## Item #31687 Vintage Afghan Afghan 7'8" H x 4'8" W







Item Number 31687
Name Afghan
Size 4' 8" X 7' 8"
Origin Afghan

Style Persian: Floral

Size Category Small & Scatter Size

Antiquity Circa1930

Vintage

Primary Design Allover
Sub-Design Cartouches
Design Genre Geometric
Informal

Tribal Village

Field Color Light Gray

Border Color Red
Composition Wool
Condition Excellent

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## **Description**

A vintage Afghan Ersari carpet, size 7'8" x 4'8", circa 1930.

This hand-knotted carpet comes from the Ersari village in Afghanistan, and is characterized by a repeating series of "guls" or abstract flowers in the spare primary field.

These particular "gul" motifs are sometimes referred to as "Elephant's Foot" designs, as they can be viewed as the footprints of an elephant, and are filled with smaller iconographic motifs, including the ever-important star motifs, floral sprays, and more.

The primary field is enclosed within a reciprocal outer border, which has alternating light and dark elements, signaling the light and dark days of life, and hoping for more good days ahead than bad ones.

Wool pile on a cotton foundation. In very good condition for its age and weaving style. A one of a kind piece, and one which carries with it a great deal of cultural depth and meaning!

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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,