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Aquarelle Att. à C. F. Lacroix De Marseille

3 800 EUR



Signature : Charles François LACROIX DE MARSEILLE

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Width : 23 cm

Height : 16,5 cm

Description

Superb little navy with watercolor enhanced with gouache, on laid paper, attributed to Charles François LACROIX DE MARSEILLE (1700-1779). This charming work, presented in a perfect state of conservation, shows a coastal landscape with a citadel in the foreground, revealing in the distance a Mediterranean city and a large ship returning to port. The scene is animated by many small characters, some busy around a boat returning from fishing, others at the seeing of the fortifications overlooking the sea. All are treated with a lot of life in their attitudes, rendered with some extremely fine features, and the atmosphere emerging from such a small work is the signature of artists of great talent such as Joseph Vernet or Lacroix of Marseille to whom our watercolor is attributed. His works are

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present in the greatest museums, and particularly sought after on the art market.

The leaf is framed in a beautiful gilded wooden baguette from the Louis XVI period, certainly original.

Dimensions with baguette: 23 X 16.5 cm