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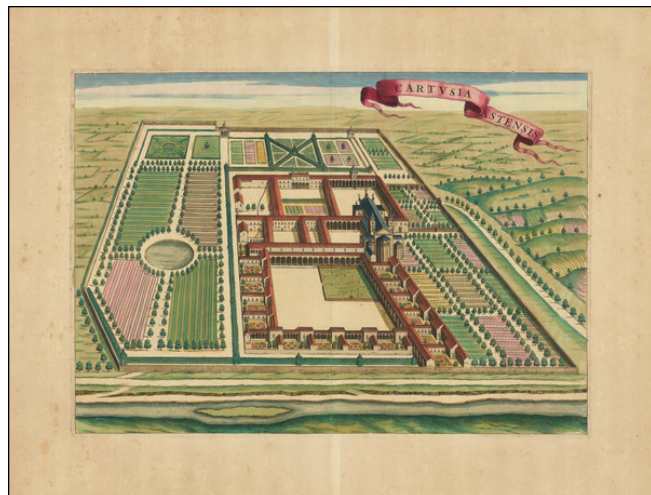
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**[Certosa di Valmanera, Asti, Piedmont] Cartusia Astensis**

**Stock#:** 89102  
**Map Maker:** Blaeu  
  
**Date:** 1682 circa  
**Place:** Amsterdam  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 20 x 14 inches  
  
**Price:** \$ 345.00



**Description:**

Exceptionally hand-colored example of finely engraved view of Certosa di Valmanera, Asti, Piedmont.

The map is based upon a drawing by Giovanni Tommaso Borgonio (Perinaldo circa 1618 - before 1692). The view shows Certosa di Valmanera. In the image, near the church, the large cloister stands out around which the houses of the individual monks, each of which is accompanied by a small garden.

The view was issued in Joan Blaeu's Italian town book, first published in Amsterdam in 1682.

**Detailed Condition:**

Superlative original hand-color in full, with highlights in gold. Some toning and soiling confined to the margins.