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**Title** Diamond, Pearl, and Sapphie Necklace with Quatrefoil

**Motifs and Enamelled (Kundun) Floral Ornamentation on Reverse**

**Date** 19th century

**Medium** Enameled gold, diamonds, sapphire beads, pearls, seed pearls, blue glass beads, silk cord

**Description** This necklace is strung with enameled beads inlaid with uncut diamonds and fringed with round sapphire beads and seed pearls.

Sapphires are rarely used on their own in traditional Indian jewelry.

Associated with shani, or Saturn, the stone was believed to hold unwieldy power.

**Dimensions** Overall: 6 1/2 x 8 1/2 in. (16.5 x 21.6cm) Other (length of cord, each side): 11 1/2 in. (29.2cm)