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2025**

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Summer Escapes

**Playful Lake Tahoe Cabin
Serene Oasis in Palm Beach
Fab Pool-and-Pond Combo in L.A.**

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MOVERS & MAKERS

FRESH DESIGNS AND THE MINDS BEHIND THEM

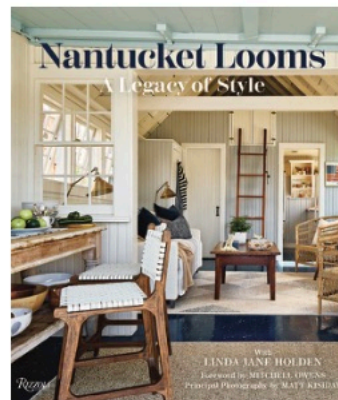


EMBROIDERED ELEGANCE

Laura Cheung Wolf's Lala Curio marries Asian craft with French haute couture to embellish hand-painted silk wallcoverings with embroidery and pearls. This year, her ornamented coverings are greeting guests at international luxury hotels such as in an installation at the Rosewood Doha in Qatar and a flagship boutique at The Peninsula Hong Kong. lalacurio.com

DEVOL

Guests will be knocking on your door any day now—for a barbecue, for a garden party, and most definitely for a dip in your pool. The “Weaver’s Hand” door knocker, molded from solid brass, is not only home, but here to stay. Designed by renowned furniture manufacturer deVOL, founded in 1989 by Philip deVries and Paul O’Leary, this artful entry sculpture embodies the ethos of the historical terraces that reside along the beloved streets of East London’s Spitalfields area. Pairing it with a white or black door is stylish, but we’re taken by this mighty hardware against an ocean blue backdrop. devolkitchens.com



Nantucket Looms

Nantucket conjures dreams of summer at its most luxurious. Add merchandise from the island’s 56-year-old lifestyle emporium Nantucket Looms, and dreams turn into coastal reality. Now its story is told in *Nantucket Looms: A Legacy of Style* (Rizzoli). The new book explores the rich history of the company’s interior design services and product inventory that promotes the artisanal talent of the destination. Framed artwork, famed lightship baskets, and blankets woven on in-house looms are part of the shop that claims space and realizes summer charm on Nantucket’s delightful Main Street. nantucketlooms.com

Miriam Ellner

Miriam Ellner’s window to luxury is quite clear. The New York artist specializes in the ancient art of verre églomisé—glass gilding. Ellner applies designs she crafts from precious metals to the backside of glass, creating reflective surfaces that glimmer in a multitude of shimmering finishes. She recently penned her first monograph, *Golden Glass: Verre Églomisé* (Pointed Leaf Press). The book unfolds the installations of her arresting reverse-glass pieces, shining a light on her luminous creativity that is featured in private collections and commissioned for projects from the industry’s leading designers. miriamellner.com



Q&A with Stephen Block

The owner of Inner Gardens, a Los Angeles emporium, scours the world for antiques to usher beautiful style into outdoor spaces

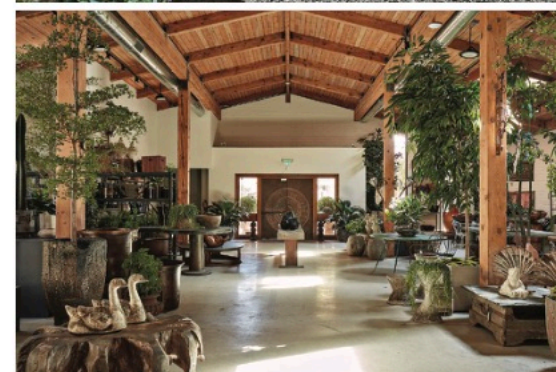
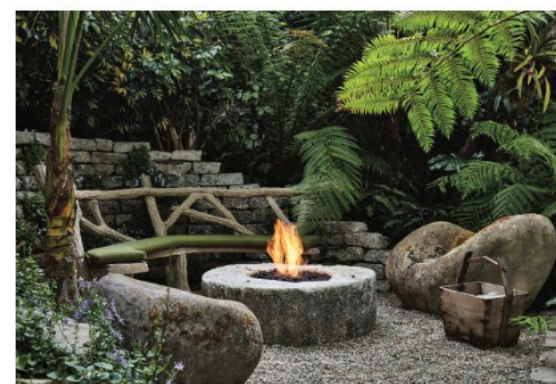


Q How did you develop your passion for horticulture that led to Inner Gardens, which has become known for inspiring beautiful outdoor spaces?

A A broken head of a rubber tree stuffed into a glass of water, a long winter on the outside patio, and a new leaf and roots in the spring—and I was smitten. One year later, I was living on 200 acres outside Gainesville, Florida, and changed my degree to ornamental horticulture.

Q What is it about antiques in the garden that can make the outdoor experience so special?

A Antiques bring a sense of age to the garden. A bench with the residue of five layers of paint, a lichen-and-moss-covered terra-cotta planter, a wooden drum. They infuse soul into your experience.



Q How can someone imbue a garden with modernity and intrigue so it’s about more than solely unwinding?

A Unusual plants, large-scale plants, and large objects—these elements create drama. I particularly like to plant full and big—something unexpected! Design the garden so you don’t see everything at the same time, creating rooms and an experience in each room.

Q What makes Inner Gardens special—and unique?

A A designer once said that Inner Gardens is the only showroom where they can walk out with a planter, a plant, a lamp, a painting, a sculpture, and a chair. I buy what I love, so you never know what you will encounter. innergardens.com