



Traditional Peruvian Women's Festival Attire

Primary Maker

Centro de Textiles Tradicionales del Cusco

Medium

Textiles

Description

Traditional Women's Festival Attire, 2010 Chahuaytire Cooperative artisans Chahuaytire, Peru Museum purchase with funds from MNM Acquisition Fund The unmarried women of Chahuaytire display their "wealth" to suitors

through the intricately woven and elaborately embellished clothing for celebrations. This costume includes a camisa (blouse), a jobone (jacket), two mantas (an essential piece that can be used as a shawl or as a carrying cloth), a montera (hat), and a festival pollera (skirt, often worn layered).