



STARITSKA maysternya

WARMTH OF HAND-MADE AND SUBTLE SENSE OF THE WORLD'S BEAUTY

Our objects are inspired by the nature of the Starytske village and traditional ukrainian crafts, so the workshop is called Staritska. Furniture and decor from the Ukrainian brand "Starytska Maysternya" really has a unique personality, as well as a very interesting history.

The author and art director of the Starytska Maysternya brand is Natalia Bulanova.

"It all started with the purchase of a country house in the half-abandoned Starytske village. Within a radius of 2 km there are fields and forests, stunning views and a special atmosphere - lots of silence, sky, air... Such a "zero space" as a white sheet is ideal for creativity. I continued to work as an interior designer and at the same time started working on creating a furniture brand in 2018."

We create accent pieces for the interior: furniture, lighting, decor. Our items are characterized by laconic shapes, sculptural, tactile, natural and lively textures, a combination of traditional technologies and modern trends. We mainly work with wood - oak and ash, which grow in our region, metal, flax, and weaving. - each item is made by hand.

We produce serial items in limited editions, as well as collection items (up to 10 pieces) and individual items in 1 copy. We work on the principle of cooperation with independent craftsmens - the main team consists of 5 people, and if necessary, up to 20 more craftsmen are involved. We love to collaborate with interior designers and develop items individually for a specific space. The creation of unique items from wild and vintage wood are made only by Dmytro Andreyanov and Natalia Bulanova in the Starytske village - it is more sculpture than carpentry.

Our objects were presented at the international exhibitions REVELETIONS, MAISON&OBJET in 2022 and 2023 in Paris.

RYOKAN collection



Collection of coffee and dinner tables **«Ryokan»** dedicated to japanese philosopher, poet and calligrapher Ryokan.

«Ryokan collection is about the poetry of everyday life, laconic forms inspired by ordinary household items and children's construction sets. I came up with it when I spent a lot of time with my small child» Designer: Natalia Bulanova

















ZATYSHNA collection

«Zatyshna» collection (2020)

Zatyshna collection (translated from Ukrainian as Cozy) is a collection of warm rustic things in the colors of the surrounding landscapes, very tactile - the living texture of solid wood, unbleached linen, old branches that are an element of the bench. Each item is unique, because the pattern of the tree and the bend of the branches are not repeated.

Everything is made by hand. Designer: **Natalia Bulanova**







SKOVORODA collection



«Skovoroda» collection (2022)

An amazing limited edition «Skovoroda» collection dedicated to the prominent Ukrainian philosopher Hryhoriy Skovoroda. Objects was presented in Paris at MAISON&OBJET. Design: **Natalia Bulanova** in collaboration with textile artist **Ira Balbek.**

Dresser GORA & textile panel LANY

Dresser GORA

(Gora means "mountain" of the Ukrainian Language) The tactility of textures and colors of natural materials, the beauty of the ash wood texture, the almost Japanese simplicity and elegance of lines... This object is as informal as a part of nature. The facade of the dresser is hand-woven from cotton cord using the traditional weaving technique, which is studied and reinterpreted by textile artist **Ira Balbek**.







Textile panel LANY The repetition of the textile pattern of the panel resembles a graphic drawing of plowed Ukrainian fields, which inspired the name of the object - LANY (Fields of the Ukrainian Language). A subtle combination of natural shades of cotton cord of different thickness and texture that you want to contemplate, touch, and discover new nuances and beauty.

"The sketches of the collection seem to have come to me from the mountains and fields of Ukraine, they are simple and natural, like a neutral landscape. But if you look closely, you'll see whole microcosms of intertwined herbs, textures, shades, flavors, sensations... This collection was created during the war, and this especially sharpened my feelings. It has become a symbol of freedom and victory of life against all odds..." **Natalia Bulanova.**







UNIQUE ITEMS





A complete catalog of serial products and detailed information on each item is available on the website in the **PRODUCTS** page. Examples of unique products can be found in the **UNIQUE** page. You can find the link to the <u>press kit</u> on the page **ABOUT**.

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We hope for fruitful cooperation, Best regards!

