

Valle Crucis

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Description

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Valle Crucis Abbey, North Wales

Signed lower right: J. Varley/1835
Watercolour over pencil, with cut corners
128 x 171 mm., 5 x 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.

Valle Crucis Abbey was founded in 1201 just to the west of Llangollen and was an active Cistercian monastery until it was dissolved in 1537 and subsequently fell into disrepair.