



**Item #27469 Period Antique Mythological Tapestry 11'6" H x 10'8" W**



Original Price	85,000
Outlet Price	54,995
Item Number	27469
Name	Mythological Tapestry
Size	10' 8" X 11' 6"
Origin	
Style	
Size Category	Square Tapestries Vertical Tapestries
Antiquity	CircaLate 17th Century Period Antique
Primary Design	Directional
Sub-Design	Pictorial
Design Genre	Allegorical Tapestry Historical Tapestry Hunting Tapestry Mythological Tapestry
Field Color	Light Brown
Border Color	Brown
Composition	Wool with silk inlay
Condition	Excellent

URL <https://www.pgny.com/item27469>

**Description**

An antique 17th century Brussels mythological tapestry, size 11'6 H x 10'8 W, from the workshop of the renowned weaver, Jan Leyniers, after cartoons by Charles Le Brun and François Bellin for the landscapes. The set was rewoven many times with some variations in diverse workshops. It is one of the very first set invented by Charles Le Brun before he became the First



Painter of the King Louis 14th and director of the Gobelins workshop. A similar set was part of the collection of Louis 14th. The tapestry depicts The Story of Meleager and Atalanta, with the heroic hunter Meleager presenting his beloved Atalanta with the head of Boar of Calydon, after slaying the beast and stopping its devastation of the land. Enclosed within an elaborate border of flowers, hunting trophies, and a boar's head. Wool with silk inlay. Excellent condition.

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.

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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**

Meleager presents the head of the Boar of Calydon to Atalanta

**Persian Gallery Notes**

Woven in the Gobelins factory of Jan Leyniers, after cartoons by Charles Le Brun