Signed Hereke Rug, Made Of Silk On A Gold-thread Background -- Turkey, Circa 1950



6 800 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Silk

Length : 146 cm

Width : 95 cm

Description

Signed Hereke carpet, in silk on a gold-thread background -- Turkey, circa 1950This Hereke carpet bears the artist's signature in a gilded cartouche in the center of the upper border. Its central field, woven entirely of gold thread, shimmers with champagne-colored highlights that shift with the light.The design depicts a garden filled with peacocks with long, ornate tails, crested birds, parrot-like birds, and large wading birds with the silhouettes of cranes and herons. Small birds perch in the branches or take flight among the flowers. Butterflies dot the garden, while stylized four-legged creatures resembling felines slip between the medallions of the large border. The turquoise braids echo the motif of small birds amid the flowers.The color palette blends sky blue, turquoise, and midnight blue

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with almond, olive, and moss greens. Powder pink, salmon, coral, straw yellow, ochre, and burgundy enliven the flowers and plumage. Shades of ivory, beige, and brown are found in the branches and borders, accented on the outside by a terracotta-colored braid. The delicate silk knotting brings out the details of the feathers, petals, and foliage.Dimensions · 146 × 95 cmKnot density · Approximately 12,000 knots/dm²