

SCANDINAVIAN DESIGN



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TAPIO WIRKKALA

Leaf dish

Soinne & Kni Oy | Finland, c. 1951 | laminated birch and teak plywood
1¾ h × 10 w × 8½ d in (4 × 25 × 22 cm)

This early work is one of approximately twenty-five Leaf dishes commissioned by Charles Stendig and gifted to his top clients during the 1950s. Signed with applied distributor's label to underside: [Stendig Made in Finland].

Literature: *Tapio Wirkkala: Eye, Hand and Thought*, Saarela, ppg. 224, 228, 267 illustrate related forms

Estimate: \$2,000–3,000

Result: \$5,000

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