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Carte Reduite de la Mer Mediterranee

Stock#: 76360 Map Maker: Bellin

Date: 1764 **Place:** Paris

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 20×9.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive map of the Mediterranean published by Nicolas Bellin in his *Le Petit Atlas Maritime*. The map stretches from the Straits of Gibraltar in the west to the Syrian and Egyptian coasts in the east. The majority of the Black Sea is also visible.

Numerous coastal cities are denoted, although inland detail is limited. Relief is shown pictorially. The Adriatic Sea is named the "Gulf of Venice," while the Black Sea is also named "The Euxinic (sulfurous) Bridge." Malta and Cyprus are shown. Several kingdoms, such as the Kingdom of Algiers or the Kingdom of Tripoli, are shown in northern Africa.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color.