

SARAH COLEGRAVE  
FINE ART

The Songbird  
Frank Watkins

Sold



REF: 249891

Height: 44.45 cm (17.5")

Width: 31.75 cm (12.5")

Framed Height: 85.09 cm (33.5")

Framed Width: 71.12 cm (28")

## Description

Frank Watkins worked as a children's book illustrator in the early 20th century. He provided illustrations for *The Man From the Moon* by Philip Carmichael (1909); *The Sun's Babies* by Edith Howes (1910); *The King Who Never Died: Tales of King Arthur* by Dorothy Senior (1910) and *Fairy Rings* by Edith Howes (1911). In the early decades of the twentieth century he contributed as a writer and illustrator to a large number of Blackie's special publications for children including *My Own Big Book*, *My Own Picture Story Book*, *The Rainy Day Book* and others. Watkins lived at 64 Waldegrave Park, Twickenham.