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## FILIPINO WOVEN PACK BASKET

**\$1,880**

Early 20th Century • Philippines • Wood, Bamboo • Collection #CFC261

W: 16.5" D: 13.0" H: 19.0"

Basket making is an ancient and humble craft, but in the hands of a skilled weaver a simple reed basket can become a truly beautiful work of art. Hand-made in the Philippines, this lidded basket was once used for harvesting crops or carrying personal belongings as a backpack. The basket is beautifully woven of thin strips of bamboo in a twill pattern, reinforced by vertical bamboo rods tied to a wooden base. With warm color and a richly aged texture, this vintage basket is wonderful as a decorative object or an unusual storage solution.



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