

Beak collection cosists of vases and one dish.

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Rosenthal - Beak

Rosenthal Beak gift series/design: Thomas Bastide

Three sensuous, slightly conical glass vases, which feature a striking inverted segment, will become part of the Rosenthal collection in 2019. The form of the common stork's-bill, which hides the flowers' less attractive stems while skilfully steering the focus towards the blossoms, was the inspiration behind the distinctive look. A versatile bowl – whether it takes pride of place on the table filled with pastries or fruit, or stands alone as a single decorative item – blends in harmoniously with the ensemble.

Frenchman **Thomas Bastide** (*1954) comes from an artistic family. He was quick to develop an interest in shapes and volumes. He studied art and design at the National College of Graphic Arts followed by industrial design at the National School of Art and Design in Paris. As lead designer for Baccarat from 1981, he was responsible for creating some distinctive pieces. Bastide also works for brands such as Ercuis, Christofle, Hennessy Cognac, YSL Beauté and Lagostina. He also makes sculptures from glass, concrete and metal in his workshop, which has its own kiln.

From Porcelain Pioneer to International Design Company

Founded in 1879, Rosenthal reflects on its longstanding company history. The story of Rosenthal is the story of a father and son – founder Philipp Rosenthal Senior and the visionary entrepreneur Philip Rosenthal Junior. The former laid the foundation for modern porcelain production, while the latter built Rosenthal into a renowned international brand. His credo: a passion for everyday luxury and a heartfelt commitment to design. For well over a

century, established designers, artists, and trendy newcomers have crafted elegant, high-quality tableware collections and exclusive pieces that enhance living spaces. Rosenthal's clientele includes not only households worldwide but also 800 international restaurants and hotels. Rosenthal is already on the path of green transformation and established the "Corporate Sustainability" unit in 2022. The company actively addresses sustainability in environmental and energy management and social responsibility. The Rosenthal portfolio features the Rosenthal, Hutschenreuther, and Thomas brands, along with collaborations such as Rosenthal meets Versace and Swarovski x Rosenthal. Since July 2009, Rosenthal has been part of the Italian Arcturus Group.

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