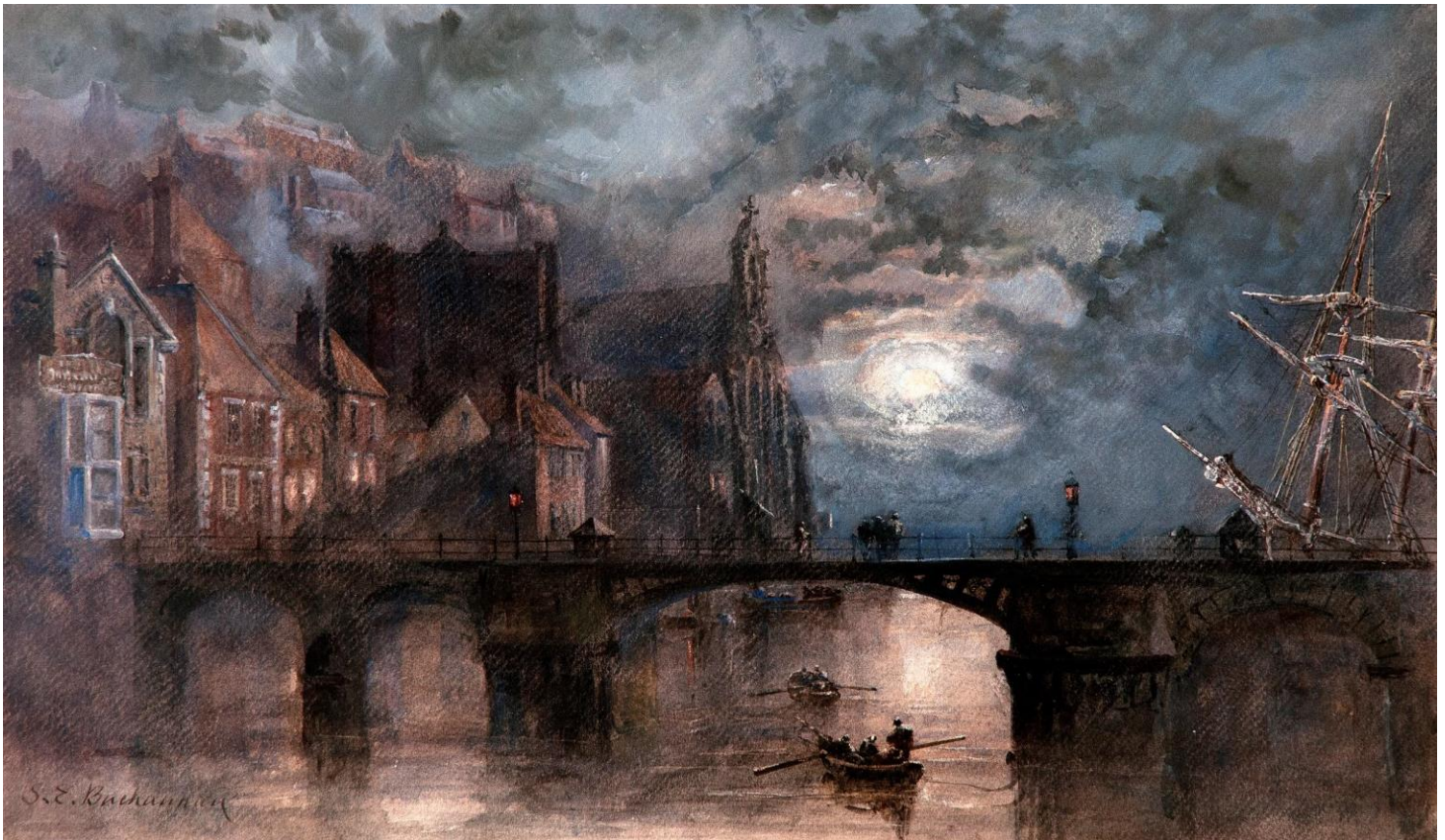


We hope you enjoy this painting from the Pannett Art Gallery

Whitby Bridge by Sarah Ellen Weatherill (1836 – 1918)



Do you like the way Sarah Weatherill has painted Whitby at night?

How does it make you feel? Would you like to explore the town by moonlight?

Sarah is the second of George Weatherill and his wife's, (also called Sarah), four children.

George taught her to paint and draw and she further developed her talent by studying in London galleries and copying paintings there.

Sarah was the only one of the Weatherill children to marry and to have children.

Sarah signed her early pictures either Sarah Weatherill or with her initials S.E.W. After marrying Charles Buchanan in 1875 she signed her paintings Sarah Buchanan, although following her marriage Sarah rarely painted. However, this beautiful, atmospheric, moonlit scene is one of these later watercolour paintings.