## **DESIGN**



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### ISAMU NOGUCHI

Early Akari Light Sculpture

Ozeki & Co., Ltd. | USA/Japan, c. 1951 | rice paper, bamboo, steel wire 20½ h  $\times$  12 dia in (51  $\times$  30 cm)

This example features the earliest manufacturer's mark, a red sun and half-moon insignia. Marks on later examples include the word *Japan* along with this insignia. Signed with stamped manufacturer's mark.

Provenance: Private Collection, Grand Rapids, MI

Estimate: \$3,000-5,000

Result: \$4,063

