

MODERN DESIGN



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WENDELL CASTLE

Exceptional Ivory Spirit piano and chair

USA

WENDELL CASTLE (b. 1932); STEINWAY & SONS Exceptional Ivory Spirit piano and chair, Scottsville, NY, 1989; Curly sycamore veneer, mahogany veneer, maple, poplar, mahogany, yorkite, leather; Signed; Piano: 58" x 59" x 25", chair: 28" x 17 1/2" x 18"; Provenance: Collection of Peter T. Joseph, New York; Published: Eerdmans, Wendell Castle: A Catalogue Raisonné 1958-2012, 2014, p.190, no. III.187 and p. 247, no. III.441; Exhibited: Wendell Castle: New Work, Snyderman Gallery, Philadelphia, PA, October 8 - November 30, 1989; New Work by Wendell Castle and Selected Students, Somerville Manning Gallery, Greenville, DE, March 23 - April 21, 1990; Sculpture 90, Fendrick Gallery, Washington, DC, June - July 1990 (piano and chair); Published: Chapin, "Striking a Chord," Cigar Aficionado, May/June 1997; Danto, Joseph, and Cobb, Angel Chairs: New Work by Wendell Castle, Peter T. Joseph Gallery, 1991 (piano and chair); Lux, "Castle Building: Retrospective Exhibits Creative Growth," Brighton-Pittsford Post, November 5, 1990

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