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Bathiyari Rug--persian. Circa 1900. 155 X 90 Cm



750 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Wool

Length : 155 cm

Width : 90 cm

Description

Rare, unusual, and instantly recognizable, this piece is a double open-top Bakhtiari satchel, originally from Persia. A utilitarian object from the nomadic world, it impresses today with the extraordinary richness of its construction and its almost contemporary design. A key point: this is by no means a patchwork made from assembled antique fragments. The different parts belong to a single piece and bring together several techniques--flat weaving, sumak, embroidery, and knotted stitch--on a single item. The velvet sections correspond to the parts of the bag that are subject to the most wear and tear, reflecting a design that is as ingenious as it is aesthetic. The composition is perfectly balanced. Large, deliberately understated striped areas alternate with finely crafted bands and several geometric

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panels arranged asymmetrically. This succession of solid areas, lines, and patterns creates a true architectural rhythm. The decorated sections feature the full range of tribal motifs: geometric shapes, hooks, protective elements, and stylized patterns. The color palette is particularly appealing: deep brown, indigo blue and midnight blue, madder red, dusty pink, terracotta, orange-tinged ochre, natural beige, and ivory, complemented by a few sporadic touches of muted green and yellow. The plant-based dyes have retained beautiful shades, and the natural variations in the wool give the wide bands a depth that time has only accentuated. Wool on wool--mixed media. Persia, Bakhtiari. Circa 1900. Plant dyes. Dimensions: 155 x 90 cm. Laurent Beauty of Kilims