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Stock#: 15329 **Map Maker:** Ortelius

Date: 1598
Place: Antwerp
Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 19 x 14.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine example of Ortelius' decorative map of Greece, Turkey and Asia Minor, with neighboring islands, from the 1598 French edition of Ortelius' Theatrum. The map is embellished by a decorative cartouche and scale of miles. An attractive full color example, with nice margins. Van den Broecke 215. Based upon Nikolaus Sophianos' map of Greece around 1540 which was published by Johannes Oporinus in Basel in 1545 as an eight block woodcut map, and in 1552 as a four sheet engraved map.

Detailed Condition: