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Asia Poly Glottia Linguarum Genealogiam cum Literis, Scribendiq; Modis, exhibens

Stock#: 44679
Map Maker: Homann Heirs / Hensel
Date: 1746
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 8 x 6 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare Linguistic Map of Asia.

Rare map of Asia identifying the prevalent languages of the Asian continent.

Includes tables identifying the characters of the Hebrew, Syrian, Arabic, Armenian, Palmyrian Iberian, and Maiabrica. Some unusual projections of the continent, including Korea as an Island and an odd T. Jesso in place of Kamchatka.

Gottfried Hensel (1687-1765) was a German linguist, working in comparative linguistics. He worked as rector in Hirschberg (Jelenia Góra), Lower Silesia. Hensel is best known for his work *Synopsis Universae Philologiae*.

Detailed Condition: