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Stock#: 89622
Map Maker: de Vaugondy
Date: 1743
Place: Paris
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG+
Size: 18.5 x 24 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Large antique engraved map by de Vaugondy depicting Ancient Egypt divided into three parts: Superior or Thebais, Media or Heptanomia, and Inferior or Delta. The concentration of civilization along the Nile and particularly the Nile Delta is evident.

The title vignette, engraved by Gobin, shows a personification of the Nile at the foot of a pyramid with a crocodile, sphynx, obelisk, and a sarcophagus.

Rarity

This map is evidently quite rare; we find an example in the BnF, but otherwise, it does not seem to have traded. There is no record for it RBH, nor in the OldMaps.com database.



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Detailed Condition:

Original outline hand-color.