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[Istanbul] Constantinopolis

Stock#: 86768
Map Maker: Merian

Date: 1650 circa
Place: Frankfurt
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 27.5 x 9 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking two-sheet view of Istanbul, published by Matheus Merian, in Frankfurt circa 1650.

A superbly-detailed prospect of Constantinople from Galata, which was, according to the title, taken from life in 1635. It depicts both sides of the Golden Horn in great detail, with the important buildings identified by a 29-point key below.

Providing a remarkable depiction of the Ottoman capital at the height of its power.

Detailed Condition: