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Antique Plan de l'Histoire Universelle World Map, Framed Cartography, Circa 1730

Price

GBP 925

| USD \$1,252 | EUR 1,082

Item Reference: SA1188603

Date of manufacture: Georgian

Dimensions

Height = 44.5 cm (17.5")

Width = 54.5 cm (21.5")

Depth = 2 cm (0.8")

Description

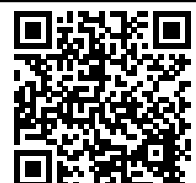
This is an antique Plan de l'Histoire Universelle World Map. A Dutch, framed atlas engraving by Henri Abraham Chatelain, dating to the 18th century and later, circa 1730. Published in Amsterdam, with all text in French. The full title reads; Plan de l'Histoire Universelle, Oulon voit les Quartre Monarchies du Monde, et tous les Anciens Etats auffi bien que ceux qui fubsiste. A fascinating 18th century world map, accentuated with encyclopaedic detail. Displaying a desirable aged patina and in good original order. Wonderful period cartography piece, set within a later glazed frame. Compiled by Chatelain with profuse detail of monarchs, the Seven Wonders of the World et al. Map centred around Eurasia, with the Americas charmingly featured within a medallion. Annotated with the Equator and the tropics of Cancer and Capricorn respectively. Replete with a grid reference system for locating points of interest. Hand coloured palette accentuates the map throughout to great visual effect. Further detailing monarchs and ancient states such as the Roman Empire and Carthage. Medallion excerpts present the ancient Seven Wonders of the World with appealing illustrations. The map is dressed ...

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