Kuba Kilim - Azerbaijan. Circa 1880. 405 X 168 Cm. Rug



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Wool

Length : 405 cm

Width : 168 cm

Description

Kuba--also spelled Quba or Guba--refers to a major weaving region in northeastern Azerbaijan. Pieces from this school are distinguished by the clarity of their designs: geometric shapes, medallions, and stylized motifs are arranged with precision. It is in this balance between the rigor of the composition, the richness of the details, and the subtlety of the colors that the character of Kuba's weavings is revealed.On this piece, the eye follows a series of large diamond-shaped medallions that stretches across the center of the kilim. Smaller motifs are interspersed among them, lending rhythm to the composition. On either side, indigo-blue bands, punctuated by angular orange and red shapes, frame the central field. The ivory and red borders further accentuate the design. The piece spans just over

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four meters in length: this scale lends the composition a truly spectacular effect, enhanced by the intensity of the reds, indigo, orange, brown, and ivory.The weave is extremely fine, precise, and even. For a piece of this length, it is surprisingly light and supple. A wool-on-wool weave, of course, but executed with masterful skill.Kuba Kilim, AzerbaijanWoven wool on woolPlant-based dyesCirca 1880Perfect condition, flawlessDIM: 405 × 168 cmChoosing an antique rug or textile is often a matter of serendipity. If one of our pieces catches your eye, or if you'd like more information or photos, I'd be happy to speak with you.Laurent ConsulBeauty of Kilims06 42 61 73 46