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[Chur] Curiensis civitas, Rhetorum sive (ut hodie vocantur) Grisonum metropolis

Stock#: 27712
Map Maker: Munster
Date: 1560 circa
Place: Basel
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 14.5 x 12.5 inches
Price: Not Available



Description:

Fine early view of Chur, from a French edition of Munster's *Cosmographia*.

This woodcut view shows the walled city of Chur, capital of the Swiss canton of Grabsünden. Possibly the oldest city in Switzerland, with its valley showing evidence of having been settled for over five thousand years, Chur is attractively located in the alps.

Like with many of Munster's works, this is one of the earliest obtainable views of the city.

Detailed Condition: