

SA930302

Antique Salt-Bag, Afshar
Nomads, Kerman Province,
Southern Persia.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA930302

Date of manufacture: 1880

Dimensions

Height = 53 cm (20.9")

Width = 36 cm (14.2")

Description

Woven in soumak technique on the face, this handsome salt-bag - 'namakdan' in Persian - the central field contains four '8-pointed stars' and one star in the neck - symbols of protection. I love the natural colours in this bag, particularly the use of yellow on the back and the powerful, beautifully-drawn, '8-pointed star'. Made by Afshar nomads in Kerman Province, south Persia during the last quarter of the nineteenth century, this is a very good, early, collectable salt-bag. Size: 53cm x 36cm (1' 9" x 1' 2").

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