

Acquisition and Public Display of 'The Blue Rigi' by JMW Turner (1775-1851)

Acquisition of 'The Blue Rigi' which is part of a series of paintings of Swiss lakes and mountains by JMW Turner in 1842.

Image



The Blue Rigi by JMW Turner

Nation/region

London

Grant awarded

£1,950,000

Award date

20/02/2007

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With the public appeal raising over £550,000 in just over five weeks, the NHMF – the 'fund of last resort' for heritage at risk – has underwritten the acquisition of Turner's *The Blue Rigi* to a maximum of £1.95m. This grant represents over a third of NHMF's current annual budget of £5m, and means that *The Blue Rigi* is now safe, ahead of the export deadline on 20 March.