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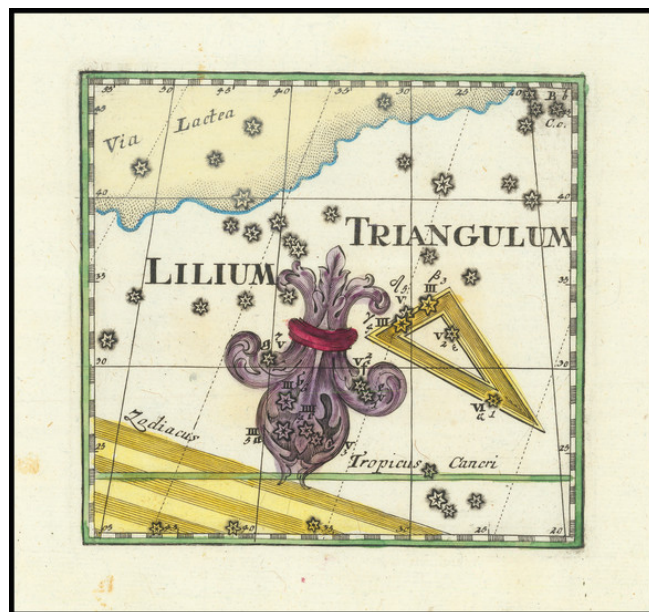
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Lilium / Triangulum

Stock#: 74346
Map Maker: Thomas

Date: 1730
Place: Frankfurt & Leipiz
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 5 x 4.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

"One of the Unsung Treasures of Celestial Cartography"

Fine old color example of Corbinianus Thomas's remarkable depiction of the constellations Lilium and Triangulum.

Lilium is was previously Apes (Bee) and was also a part of Hevelius' Musca Borealis. This constellation is no longer in use and the stars it contained are now included in Aries.

Thomas's work is remarkable for its detailed treatment of single and small groups of constellations, the meticulous detail in which these fine images are engraved and the exceptional detail of the color work. Among its contemporaries, it is unquestionably a visual masterwork of great note.

Detailed Condition: