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Oil on Panel Signed by Harry
Geoffroi (Cornish 1852-1896).
Preparing Fish on the Quayside

Price

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Item Reference: SA886739

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 50 cm (19.7")

Width = 43 cm (16.9")

Description

An oil on panel by Harry Geoffroi (1852-1896), a Cornish artist of The Penzance school of Art. The painting depicts fisherman preparing fish on the quayside. Signed lower right . In very good condition and in the original gilded wooden frame. The actual painting measures 31cm X 23cm Framed it measures 50cm X 43cm We can deliver free of charge in UK mainland and can calculate the cost for international delivery . Payment by bank transfer or PayPal Biography The son of Henry Malcolm GEOFFROI, London-born Harry was brought to Penzance as a baby when his father was appointed the first director of the Penzance School of Practical Art, which was subsequently to become known as the Penzance School of Art. Harry became a painter and tutor at the School, and supported his parents in their sustained efforts to raise funds for the building of its permanent home in Morrab Road. The School opened in 1881 and over the next fourteen years 'became the centre for teaching, exhibiting and raising funds for local art in West Cornwall, mainly due to the efforts of the Geoffroi family.' (Waverly) Harry was appointed to the post of Art Master at Redruth School of Art, also acting as Ass...

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