



JAN de SWART

1908–1987

HANDCRAFTED FURNITURE

Reception

Thursday, January 13, 1994

7:00–9:30 p.m.

The artist's son, **Jock de Swart**, will be present.

Exhibition continues through January 27

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Above: **Sitting Game**, 1977, rosewood, 16 x 19 x 17 inches.

Left: **Viking Chair**, 1973, walnut, 88 x 20 x 20 inches.

Front Cover: **Cook's Cabinet**, 1967, mahogany, 76 x 43 x 16 inches.

Back Cover: **Lantern**, 1963, bronze, 9 x 6 x 6 inches.

From the early 1940's until his death, Dutch-born artist and inventor Jan de Swart lived in a simple bungalow-style house — named “Allegro” — on a hilltop in Eagle Rock, California with his wife, Ursula. In a workshop separate from the house and surrounded by a garden filled with his works, he sequestered himself to contemplate and create inventions for industry and his graceful, joyous artworks...

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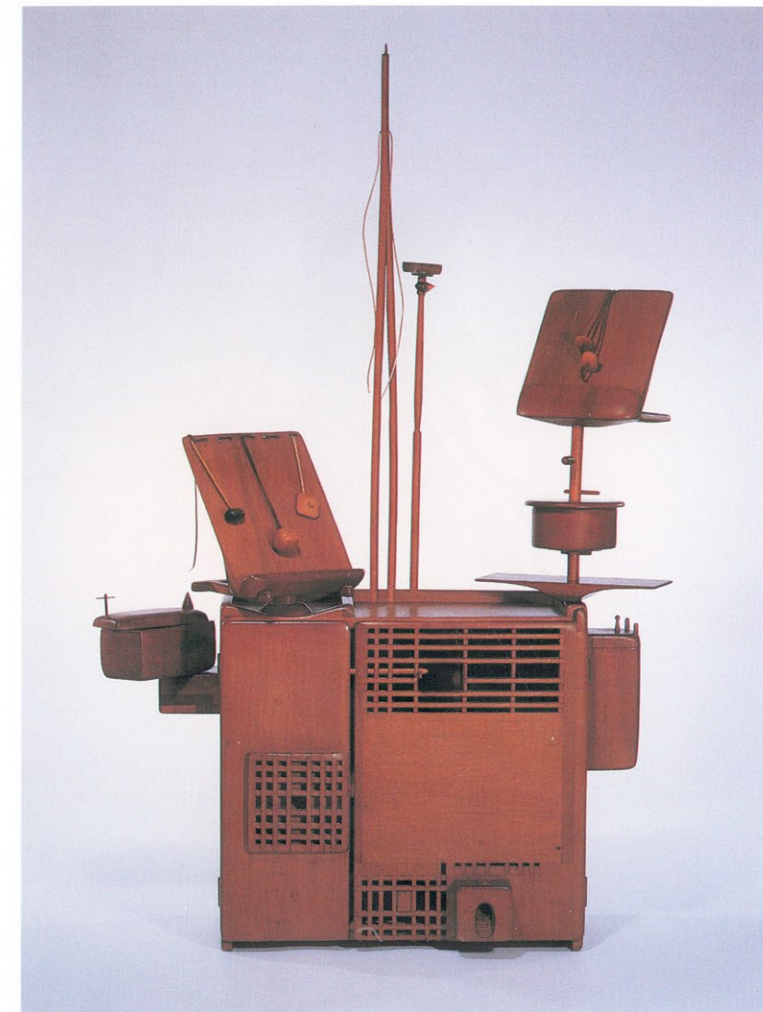
Jan de Swart was not taken up with popular currents nor was he creating objects for the purpose of being in a museum. He worked in a personal way and had a unique vision for creating beautiful and very mysterious objects for individuals to enhance their everyday environments.

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