



Mola Panel with Turtle and Rider

Date

Late 20th C

Artist/Maker

Unknown, Kuna

Medium

Cloth

Description

Mola panel with two fabric layers in black and red that with additional interleaved fabrics create reverse appliqué multicolored vertical dashes and a border surrounding a boat with a flag and pilot and a large figure of a man with boots and windswept hair riding on the back of a turtle. The ship, figure, and turtle are

created with a combination of appliqué details and extensive embroidery.

Dimensions

14" H x 15 3/4" W

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