

SA968867

Antique Vanity-Bag, Shahsevan
Nomads, Moghan Plain,
Azerbaijan.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA968867

Date of manufacture: 1880

Dimensions

Height = 16 cm (6.3")

Width = 14 cm (5.5")

Description

This tiny little 'chanteh' - vanity--bag - was woven in soumak technique on the face and plain-weave on the back, by Shahsevan nomads in the Moghan Plain of Azerbaijan, at the end of the 19th century. The bag contains two 'birds-heads' lozenges on the face - one disappearing under the border, indicating the tribal symbolism that the bag is capturing a small part of Paradise within its borders. Size: 16cm x 14cm (6" x 5").

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