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Explore our collection of genuine antique maps of London, dating from the 17th to the 20th centuries. The collection includes historic street plans, maps of London and Westminster, River Thames charts, London Dock maps and views of the capital by notable cartographers and publishers. Every map is an original historical item rather than a modern reproduction, with a Certificate of Authenticity supplied where applicable. Free UK mainland delivery is included.

16th–17th Century London Depicted in Later Historic Maps

Early maps of London provide a fascinating record of the capital before its later expansion. These historic maps can be particularly interesting to collectors researching the early development of the city including the rebuilding that followed the Great Fire of London in 1666. Some of the maps in this section were published in the 19th century but depict London as it appeared in earlier periods.



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London before the Great Fire ([london-wilkinson-3860.html](#))

Robert Wilkinson

A retrospective map depicting London around 1660 published c.1816

£375.00

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London in the Olden Times ([london-olden-time-3934.html](#))

William Newton

Large, historical map depicting London and Westminster in the late 16th century during the reign of Henry VIII, published 1855

£1375.00

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London in the Reign of Queen Elizabeth I ([london-cassels-3011.html](#))

Cassells

A retrospective map of the capital city in the late 16th and early 17th century, published c.1863

£545.00

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18th Century Historical London Maps

Eighteenth-century London maps show the continuing expansion of the capital and the development of areas beyond the historic centre. They are popular with collectors interested in London's Georgian history.



[\(london-homann-heirs-4624.html\)](#)

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Homann Heirs

Large map of London and the River Thames with a birds-eye view circa 1741

£625.00

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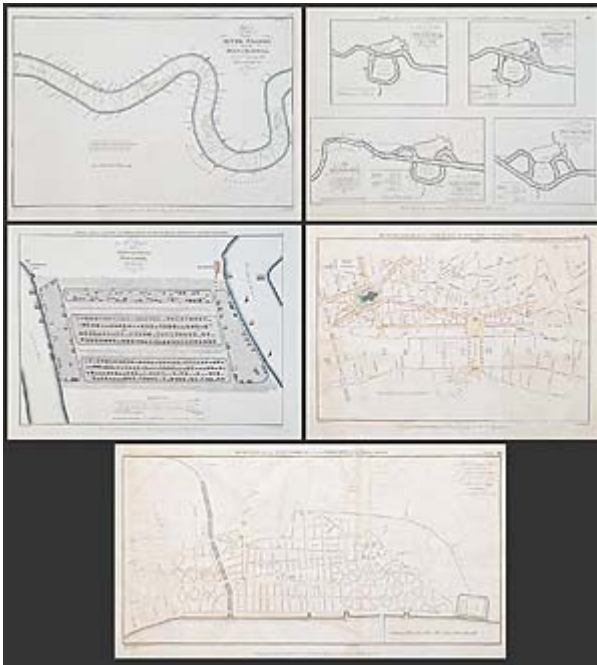
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[St. Giles Cripplegate \(st-giles-cripplegate-london.html\)](#)

[Stows Survey of London \(st-giles-cripplegate-london.html\)](#)

Detailed Plan of the London borough 1755

£85.00

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Historic maps of London detailing the rebuilding of the city after the Great Fire of 1666 and later proposals for the improvement of the London Docks c.1803

£1100.00 set of 5

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19th Century Antique London Maps

Nineteenth-century maps provide an especially detailed record of London's rapid growth during the Victorian period. They can show newly developed streets, suburbs, railways and other features of the expanding city. The railways especially, mobilising the 'new commuters'.

