



## Item #27415 Period Antique Mythological Tapestry 9'6" H x 11'0" W



Original Price 134,995  
Outlet Price 54,995

Item Number 27415  
Name Mythological Tapestry  
Size 11' X 9' 6"  
Origin  
Style  
Size Category Horizontal Tapestries  
Mythological Tapestries  
Square Tapestries

Antiquity Circa 17th Century  
Period Antique

Primary Design Directional  
Sub-Design Pictorial  
Design Genre Allegorical Tapestry  
Historical Tapestry  
Mythological Tapestry

Field Color Ivory  
Border Color Gold  
Composition Wool with silk inlay  
Condition Excellent



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### Description



A Brussels mythological tapestry from the first half of the 17th century, woven by Peter van den Berghen, depicting an interior scene from the story of the Trojan War. In the center, Menelaus receives a cup from a woman who is holding a scepter, while several courtly figures look on, and a group of vessels are displayed on a shelf to the left. There are trees in the distance, *Mene laus* is inscribed on the man's robe and *Chire foar* is inscribed on the



woman's robe. Enclosed within a floral border, with the town mark of Brussels BVB and the weaver's monograms PVB in the outer lower guard border. Wool with silk inlay.

**Hanging:** The tapestry comes ready for hanging, with linen backing and a strip of hook and loop tape at the top end, which can be connected to the opposite side of the supplied hook and loop tape, which could be tacked to your wall. For those who prefer the use of a tapestry rod, we can add the appropriate size loops to accommodate your needs. We now have a large selection of antique tapestry rods available as well, which we can provide detail upon request.

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#### Associated Words and Descriptions:

accessory, antique, antiques, antique rug, antique carpet, antique tapestry, carpet, carpets, cleaning, classic oriental rugs, collectibles, collector items, collector piece, decor, decorative accessory, decorative item, decorative rug, decorator, design, designer, europe, european, farsh, fine, fine antique decorative rugs and carpets, floor covering, floral, geometric, ghali, hali, hand knotted, hand made, hand woven, home decor, home design, interior decor, interior decorator, interior design, interior designer, iran, iranian carpets, iranian rugs, luxury, luxe, new york, new york city, nyc, oriental rug, oriental carpet, persia, persian rug, persian rug gallery, persian carpet, persian carpets new york, persian carpets nyc, persian gallery, period european tapestry, period european tapestries, pgny, pillow, pillows, vintage, vintage carpets, vintage decorative pillows, vintage rugs, rare textiles, repair, restoration, rug, rug cleaning, rug repair, rugs, semi antique, pillow, pillows, tapis, tapisserie, tappeti, tappette, tappic, teppiche, textile, traditional, traditional decor,



traditional design, used rugs, used tapestries, wall hanging, wall decor, wool pile, wool rugs,

**Subject**

A Trojan War tapestry, featuring Menelaus receiving a chalice