



Fishermen On The Beach By Auguste Delacroix 1809-1868

850 EUR



Signature : Auguste Delacroix

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Length : 32 cm/ 41 cm avec cadre

Width : 45 cm/ 54 cm avec cadre

Description

"Fishermen on the Beach" by Auguste Delacroix (1809-1868), an oil painting on canvas on panel depicting young fishermen, a huge sailing trawler, and a living tent behind them. In the foreground are baskets, jugs, and barrels, then the young fishermen in rags conversing, and in the distance, other trawlers and seagulls under turbulent skies. Auguste Delacroix was a French painter, born in Boulogne-sur-Mer in 1809 and died in the same city in 1868. He painted seascapes on the French coast and in North Africa, as well as some Orientalist genre paintings. One of the main characteristics of Auguste Delacroix is the number of trips he undertook for the time. Although he remained very attached to his native city, he also stayed in Brittany around 1835; In Normandy and the

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Somme, around 1837-1838. In 1850, he traveled across France, passing through Loches, then went to Spain (Seville, Sierra Morena), then Morocco (Tangier, Tetouan) and Tunisia (Sidi Bou Said). A decade later, Italy attracted him. He visited the Abruzzo region, Rome, and Southern Italy. His paintings are in all the best collections (Museums of Athens, Brooklyn, Brussels, Victoria and Albert, Marseille, Rennes, Reims, etc.). The artist belongs to the Romantic and Naturalist movements, using vivid colours, theatrical compositions, and dramatic lighting, combined with a descriptive approach to coastal communities.