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A New & Accurate Map of Brasil. Divided into its Captainships Drawn from the most approved Modern Maps & Charts . . .

Stock#: 77882 **Map Maker:** Bowen

Date: 1744 Place: London

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 17×14 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Bowen's map of Brazil is one of the most interesting English language maps of Brazil from the middle of the 18th Century.

Extending from the Amazon to St. Katherine and centered on the Bahia Todos Santos, it shows Brazil divided into its Portuguese Captaincies.

The map is richly annotated with notes concerning the geography, indigenous peoples and exploration of the region, including a note regarding the omission of the mythical island of Ascension, based upon the work of Sir Edmund Halley.

Includes a decorative cartouche and a large inset of the Island of St. Katherine.

Detailed Condition: