Young Man Likened to Red Plum Blossoms

Date

early-mid 1760's

Primary Maker

Torii Kiyosato

Medium

woodblock print; ink and color on paper; benizuri-e.

Description

Hashira-e ("pillar picture" print format). The young man (wakashu) is holding a branch of fragrant red plum blossoms (kobai no hana) which helps evoke a sense of his youthful masculine charm; he is accompanied by a young boy attendant.

Dimensions

59.4 x 10.1 cm (23 3/8 x 4 in.)



