Basic Detail Report



San Rafael

Primary Maker

Artist not recorded

Medium

Tempera, gesso, wood

Description

Figure has looped drapery of cloth dipped in yeso, short curly hair, usual bare knees. A flat prop of wood covered with yeso was placed behind back to support weak legs of figure. On back is pasted a label written: "AD 1760. San Rafael the Fisherman Pecos Indian Church. Oxp \$5.00." Unlike many old dealers' labels this may be the

approximate correct date for this santo, based on its stylistic treatment. Mended feet with glue, yeso, toned color, waxed.

Dimensions

38.5 cm high, base 24.5 x 17.5 x 2 cm