[\(river-thames-3949.html\)](#)

[River Thames and Sheerness Dock Chart \(river-thames-3949.html\)](#)

Robert Wilkinson

c.1831 very scarce

£295.00

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[\(london-creighton-walker-3718.html\)](#)

[London and Environs \(london-creighton-walker-3718.html\)](#)

Creighton and Walker

Decorative and detailed street map of London 1840

£395.00

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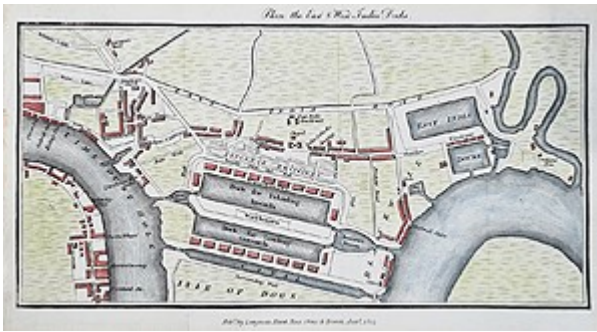
[London Antique map \(London-sduk-4592.html\)](#)

SDUK

Very detailed, 19th century antique map of London with illustrations c.1835-6

£875.00

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East and West India Docks and the River Thames, London ([east-west-docks-thames-4376.html](#))

Isaac Basire

1815

£120.00

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Cassell's Monumental or Immense Map of London ([london-cassels-3935.html](#))

Edward Weller and John Dower

1866

£2850.00

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[Thomas Moule \(london-antique-map-thomas-moule.html\)](#)

Old map of London and environs C.1836

£95.00

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Large street map of London and Westminster 1875

£525.00

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[G. W. Bacon \(london-bacon-3870.html\)](#)

Street map of London c.1890

£495.00

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[Wallis's Guide for Strangers through London and Westminster \(london-wallis-4031.html\)](#)

Edward Wallis

Extensive street pan of London with a key to all the road names 1820

£445.00

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[London and Environs \(london-moule-schmollinger-2838.html\)](#)

[Thomas Moule \(london-moule-schmollinger-2838.html\)](#) and Schmollinger

Highly decorative map of London c.1836

£385.00 very scarce

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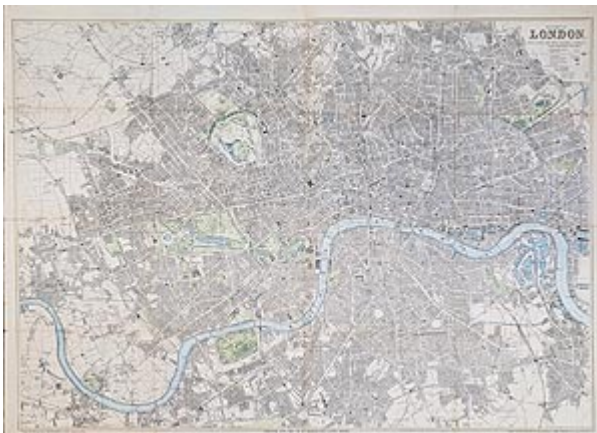
The Environs of London S.D.U.K. ([london-SDUK-4707.html](#))

H. Waters

Very detailed map of London and the surrounding area 1832

£145.00

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London ([london-cassells-bacon-4703.html](#))

Bacon for Cassells

Extensive folding street map of London in late Victorian times c. 1879

£395.00

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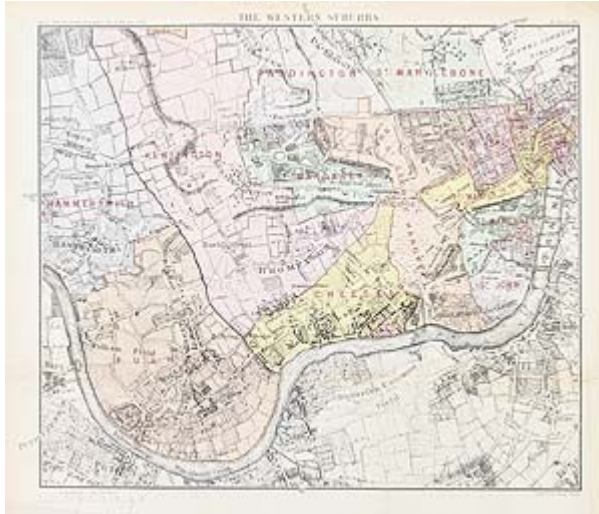
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Reynolds

