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## Tokyo a View of the World

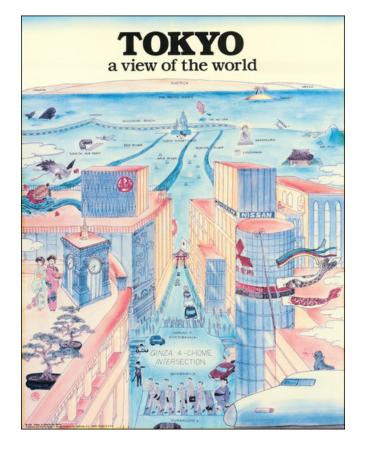
**Stock#:** 92405

Map Maker: Harvey Hutter & Co.

Date: 1990Place: New YorkColor: ColorCondition: VG+

**Size:** 22 x 28 inches

**Price:** \$ 275.00



## **Description:**

Playful vintage pictorial map of a "view of the world" from Tokyo, based on Saul Steinberg's famous *New Yorker* magazine cover "View of the World from 9th Avenue", which appeared in March 1976, and lampooned New Yorkers' alleged navel-gazing attitude.

The view looks down a corridor of tall buildings in Tokyo identified as the Ginza 4-Chrome Intersection, with Tokyo Landmarks beyond, and, ultimately, the Pacific, Hawaii and America, etc.

The present view is one of a large series of images that riffed on the Steinberg concept while substituting other American and worldwide cities. Steinberg's original work has been the subject of almost-countless parodies, including one, by Columbia Pictures, which resulted in a copyright infringement lawsuit.

## **Detailed Condition:**