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Stock#: 5405
Map Maker: Quad
Date: 1600
Place: Cologne
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 12 x 9 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive full color example of Quad's map of North America, based upon De Jode's map of 1593, the first to incorporate the discoveries of John White & Jacques LeMoyne along the east coast. Virginia's nomenclature is too far North. An inviting Northwest passage invites a simple route to the Pacific. A curious second Peninsula is shown west of Florida, perhaps an early appearance of the Mississippi Delta. The descriptive text below provides a brief overview of the history of North America to date. The projection of California and the West is packed full of annotations and place names. The headwaters of the St. Lawrence extend to Cibola in the mythical Southwest. A cornerstone collector's map of North America. Burden 133; Cumming 24.

Detailed Condition: