

THE STANDARD OF STRENGTH AND BEAUTY

No maker of fine knives is more aware of the varied and demanding requirements placed on their products than we at Benchmade Knife Company. From the discriminating collector who places a premium on fine workmanship; to the sportsman whose primary concerns are function and dependability; to the martial arts enthusiast who appreciates the physical blend of design, balance, and response in the never ending quest for perfection of form.

We continue the **BALI-SONG**® tradition of combining both high technology and old-world craftsmanship to produce the most intriguing knives in the world.

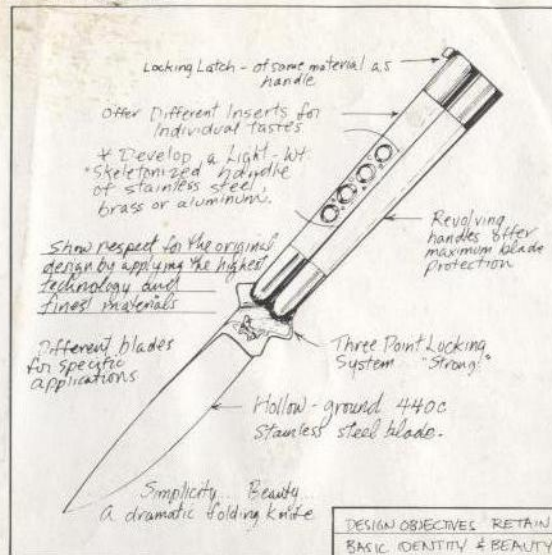
OUR CUSTOM SERIES:

Our Custom **BALI-SONG**® knife is handmade to order sparing no expense. By offering no compromise in its development and production the Custom **BALI-SONG**® has resulted in the World's Strongest Folding Knife.

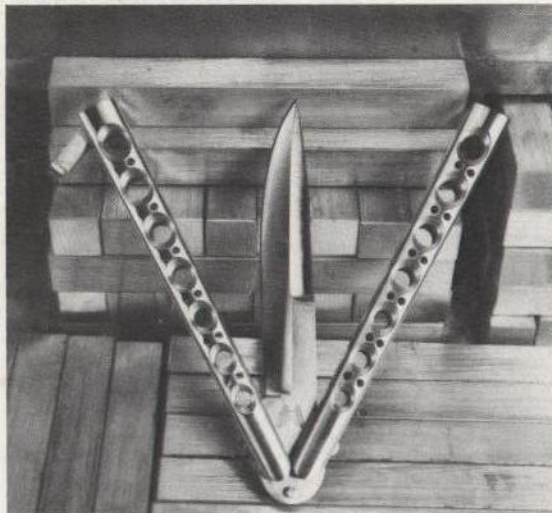
The handles are precision machined from solid bars of 303S cold rolled stainless steel. We painstakingly hand fit the beautiful inlay of your choice. We also offer the skeletonized handle for the ultimate in total function.

Our blades are handground from 440C stainless steel. In order to utilize the exceptional edgeholding capability of this steel, we use heat treating methods developed and used by the aerospace industry. Our blades are heat treated in a vacuum furnace to minimize contamination, then sub-zero quenched resulting in a blade tough enough to hold an edge without being brittle.

THE CHALLENGE



THE ACCOMPLISHMENT



SPECIFICATIONS:

Blade length: 4 inches
Blade thickness: 3/16 inch
Opened length: 9 inches
Closed length: 5 inches
Weight: 5.5 ounces

Blade Material: 440C stainless steel
Blade finish: Satin
Rockwell hardness: 57-59 R.C.
Handle material: 303S stainless steel
Handle finish: Inlay Model — Mirror polish
 Skeletonized Model — Satin polish
Sheath: Black nylon sheath included, optional leather sheath

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Ivory micarta

Black micarta

Kris
Cocobola Inlay

Optional
leather sheath

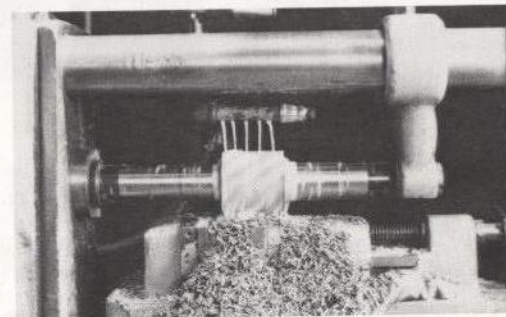
Weehawk
Skeletonized handles

Bowie
Skeletonized handles

Imada High Hollow
Desert Ironwood Inlay

CUSTOM SERIES FEATURES INCLUDE:

- Completely hand-ground satin-finished 440C stainless steel blade, 3/16" thick, heat treated to a Rockwell hardness of 57-59 on the C scale.
- Inlay materials: Micarta®, a high pressure phenolic resin laminate, which will not crack, chip, or shrink. Handpicked exotic hard woods, and other natural materials such as Sambar Stag and Elephant Ivory.
- Our three-point locking system incorporates two fully machined stainless steel pivot pins and tang pin, resulting in the strongest folding knife available today.
- Stressless electro-chemical etched logo.
- Patented integral handles machined from solid stock to exacting specifications provide the maximum in strength and blade protection.



Our blades are the finest ever to be in a knife of this type because they are ground by a master in this difficult art form. Jody Samson, Benchmade's custom cutter, has set the standards which others can only hope to duplicate. His many years of experience began with his early association with the pioneer knifemaker, John Nelson Cooper. Mr. Samson's work also includes the priceless Master's sword wielded by Arnold Schwarzenegger as "Conan," a John Milius film, a Dino DeLaurentiis production.



The Custom **BALI-SONG®** is the most dramatic folder in the world. Seen in countless movies and appreciated in numerous major knife publications. Proven over time and in the field; known as the World's Strongest Folder.