Victorian street map of London 1851

£175.00

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[London - The Western Suburbs \(west-london-4708.html\)](#)

Stanfords

Victorian street map of West London c. 1890

£75.00

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[Leigh's New Plan of London \(leighs-london-3015.html\)](#)

Sidney Hall for Samuel Leigh

Old Victorian Street Plan of London 1824

£445.00

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London and Its Environs ([london-charles-smith.html](#))

Charles Smith

Extensive antique wall map of London c.1862

£745.00

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London Post Office Directory ([london-post-office-directory-4254.html](#))

Kelly and Co.

Large Victorian Street map of London 1884

£95.00

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Samuel Neele for Lamberts

Georgian Street map of London with key to place names 1806

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[London - Guide to the International Exhibition \(london-dower-exhibition-4253.html\)](#)

John Dower

1862

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[A New Pocket Plan of London, Westminster and Southwark \(london-cary-4712.html\)](#)

John Cary

1801

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20th Century Vintage London Maps

These later vintage maps of London, Westminster and the River Thames depict the city after the peak of the industrial revolution. Commercial development has started to decrease and urbanization is accelerating especially after two world wars.



[\(london-baker-4157.html\)](#)

[London \(london-baker-4157.html\)](#)

Charles Baker

Bird's eye view of the city celebrating the start of a new century 1901

£375.00

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[River Thames Vintage Chart of London Docks \(thames-docks-4378.html\)](#)

Port of London Authority

1959

£165.00

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Historic Maps of London

Antique maps provide a unique insight into the history and development of London. Over the centuries, the capital expanded from the historic City of London and Westminster into the much larger city that exists today. Old maps can reveal

streets, buildings, districts, roads and waterways that have subsequently changed or disappeared.

Early maps of London are particularly interesting to collectors and historians because they record the changing appearance of the capital at important periods in its history. Later maps can show the rapid expansion of London during the Georgian and Victorian periods, as new roads, neighbourhoods and transport routes transformed the city. The illustrated development of the docks reflect the changes in commercial activity, wealth and growing stature of the capital.

Our collection of historic maps of London includes maps from different periods and by different cartographers. Each map offers a distinctive view of London and its surrounding areas and can make an interesting addition to a collection, study or period-style interior.

Frequently Asked Questions About Antique London Maps

What are antique maps of London?

Antique maps of London are historical maps produced in earlier periods to record the capital and its surrounding areas. They can show streets, buildings, districts, waterways, docks and other features that have changed significantly over time.

How old are antique London maps?

The age of an antique London map depends on the individual map. Historical maps of London can date from several different periods, including the 17th, 18th and 19th centuries. The date and cartographer are important factors when identifying and evaluating a map.

Who made antique maps of London?

London has been mapped by many important cartographers, including [John Speed \(john-speed-antique-maps.htm\)](#), [John Rocque \(john-rocque.html\)](#), [Robert Morden \(robert-morden-antique-maps.html\)](#), [John Cary \(john-cary.html\)](#) and [Thomas Moule \(thomas-moule-county-maps.html\)](#). Different mapmakers produced maps during different periods and their work can vary considerably in style, detail and geographical coverage.

Are antique maps of London original?

Individual maps should be assessed according to their date, printing method, publication history and condition. Where relevant, the product description should clearly state whether a map is an original historical map or a later issue.

Can antique maps of London be framed?

Antique London maps can make attractive framed displays because they combine historical interest with decorative appeal. The appropriate framing method depends on the age, condition, size and type of the individual map.

What areas are shown on antique London maps?

Historic maps can show different parts of the capital, including the City of London, Westminster, the River Thames and surrounding districts. The geographical coverage varies according to the individual map.

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