Elements of Style: 5 THINGS

5 THINGS WE LOVE

Traditional techniques accompany contemporary design for artisan-inspired home accessories found at the Denver Design District.

hether realized or not, life always comes full circle. Even with advanced technology, design processes for home furnishings are getting back to their roots. Our design editors at *Home & Garden Colorado* are crushing on these home décor pieces that meld some of the world's oldest artistic skills, such as pottery, weaving, quilting, and hand-knotting, with efficient designs to create furnishings that exemplify true artistry. This fall is all about warm earth tones, wood and stone combinations, functional art, traditional techniques, and customizable options. Here are five of our favorite home décor elements right now. \blacksquare











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BELOVED

We want to get cozy in these super soft and luxurious yet durable fabrics. Aptly named "Beloved," the plush chenille fabric from the EcoProtect by CARLUCCI series is made of 70 percent recycled polyester yarn and is available in an extensive color palette featuring 37 exclusive colorways from soft nude and warm earth tones to intense jewel tones.

Available at MODA Antica, MODAAntica.com

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EARLES COCKTAIL TABLE

Any night is game night with this Highland House Earles cocktail table—available with two customizable ottomans and more than 30 finishes to choose from—you can make it uniquely yours.

Available at Hoff Miller, hoffmiller.com

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MARIA MOSAIC

Inspired by Maria Martinez, the Maria mosaic is part of the Femme & Function collection by New Ravenna for Decorative Materials. Martinez was a pioneer in pottery known for her use of black-on-black glazes and combinations of matte and gloss finishes creating deliberate patterns. All of the mosaics in this collection pay homage to different female artists throughout history with patterns inspired by quiliting, pottery, dyeing and textiles, embroidery and weaving.

Available at Decorative Materials, decorativematerials.com

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LAAX OUTDOOR DINING TABLE

Durable for outdoor yet elegant for dining defines Atelier Vals'
Laax outdoor dining table. This incredible table is hand-craffed,
consisting of a 3" thick black onyx custom-finished concrete
table top that is supported by an antique post-and-beam
structure. Offered in three sizes and six custom colors (Black
Onyx, Glacier, Alps White, Pecan, Wheat, and Soft Grey).
Available at Atelier Vals, ateliervals.design

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WHERE I WANT TO BE - PART 1 RUG

The Brian Coleman Art Artist Collaboration rug Where I Want To Be - Part 1 has been skillfully hand-knotted in the Kathmandu Valley of Nepal using the world's oldest traditional skills in the finest Tibetan wool and Chinese silk. Coleman's original mixed-media contemporary art has been translated into a modern rug masterpiece. He takes his inspiration from line, movement, day drawing in the moment pieces and parts of the past, present and future. "The works become stories of their own, they come together to become another place in time, they are not made to make sense, they are made to evoke feelings. I am never arriving at a place, and I am constantly using my pieces and parts in the process of a journey that never ends." ~ American artist Brian Coleman. Available at Integral Thread integralthreadstudio.com

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