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Charta ofwer Oen St. Barthelemi (St. Barts!)

Stock#: 32352
Map Maker: Fahlberg
Date: 1786
Place: Sweden
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG-
Size: 17 x 13 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare chart of the island of St. Barts.

Swedish title in box upper right, all other information in French. Bays are noted, pathways and "Gustavia" is now named with a layout of the streets.

St. Barts was discovered by Columbus on his second voyage and named for his younger brother. Colonised by the French it was then ceded to Sweden, by Louis XIV in 1784, for free trading rights at Gotheborg, Sweden.

There are only 3 maps of St. Barts printed prior to 1800, all of which are exceedingly rare on the market.

Detailed Condition:

Repair in the lower right corner, just touching the printed image.