

Basic Detail Report

Title

Scala perfectionis (English text)

Artist

Wynkyn de Worde, Walter Hilton, Walter Hylton (Hilton)

Date

1533

Dimensions

Sheet Size: 7 3/8 × 5 5/8 in. (18.7 × 14.3 cm)

Medium

printed book

Classifications

Books

Credit Line

Martin V. Kelley

Object number

1916.51

Collections

Works on Paper

Label Text

Wynkyn de Worde, Caxton's successor, was one of the chief printers in London in the late fifteenth and early sixteenth century. He had published the first edition of this book in 1494. On the back of the title page, the texts states: "Here after followeth the chapyres of this present volume of Walter Hylton, named in layton (Scala perfectionis) englysshed, the ladder of preccyon..." Wynkyn de Worde's bold colophen ends the book.

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