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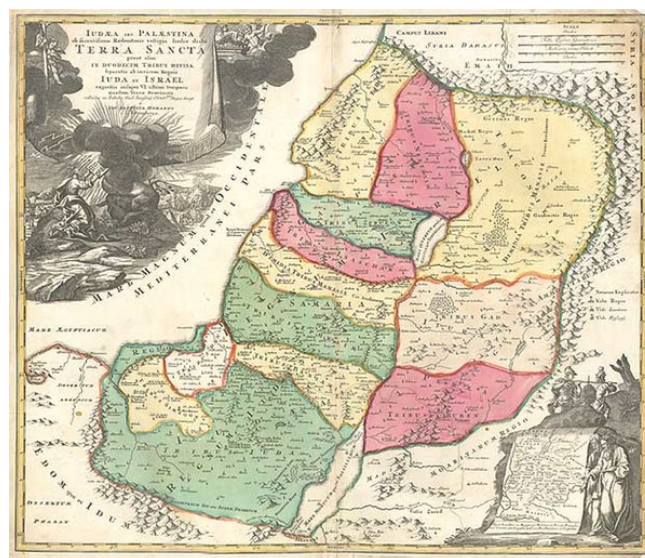
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Iudaea seu Palaestina ob sacratissima Redemptoris vestigia hodie dicta Terra Sancta prout olim In Duodecim Tribus Divisa separatim ab invicem Regnis Iuda et Israel...

Stock#: 1633
Map Maker: Homann
Date: 1707 (ca)
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 22.5 x 19.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking map of the Holy Land, published by JB Homann in Nuremberg. One of Homann's earliest maps, it reflects the engraving style and detail which is indicative of the elder Homann's work early in his career as a map engraver and publisher. The Holy Land is divided into 12 tribes and the cartography organized according to biblical information. The large inset map in the lower right corner shows the wanderings of Moses in the Desert on a yearly basis for 4 years, enveloped by a stunning cartouche of Moses and his various minions. The larger cartouche shows the scene of Moses receiving the 2 tablets of the law from God, the burning bush and the Israelites encampment at the base of the mountain, along with scenes from Heaven including several winged angels. A good example in old color. Minor fold split and some minor restorations to the corners, just entering the printed image. Normally a \$800.00 map. Laor 340; Nebenzahl 144-45. A remarkable dark clean impression, from a very early edition of Homann's Atlas Novus Terrarum. Pre-dates Homann's privilege.

Detailed Condition: