

SA580623

Antique Turkmen Torba, Salor
Tribe, Turkmenistan, Central
Asia.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA580623

Date of manufacture: 1880

Dimensions

Height = 26 cm (10.2")

Width = 107 cm (42.1")

Description

This beautiful torba was made by Salor Turkmen in Turkmenistan circa 1880 with the use of cochineal-dye wool. The Salor were once the most powerful, noble and aristocratic Turkmen tribe up until the early 19th century when they were heavily defeated in battle with the ruling Persian Qajars and from this they did not recover. Later on, they were badly defeated again by the Teke and Sariq Turkmen and they moved away from what had been their homeland and eventually settling in the Sarakhs Oasis - a sad end to a most noble tribe. Today, carpets, rugs and trappings which were made by the Salor are highly collectable and rare to acquire. Size: 1.07m x 0.26m (3' 6" x 10").

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