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Globus Terraqueus Ecclesiastico Politicus In Suas Partes Et Dominia Divisus

Stock#: 44765
Map Maker: Scherer
Date: 1705
Place: Munich
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 9.5 x 7.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking map of the Eastern Hemisphere, held aloft by an arm and hand reaching from the clouds and holding an inverted axis.

The center map is surrounded by charts of Europe, Africa, Asia and America held aloft by representations of each of the 4 continents as females. The remainder of the title in banner form, held aloft by cherubs.

A marvelous allegorical map, which was one of the title pages of Scherer's Atlas. California is shown as an island and a primitive Australia also appears. Scherer's epic work is one of the great late 17th and early 18th Century Cartographic works and is especially prized for its stunning engraving and evocative images.

Detailed Condition:

Margins extended at left and right, with some evidence of discoloration.

Drawer Ref: Small Maps -
World

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