

CRISTOPHER COLUMBUS DISCOVERY OF PUERTO RICO

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On November 19, 1493
Christopher Columbus
Discovered the island in his
second voyage to the New World.
This exhibit presents stamps of the discovery



"El Barquito" (The Landing Boat)
Puerto Rico Scott #133
19 Nov 1893, 400th anniversary
of the Landing of Columbus on
Puerto Rico. This was the third
commemorative stamp ever issued.



US, Scott# 2805, 29¢ Columbus
Landing in Puerto Rico
500th anniversary 1993



St. Vincent, Scott# 1233, 50¢
Discovery of the New World
500th anniversary 1989



Stamp issued in 1992 by the Committee for the
500th Anniversary of the Discovery of
América and Puerto Rico printed at
Fábrica Nacional de Moneda y Timbre in Spain



St. Kitts Scott# 272, \$5 Map Discovery
of America 500th Anniversary 1989