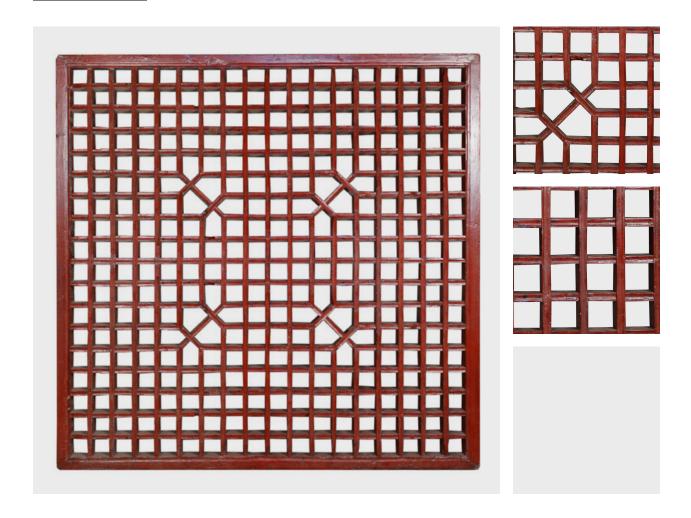
PAGODA RED



RED BUTTERFLY LATTICE PANEL

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c. 1900 • Shanxi, China • Cypress • Collection #BJB119D W: 43.0" D: 1.5" H: 43.0"

This late 19th century red lacquer lattice window evokes life in a traditional Chinese courtyard home. Creating this geometric pattern was like putting a puzzle together; very different from making fretwork by carving or perforating a solid panel. Short pieces of straight wood were mortise and tenon-joined together with long pieces of carved wood to make this sophisticated pattern with abstract butterflies.