

SA865375

Antique Pair of Turkmen
'Dizlyks', Yomut Tribe,
Trans-Caspian Steppes,
Turkmenistan, Central Asia.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA865375

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 38 cm (15.0")

Width = 36 cm (14.2")

Description

'Dizlyks', were made specifically to wrap round the knobby knees of the wedding camel during the wedding procession. They were a smaller version of the 'asmalyk', large pentagonal wedding trappings that symbolised power and fertility. The dizlyks undoubtedly had the same symbolic meaning - lots of children, boys to protect the family unit and girls to make lots of rugs and carpets! These dizlyks are both in excellent condition with original tassels and made by Yomut Turkmen in the trans-Caspian Steppes circa 1900. The price below is for the pair. Size of each dizlyk: 38cm x 36cm (1' 3" x 1' 2") including tassels.

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