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Parma

Stock#: 77544
Map Maker: Merian
Date: 1688
Place: Frankfurt
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 14.5 x 11 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Antique engraved view of Parma, in northern Italy, published by Matthaus Merian. Home of the famous ham, the map shows the city in detail with numerous buildings accurately depicted.

The city is here shown divided by the river which bears the city's name, as well as tributary branches. The town is surrounded by a moat. 75 places of interest are named.

Visible on the map are the city's Domo and its many churches and palaces. At the time of this map's publication, the city was capital of its own Duchy, at the period of its greatest strength. It would fall under Bourbon control through marriage in the 18th-century.

Detailed Condition: