

Basic Detail Report

Leonard Whiting and Olivia Hussey at a

formal dinner

Date

1969-1969

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Leonard Whiting and Olivia Hussey starred as Romeo and Juliet in the 1968 Zeffirelli film *Leonard Whiting* (born 30 June 1950) is an English actor who is best known for his role as Romeo in the 1968 Zeffirelli film version of *Romeo and Juliet* opposite Olivia Hussey's Juliet, a role which earned him the Golden Globe Award for New Star of the Year - Actor. He was touted as a star in the making, the next Laurence Olivier and the next great British actor. Whiting ended his film career in the mid-'70s and subsequently placed his focus upon his theatrical career as an actor and writer. He now lives in London. In 2014, he reunited with Olivia Hussey for the film *Social Suicide* (2015), their first work together in the 46 years since *Romeo and Juliet*.

Dimensions

Overall: 30.2 x 21.2 cm (11 7/8 x 8 3/8 in.)