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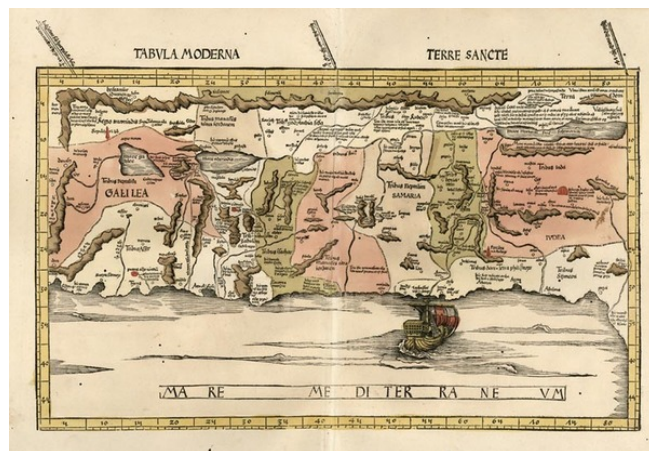
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Stock#: 12705
Map Maker: Waldseemüller
Date: 1513
Place: Lorraine
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 22 x 15 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A striking example with rich original color of Waldseemüller's modern map of the Holy Land. This work was based on the manuscript maps of Sanuto and Vesconte of c.1320 that were updated by Nicholaus Germanus in 1482 to include more cities and textual information. In its greatest departure from the Ptolemaic model, the map shows the land of Palestine divided among the 12 tribes of Judaea. The map is oriented to the southeast as indicated by the lines of latitude in the top margin. The map is very similar the modern Holy Land map first issued in the 1482 Ulm edition of Ptolemy's Geographia, but includes additional decorative embellishments, including the large ship. A gorgeous old color example. A number of very small wormholes throughout (as shown in the illustration), which do not detract from the image. Laor 609. The most recent recorded example of the map offered in a dealer catalogue is May 1999 (Suarez, Item #1).

Detailed Condition: