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[Untitled Map of Cyprus, Syria, Palestine, etc.]

Stock#: 54950
Map Maker: Fries
Date: 1522 (1541)
Place: Strasbourg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 17 x 12 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

One of the earliest obtainable maps of Cyprus, Syria, the Holy Land and contiguous regions, from Fries edition of Ptolemy's *Geographia*.

Fries map of Cyprus, Syria, Mesopotamia, Babylonia, Arabia Petraea, Armenia Minor and the Holy Land, based upon the Geography of Claudius Ptolemy from the Second Century, A.D is one of the earliest obtainable maps of the region.

Latin text and elaborate decorations on the verso. A nice example, from the 1535 edition of Fries Atlas. First published in Strasbourg by Johannes Gruninger in 1522, Fries map is based upon Waldseemuller's map of 1513.

Detailed Condition: