660

oil on canvas

unframed: 86.61 x 68.07 cm (34 1/8 x 26 13/16 in.)

Staatliche Museen, Gemäldegalerie, Berlin

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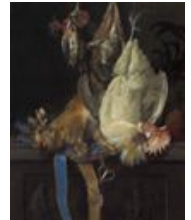
Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Game, 1661

oil on canvas

overall: 84.7 x 67.3 cm (33 3/8 x 26 1/2 in.)

National Gallery of Art, Washington, Pepita Milmore Memorial Fund



Cat. No. 16

Willem van Aelst

Flower Still Life with a Watch, 1663

oil on canvas

unframed: 62.48 x 49.02 cm (24 5/8 x 19 5/16 in.)

framed: 81 x 67 x 11 cm (31 7/8 x 26 3/8 x 4 5/16 in.)

Royal Picture Gallery, Mauritshuis, The Hague

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Willem van Aelst

Flowers in a Silver Vase, 1663

oil on canvas

unframed: 67.6 x 54.6 cm (26 5/8 x 21 1/2 in.)

Fine Arts Museum of San Francisco, Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Hermann Schuelein



Cat. No. 19 / File Name: 3244-017.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Hunt Piece with Herons and Other Large Birds, 1663

oil on canvas

unframed: 117.09 x 92.96 cm (46 1/8 x 36 5/8 in.)

Sammlungen des Fürsten von und zu Liechtenstein, Vaduz-Vienna



Cat. No. 20

Willem van Aelst

Dead Birds and Hunting Gear, 1664

oil on canvas

unframed: 68 x 54 cm (26 3/4 x 21 1/4 in.)

framed: 93 x 78 x 7 cm (36 5/8 x 30 11/16 x 2 3/4 in.)

Nationalmuseum, Stockholm

Cat. No. 21 / File Name: 3244-019.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Hunt Still Life with a Velvet Bag on a Marble Ledge, c. 1665

oil on canvas

unframed: 65.53 x 52.58 cm (25 13/16 x 20 11/16 in.)

Sarah Campbell Blaffer Foundation, Houston



Cat. No. 22

Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Birds, c. 1667

oil on canvas

framed: 70 x 48 x 4 cm (27 9/16 x 18 7/8 x 1 9/16 in.)

unframed: 152.4 x 91.44 cm (60 x 36 in.)

Teresa Heinz

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Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Fruit, Walnuts, and Insects on a Marble Ledge, 1670

oil on canvas

unframed: 77.3 x 55.8 cm (30 7/16 x 21 15/16 in.)

framed: 96.52 x 78.11 cm (38 x 30 3/4 in.)

Private collection



Cat. No. 24

Willem van Aelst

Forest Floor with Thistle, 1671

oil on canvas

unframed: 74.93 x 56.9 cm (29 1/2 x 22 3/8 in.)

Staatliche Kunsthalle, Karlsruhe

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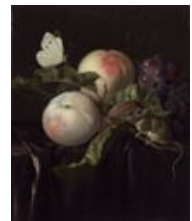
Willem van Aelst

Fruit Still Life with a Mouse, 1674

oil on canvas

unframed: 29.72 x 24.38 cm (11 11/16 x 9 5/8 in.)

Private collection, Boston



Cat. No. 26

Willem van Aelst

Group of Flowers, 1675

oil on canvas

unframed: 30.99 x 25.4 cm (12 3/16 x 10 in.)

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Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Fruit, Nuts, Butterflies, and Other Insects on a Ledge, c. 1677

oil on canvas

overall: 74 x 56.5 cm (29 1/8 x 22 1/4 in.)

Candy and Greg Fazakerley



Cat. No. 28 / File Name: 3244-023.jpg

Willem van Aelst

Still Life with Fish, Bread, and a Nautilus Cup, 1678

oil on canvas

unframed: 67.82 x 54.61 cm (26 11/16 x 21 1/2 in.)

Private collection, Germany



Cat. No. 29

Willem van Aelst

Vanitas Still Life in Album Amicorum, mid 1640s

black chalk on vellum

unframed: 11 x 15.2 cm (4 5/16 x 6 in.)

other (with binding): 11.7 x 15.8 cm (4 5/8 x 6 1/4 in.)

The Maida and George Abrams Collection, Harvard University Museums / Fogg Museum, Cambridge, Massachusetts

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Paulus van Vianen

Diana and Actaeon, 1612

silver, gilded

overall: 8.38 x 11.18 cm (3 5/16 x 4 3/8 in.)

Centraal Museum, Utrecht



Willem van Aelst

Dead Partridge before a Stone Niche, 1670

oil on canvas

unframed: 55.88 x 45.72 cm (22 x 18 in.)

overall: 69.85 x 58.42 cm (27 1/2 x 23 in.)

Private Collection