



Important 18th Century Italian Navy Animated Port Scene



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Period : 18th century

Condition : Réentoilé

Material : Oil painting

Length : 83 x 62 hors cadre

Width : 103 x 84 total

Description

18th-century Italian seascape, Le Lorrain or Vernet school. An elegant Italian seascape depicting a lively shoreline in delicately nuanced light. To the left, a few figures--fishermen and villagers--are busy near barrels and a path leading to a tower and ancient buildings of Mediterranean inspiration. In the center, two slender trees stand out against a changing sky, while to the right, a seated man peacefully fishes at the water's edge. In the distance, a rowboat and a sailboat punctuate the maritime horizon. The harmonious palette of browns, greens, and silvery grays, as well as the refined play of light and shadow, evoke the tradition of Italian landscape painters influenced by Vernet and Le Lorrain. Presented in a carved ebonized wood frame decorated with leafy gilt motifs, the work exudes a classical

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refinement and meditative poetry typical of
18th-century Italian seascapes. 19th-century
stretcher frame