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Pattern #11809

Pattern Name: "The Good Childs Reward"

Center Pattern Border







Alternate Names: The Good Child's Reward

Category: Children's Subjects / Gifts for Good Children

Border: Miscellaneous / Molded rim / Alternating Flowers and Birds

Additional Information:

Plate, 5.5 inches, maker unknown. There is a molded border of alternating birds and flowers. The pattern is illustrated and discussed in Riley1991, pp. 24 and 25 (26) on a 2.38 inch high by 2.5 inch diameter mug printed in black. Riley says the pattern is copied from an illustration for "My Mother" by Ann Taylor, a picture sheet/booklet published by William Darton, junior in London in 1815. The illustration is shown at the bottom of p. 24 and at the left-hand bottom of p. 30, where it was used on a 5.5 inch plate (65). The aforementioned plate includes the poem "My Mother." The mother, who is seated on a bench, holds out a doll to her daughter. The little girl is reaching for the doll. The molded border of alternating flowers and birds is separated into six panels. Similar borders are found on Swansea children's plates in Hallesy2006, pp. 53 (5.8) and 54 (5.10). To see other patterns that were intended as gifts for children, search Children's Subjects/Gifts For Good Children in the database.

Body Type: Earthenware

Print Process: Underglaze Tissue Printed

Color: Printed and Painted

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Maker:

Maker Unknown

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