

Research Collections



Beaded Belt

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Title: Beaded Belt
Date: 1900 – 1930
Material: fibre; glass
Dimensions: 7.3 x 91.6 cm

Description: A wide heavily beaded belt or bead strip, of heavy canvas with burgundy

cotton backing. The beaded design is of conventional flowers in an overall symmetrical form mirroring from the centre of the belt, an orange yellow flower with green leaves, followed by, in sequence, a three petalled deep red and blue flower, two leaves, a white and pale blue flower, three yellow and green tulip shaped flowers, a deep red and vermillion flower and a long stalked branching flower with three buds of vermillion, yellow, and grey beads. The ground is a deep blue bordered on both sides by a

narrow green band.

Subject: Indigenous

beadwork regalia

Silas Abraham Norman Abraham

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