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A New & Accurate Map of the Kingdoms of Naples & Sicily

Stock#: 79979
Map Maker: Bowen
Date: 1744
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 9 x 12.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed regional map of southern Italy and Sicily, published in London by Emanuel Bowen in the mid-18th century for his *A Complete System of Geography*.

The map shows the region which formed part of the Kingdom of Naples and Sicily, one of the most important powers on the Italian Peninsula during the second millennium. At the time of this map's creation, the Kingdom had recently become a part of the Bourbon dynasty of Spain, having passed from Hapsburg control.

The map is highly decorative, with a cartouche showing an aqueduct and a compass rose. Many cities, towns, and rivers are named, and topography and roads are represented.



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