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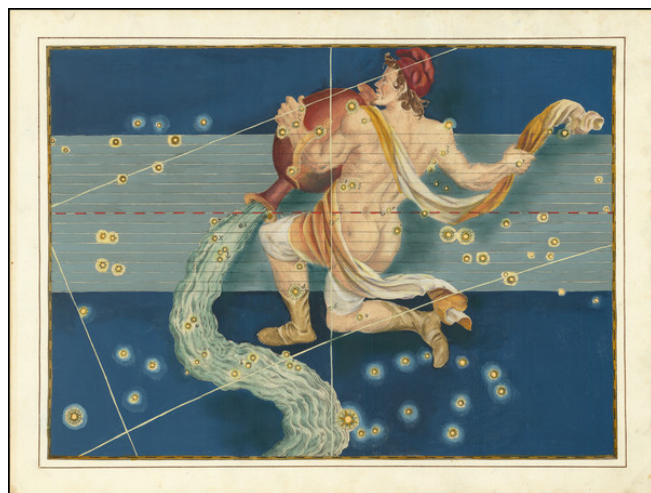
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[Aquarius] (Stars Heightened in Gold)

Stock#: 68401
Map Maker: Bayer
Date: 1603
Place: Augsburg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 15.5 x 11.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A magnificent full-color example of Bayer's celestial chart of Aquarius, with the stars heightened in gold. Aquarius, shepherd son of Tros with whom Zeus fell in love, is here portrayed with his water jug, set against a brilliant dark blue background.

The image is oriented so that the ecliptic line lies on the horizontal, and other lines of cosmological importance are shown. The present example has no text on the verso. This work appeared in Bayer's *Uranometria*.

Detailed Condition: