

# SIDE GALLERY

INGO MAURER



## Floor Lamp model "Uchiwa"

Manufactured by M Design  
Germany, 1970s  
Bamboo, Japanese rice paper

## Measurements

100 cm x 22 cm x 225h cm  
39,4 in x 8,7 in x 88,6h in

## Details

Stamped with the label of the manufacturer

## Literature

Maurer, I., & Dessecker, B. Ingo Maurer:  
Light - Reaching for the Moon  
H. Bauer (dir. ), 'Ingo Maurer: Making Light', Ed.  
Nazraeli, Munich, 1992, similar model p. 65  
M-C. Clemente, J. Eisenbrand, D. Sudjic, 'Reaching for  
the moon', Vitra Design Museum, Germany, 2004.

## Provenance

Private collection, Milano

## Biography

**Ingo Maurer**, (b. 1932, Reichenau, Germany - d. 2019, Munich, (Germany) born in Reichenau, Germany, on May 12, 1932, was a groundbreaking German industrial designer and lighting artist. Founder of "Ingo Maurer GmbH" in Munich, he revolutionized lighting design, merging functionality with artistic brilliance.

Maurer's iconic "Bulb" series transformed the commonplace light bulb into a sculptural masterpiece. Notable works include the innovative "YaYaHo" lighting system and the poetic "Porca Miseria!" chandelier, showcasing his penchant for blending humor and technology.

Throughout his career, Maurer received acclaim for pushing design boundaries. His creations adorn museums globally, leaving an enduring legacy that continues to inspire the next generation of designers.