

Head Scarf

Date

mid to late 20th Century

Primary Maker

Dong

Medium

Cotton

Description

This textile was used as a head covering by a Dong woman. Commonly used motifs can refer to Dong mythology. The birds seen on this example were likely used to invoke protection and empowerment as they are important spiritual symbols.

Dimensions

 11×32 in. $(27.9 \times 81.3 \text{ cm})$