The Grand Tour is a feast for the eyes and will keep you turning its pages for hours and hours. EasyVoyage, London. About the Author. Born in Vienna, Austria, Harry Seidler studied architecture at the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg before winning a scholarship to Harvard, where he studied under Walter Gropius. He also studied under Josef Albers at Black Mountain College in North Carolina and was the chief assistant to Marcel Breuer in New York from 1946 to 1948. The Grand Tour studio tent is back in Whitby, England for various complicated reasons, some of which are James’s fault. In this show, Jeremy Clarkson tests the Porsche 911 GT3 RS, desperately trying to remain impartial despite knowing that Richard Hammond owns one, and then compares it to the track-focused BMW M4 GTS. Also in this episode, the hosts become unusually ecological as they attempt to create cars made of truly sustainable materials before taking part in what’s billed as a green motorsport event. 5. Moroccan Roll. Description. The Grand Tour studio arrives in Rotterdam where Jeremy C The Grand Tour was supposedly established by the English and disseminated to other European countries and whilst scholars typically contend that English milord outnumbered travellers from other nations for most of the eighteenth century, the attraction of Italy was clearly not limited to the English (or British) alone. A. De Seta, “Grand Tour: The lure of Italy in the eighteenth century,” in Bignamini and Wilton, Grand Tour, p. 14. Every European country has its own tradition in research on early modern travel. The Capture of the Westmorland. An Episode in the Grand Tour (New Haven, 2012); A. Sumner and G. Smith, eds, Thomas Jones (1742-1803): An Artist Rediscovered (New Haven, 2003); I. Warrell, Turner, and Venice (London, 2003). The exhibition, entitled “The English Prize, The Capture of the Westmorland: An Episode of the Grand Tour,” reveals the fascinating story of an English merchant ship that was captured by the French on 7 January 1779. The Westmorland left Livorno under Captain Michael Wallace with a cargo that included 57 crates of objects collected by aristocrats on the Grand Tour. These Grand Tourists included Francis Bassett, Prince William Henry and Charles Howard. The ship was chased by four French ships consisting of the Caton, Destin and two smaller vessels. Being outnumbered and outgunned, Captain Walla