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*Art furnishings for artful living*

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## Art Furnishings for Artful Living Newsletter

### The Gala and the Benches October 7, 2014

Dear Jeffrey,

First, permit me one more pitch about the Furniture Masters Gala this Sunday at the Sheraton Harborside in Portsmouth. It's going to be a fantastic event for those of you in driving distance. Below is a copy of our postcard with the info and schedule, and you can get tickets to the reception, silent auction and dinner, online click here ['Furniture Masters Gala'](#)

Or come to the public viewing noon to 3:30 for free.



**EXPERIENCE**

Furniture Masters 2014:  
Artistic Visions—Grand Gala

October 12  
Sheraton Portsmouth Harborside Hotel  
Portsmouth, NH  
[furnituremasters.org](http://furnituremasters.org)

Furniture Masters 2014:  
Artistic Visions—Grand Gala

Sunday, October 12  
Sheraton Portsmouth Harborside Hotel  
250 Market Street  
Portsmouth, NH

Reception and Silent Auction  
4:00–7:00 PM  
Tickets: \$25

Dinner with the Masters  
7:00 PM  
Tickets: \$75, includes a buffet dinner  
and admission to the reception  
and silent auction

public viewing: 12:00–3:30 PM, no admission fee

### Benches for Nancy and Kauno

I'm making great progress, and here are some pictures.



The seat back showing the five uprights, in a Nakashima style, and the legs and bracing on the underside of the right bench



Cutting the tenons on the bracing below the right bench two at once by clamping the partially assembled structure to a box that slides on my table saw fence, and the cut tenons with the long brace. The base is setting on top of the seat to show the configuration, but you may need to look at the models from a past newsletter to really understand this photo.



The seat with the stone inset by the method I showed in the last newsletter, and the geese partially carved on a seat back.

### **Tony and Judy's table**

And here is a photo of Tony and Judy's table in their home.

When I get a professional shot done I'll share it.

**Best**

*Jeffrey*



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