

Steerage Passengers on an Emigrant Ship (1847)

Abstract

This colored wood engraving from 1847 shows emigrants on board a ship taking them to their new home. Most emigrants traveled as steerage passengers, an uncomfortable but inexpensive travel option.

Source



Source: "Steerage passengers on an emigrant ship," woodcut, 1847, Historisches Museum Bremerhaven.

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