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**A Selection of Incunabula  
Christie's South Kensington  
Tuesday 7 December 2004**

Total: £611,004	Lots Offered: 220	Lots Sold: 202
\$1,189,014	Sold by Lot: 92%	Sold by £: 95%
€883,512	Sale No: 5509	Exchange Rate: \$1.946/€1.446

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**Top Lots**

Lot	£	\$	€	Estimate	Buyer
51	£16,730	\$32,557	€24,192	£7,000-10,000	UK Private
Magnus Aurelius Cassiodorus, (c. 490-c. 583), <i>Historia ecclesiastica tripartita</i> . [Augsburg]: Johann Schüssler, circa 5 Feb 1472					
150	£11,950	\$23,255	€17,280	£5,000-8,000	UK Private
Johannes Nider (1380-1438), <i>Consolatorium timoratae conscientiae</i> . [Cologne: Ulrich Zel, not after 1470.]					
90	£10,157	\$19,766	€14,687	£3,000-5,000	European Private
filius Abenragel Haly (Albohazen) (965-1039). <i>Liber in iudiciis astrorum</i> , edited by Bartholomaeus de Alten. Venice: Erhard Ratdolt, 4 July 1485.					

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**Comment: Nicholas Worskett, Head of Book Department, South Kensington:**

“Incunabula (books printed before 1501) is a highly specialized field and we are therefore all the more delighted with the exceptional results of today’s sale which ended the year on such a high note. We would particularly like to thank Meg Ford for her invaluable help in securing and helping to catalogue this remarkable collection.”