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Asia Secundum legitimas Projectionis Stereigraphicae regulus ext juxta recentissimas obserationes et relationes . . . 1744

Stock#: 103379
Map Maker: Homann Heirs / Haas
Date: 1744
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 21 x 19 inches
Price: \$ 675.00



Description:

Antique Map of Asia Published in Nuremberg

Detailed map of Asia, based upon Johann Mattheus Haas' stereographical projection of the world.

As noted in the key at the bottom center, the map is colored based upon the Religious Groups within Asia, including Roman Catholics, Greek Orthodox, Lutherans, Calvinists, Muslims (Ottoman and Persian sects), and Hindus.

Haas was a mathematician and cosmographer teaching at the University in Nuremberg. Among his accomplishments was one of the more interesting world projections of the 18th Century.

Striking full color example of this attractive map, with decorative cartouche and scale of miles.

Detailed Condition:

Engraving on 18th-century laid paper. Original hand-coloring. Moderate spotting and foxing, as shown.