



Rug 'The Girls in the Window' designed by Edna Martin for Svenskt Hemslojd Sweden, 1956

Edna Martin had worked for the design company Svenskt Tenn; she was a designer of functional and interior decoration textiles.

Flat woven rug. Kelim technique.

W: 198 cm / 6' 6"  
L: 254.5 cm / 8' 4"

Signed.

This Swedish flat-woven rug from 1956 is titled "Flickorna i fönstret" (The Girls in the Window). It was designed by Edna Martin (1908-2003). The abstract motif is achieved using the kelim technique and a range of intense colours.

The monogram SH stands for Svenskt Hemslojd, the Swedish Handicraft Association, of which Martin was the artistic director between 1945 and 1951. Previously,