

SA691110

Fine Melayir Rug, Persia circa 1880, 2.10m x 1.30m (6'11" x 4'3")

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA691110

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 210 cm (82.7")

Width = 130 cm (51.2")

Depth = 1 cm (0.4")

Description

Melayir is a village in West Persia which was founded for weaving rugs of high quality. Populated by Kurds who were known for being excellent dyers, the best Melayir rugs often have wonderful colours. This piece fits into that category. It is finely woven, folds like velvet, and has a wonderful combination of striking colours on a midnight-blue field. I like the quirky drawing of the central medallion framed by the dramatic border which reminds us that the rug was woven in village surroundings in the most basic of weaving conditions. A very striking rug with presence!

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