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Isola Cuba Descritta . . .

Stock#: 81413 Map Maker: Coronelli

Date: 1690 circa **Place:** Venice

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 11.5×9 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine example of Coronelli's map of Cuba, from his Isolario dell'Atlante Veneto.

The map captures the long expanse of Cuba, with the island's main towns indicated by pictorial symbols. To the south are numerous islands including the "Jardin de la Reya" and the Cayman Islands, and to the north lie the Bahamas and "El Pracel", likely referring to Cay Sal Bank.

Decorative Baroque title cartouche in the lower-left corner is adorned with allegorical iconography alluding to the great bounty of Cuba.

Detailed Condition:

Uneven margins. Pinhole in border, to immediate left of "Oriente".