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Provenience: Africa, N. Nigeria, Bornu Province.**People or Culture:** Kanuri.**Object:** Woman's robe.**Material:** Silk.**Description:** This woman's robe or gamaji is made of red, yellow, green, pink, white, black silk squares. It has v-neckline outlined with stitching, a slit pocket on the right side, long sleeves and a hemline that comes below the knees. **Acc. Coll.:** It was made by male tailor in a market from silk squares commemorating Queen Elizabeth's visit in January, 1956. Collected in 1956.

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Dimensions: Length-132.0, width across sleeves-135.0.
(in cm.)

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Collection: Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Cohen,
May 15, 1972.

