

Pair of pigeons (Vietnamese: Đôi bồ câu)

Southeast Asian Collection

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Type: painting; woodblock print; textile arts

Artist/Maker: Vu Giang Huong

Date of production: ca. 1959–1969

Place of production: Hanoi, Vietnam, Southeast Asia

Signed: G. Huong

Materials/Technique: paper, silk brocade, coloured woodblock print, partly hand-coloured

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Dimensions: height: 53 cm
width: 29 cm

Woodcut of two doves in a wide white brocade frame. The work of the Vietnamese artist and silk painter Vũ Giáng Hương, who comes from a distinguished family of artists. The artist was fond of depicting the lives and daily activities of female resistance fighters and women soldiers during the Vietnam War (1955-1975) years.

