

Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.

7407 La Jolla Boulevard La Jolla, CA 92037

www.raremaps.com

(858) 551-8500 blr@raremaps.com

Orbis Terrarum Tabula Recens Emendata et in Lucem Edita

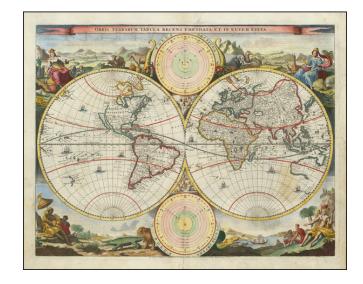
Stock#: 93430 Map Maker: Keur

Date: 1682 circaPlace: DordechtColor: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 18 x 14 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine double hemisphere map of the World, based upon Nicolas Visscher's map of 1658.

The Keur family produced a number of different bibles from their press at Dordrecht and later at Rotterdam. This finely executed general map in two hemispheres is beautifully decorated. Within each corner classic scenes representing the rape of Persephone, Zeus being carried across the heavens in an eagle-drawn chariot, Poseidon commanding his entourage, and Demeter receiving the fruits of the Earth.

The northern part of California (as an island) is flat, based on Briggs model. A small piece of land Anian appears adjacent to a strait leading within striking distance of the west shores of Hudson's Bay.

Detailed Condition: