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A mid-1960s suburban split-level is expanded with a series of sculptural spaces at the rear of the house. The addition opens off the kitchen at a built-in breakfast niche. The bench and its lattice frame form an L-shaped screen which partially encloses the kitchen. Similar materials, colors, and finishes integrate the two spaces. Table, bench, and chairs are all built of birch veneer plywood.

Project Team: Peter Landon, Malcolm Edgerton, Norah Edelstein
Client: Drs. Robert and Ellen Buchanan
Contractor: Teschky, Inc.
Furniture Craftsman: Jim Moratto
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Jury Comments: "Doing the Lord's work... inexpensive but done very carefully, a great deal of thought given to how joints were made... another aesthetic for plywood... fits together with integrity... well thought out..."