

# DREAM OF MEN WHO ATE US (DREAM 25º)

CLASIFICACIÓN: DRAWINGS

SERIE: CAPRICHOS (PRINTS AND DRAWINGS, 1797-1799) (13B/85)



## DATOS GENERALES

CRONOLOGÍA

Ca. 1796 - 1797

UBICACIÓN

The Prado National Museum. Madrid, Madrid, Spain

DIMENSIONES

242 x 167 mm

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RECONOCIMIENTO DE LA AUTORÍA DE GOYA

Documented work

TITULAR

El Prado National Museum

FICHA: REALIZACIÓN/REVISIÓN

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INVENTARIO

537 (D. 3918)

## INSCRIPCIONES

25 (in pencil; recto, upper centre)

*Sueño de unos hombres q.e se nos comían* (in pencil; recto, lower middle)

18 [superimposed on the numbering 6] (in pencil; recto, lower left-hand corner)

Watermark: *H.C. Wend & Zoonen* [Large shield with helmet and letters "H -- C / W" inside].

## HISTORIA

On the gestation, history and aims of the series known as *Dreams*, a set of preparatory drawings for *The Caprices*, see *Dream 1: Universal Language*.

Line of provenance of the present drawing: Javier Goya; Mariano Goya, 1854; Valentín Carderera, ca. 1861; Mariano Carderera, 1880; Prado Museum, 1886.

## ANÁLISIS ARTÍSTICO

Goya based the drawing we are concerned with here on the drawing in the *Album of Madrid* or *Notebook B*, *Merry Caricature (B.63)* which, in turn, served as a source of inspiration for *Caprice no. 13, They Are Hot*.

As in the drawing in *Notebook B*, Goya again focused on the excesses of the clergy. With respect to the drawing in the notebook, he eliminated from the sketch the phallic-shaped nose held on a kind of small crutch, although in this case he introduced a macabre detail, as a layman without a tonsure carries a fountain with a human head that he is going to serve to the friars. This aspect is not perceived in the other preparatory drawing or in the engraving with the same clarity as in this case.

## EXPOSICIONES

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### Goya luces y sombras

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**PALABRAS CLAVE**

**CAPRICCIO CLERO FRAILES CARICATURA SUEÑO**

**ENLACES EXTERNOS**