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GIO PONTI AND PIERO FORNASETTI Madrepore dining suite

Italy, 1950-1952 | lithographic transfer-printed and lacquered wood, brass, glass, silk
30¼ h x 40 dia in (77 x 102 cm)

This dining suite is unique. Suite includes table and four chairs; armchairs measure: 22 w x 22 d x 32.25 h inches. This suite has been authenticated by Barnaba Fornasetti.

Provenance: Wright, *Modernist 20th Century*, 22 May 2005, Lot 117 | Private collection, Beverly Hills

Literature: *Fornasetti: The Complete Universe*, Fornasetti et. al., ppg. 386, 392-393 *Fornasetti: Designer of Dreams*, Mauries, ppg. 264-265

Estimate: \$70,000–90,000

Result: \$173,000

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