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**Stock#:** 77630  
**Map Maker:** Munster  
**Date:** 1570 circa  
**Place:** Basle  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 14 x 10.5 inches Including Text  
**Price:** \$ 125.00



### Description:

Highly detailed antique woodcut bird's-eye view of Rouffach, a town in eastern France known for its Alsatian wines. The view shows the city and its surroundings in great detail, with fields, buildings, churches, and a castle all depicted in Sebastian Munster's classic gothic style.

Looming above the city is the Chateau d'Isenbourg, which has now been converted to a guesthouse. While the city is formed in a curious U shape, it is not bounded by a river as shown on the view. The city is located nearby to the Rhine.

The view includes an elaborate title banner above the town. This originally appeared in Munster's *Cosmographia*, one of the most influential geographical works of the 16th century, first published in 1544.

### Detailed Condition:

Small amount of toning and staining at the centerfold - confined to top and bottom blank margins.