



## **A 16TH CENTURY MINIATURE MAP OF FRANCHE-COMTÉ**

**£50.00**

Burgundiae Com.

**Cartographer** [LANGENES, Barent.](#)

**Date** 1599

**Stock #:** 21141

**Publication:** Amsterdam, Cornelis Claez, 1599, Dutch text edition. 85 x 125, with letterpress surtitle and pagination.

**Condition:** Faint damp stains.

### **DESCRIPTION:**

A scarce map of Franche-Comté, orientated with north to the left, engraved by either Pieter van den Keere or Jodocus Hondius for the 1598 'Caert-Thresoor', with a text by an unknown author. Despite being published a year after the first edition, this is a second state: the top border has been re-engraved with latitude graduations.

By 1600 this map was being published in the 'Tabularum Geographicarum Contractarum' with a text by Petrus Bertius, and in 1616 a new plate was engraved by Jodocus Hondius II, slightly larger and with wider borders with scales of longitude and latitude.