

# MODERN DESIGN



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## NORMAN CHERNER dining chairs, set of eight

Plycraft | USA, 1958 | laminated and bent walnut  
31¼ h × 17 w × 21 d in (79 × 43 × 53 cm)

Plycraft commissioned Cherner to design this chair. Upon completion, Cherner was told the project was cancelled only to later learn that Plycraft released his design as a work by Bernardo. In 1961, Cherner took Plycraft to court and won.

Signed with applied manufacturer's label to underside of four examples: [Manufactured Plycraft Inc. Lawrence, Mass. Designed by Bernardo].

**Estimate:** \$3,000–5,000

**Result:** \$8,125

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