Kilim Parmakli - Afyon, Anatolia. Circa 1960. 104 X 96 Cm



680 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Wool

Length : 104 cm

Width : 96 cm

Description

The Pattern as a Form of Visual WritingThis piece belongs to the parmakli kilim family, which originates from the Afyon region in southwestern Anatolia. In Turkish, parmakli means "finger": the name fits well with these elongated shapes that seem to grow out from either side of the center.Everything is organized into horizontal bands. The shapes echo one another without ever repeating exactly: some stretch almost to the edges, while others converge toward the center. Their tips lend energy to the composition. The axis and symmetry are clearly present, but the subtle variations prevent the whole from feeling rigid.The colors also play an essential role. Coral red and deep red stand out against the ivory and light beige; mauve and violet add depth. Each color sets the stage for the next shape: geometry

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structures the piece, while color gives it movement.The parmakli pattern evokes family, the bonds of mutual support among its members, and, beyond that, the solidarity of an entire community. Here, the shapes face each other, draw closer, and move away together. Each retains its place while contributing to a single whole: a very concrete image of these bonds.Parmakli Kilim, Afyon Region, Anatolia Handwoven, wool on wool Plant-based dyes Circa 1960 Dimensions : 104 × 96 cmChoosing an antique rug or textile is often a serendipitous encounter. If one of our pieces catches your eye, or if you'd like more information or photos, I'd be happy to discuss it with you.Laurent Consul Beauty of Kilims 06 42 61 73 46