

COLLAGE TEASER 2 – FABRIC SQUARE FROM INDIA

India the south Asian country of the Himalayan peaks, the Taj Mahal, Nobel laureate Amartya Sen, unique curries and spices, has submitted a fabric square towards the Medical Women’s International Association (MWIA) centennial collage.

The collage picture¹ from Association of Medical Women in India (AMWI) has on the front, a Paisley design and on the back, graphics with a map of the states that make up India.

The Paisley is a teardrop shaped motif with a curved upper end and is a popular ornamental design of Persian origin. These are intricately woven on a blue background with colors of green, pink and ivory

In the words of AMWI, “The fabric collage pattern “paisley” is a signature pattern of the Indian art used all over the country. The colors red, blue and green are a popular combination in India. It is embroidered on the classic South Indian Kanjeevaram silk. Various crafts of different states are depicted on the back “

The black ribbons attached to the four corners of the square will not hang free but will be tied to other similar sized fabrics from MWIA member countries. We look forward to the submission by other countries and as we tie each string to another, the message of our unity in diversity is reinforced.

Front of the fabric square



Back of the fabric square



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