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Siciliae Veteris Typus

Stock#: 28779
Map Maker: Ortelius
Date: 1584
Place: Antwerp
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 19 x 15 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Nice example of Ortelius' map of Sicily, from Ortelius' *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum*, the first modern atlas of the world.

Includes an inset map of Syracuse and a list of the towns in the lower left. Sea monsters and ships are depicted in the seas.

Ortelius based this map on Gastaldi's 1545 map of Sicily.

Detailed Condition:

Faint residue from old framing tape on verso, not visible on the front of the map.