



OBJECT ID	2011.6.20
OBJECT NAME	Pillow
MEASUREMENTS	14.44752 cm. H Since this is a pillow, the dimensions may change depending on how it is displayed., Item (Overall)
OBJECT ENTITIES	Handmade, Greece (created by) Gianakopoulos, Georgia (owned by) Karalis, Elena (is related to) Gianakopoulos, Georgia (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	Pillow Tassel

OBJECT DESCRIPTION

Medium sized round embroidered pillow with a large tassel in the center. The border around the outside and the center of the pillow is mostly orange with blue and green designs, and red and white diamonds in between. There is a yellow and red braid on the outside of this border. In the center, there is a red coil, which is attached to the large tassel. The top of the tassel is green, but the rest of it is red, except for a few strands of green that are mixed in with the red.

ORIGIN

This pillow was owned by the donor's grandmother, Georgia Gianakopoulos. It was handmade in Greece. The Gianakopoulos family was from Kosmas, which was near Tripoli. Georgia's husband, Louis, founded a church on LaSalle Street when he came to Chicago.

CITATION

Pillow, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 04/28/24.