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RUTH CASPER DESIGN STUDIO & COLLABORATIVE NEWSLETTER

Happy Summer!! After a cold spring, here is hoping for a warm and sunny few months. Our goal each month is to provide some design and lifestyle inspiration as well as recommendations, stories, and a peek into the lives of our amazing community.



And the
WINNER IS...
RUTH
CASPER

Congratulations to Ruth Casper Design for winning 3rd place in the Detroit Design Awards: Wall Treatment Category

Designer: Ruth Casper
Installer: Euro Concepts
Photography: Beth Singer



SUMMER RECEIPEs

ENJOY YOUR OUTDOOR SPACE

Whipped Feta Dip

Ingredients

- 1 lemon
- 1 garlic clove, halved
- 1 1/2 cups crumbled feta (6oz)
- 2 oz cream cheese, softened
- 1 Tbsp. chopped fresh mint
- 1 Tbsp. chopped fresh dill
- Pick your favorite dippers (cucumbers, endive leaves, baby carrots, pickled green beans, radishes, etc.)

Preparation

1. Remove 1 tsp. lemon zest and squeeze 1 Tbsp. juice from lemon
2. Place garlic in a food processor and pulse until finely chopped. Add lemon zest, lemon juice, feta, and cream cheese; process until smooth.
3. Add Tbsp. olive oil; process until light and fluffy. Add fresh herbs; process until combined.

4. Season with fresh ground pepper.
5. Transfer to an airtight container
Store in refrigerator up to one week.

If desired drizzle with a little olive oil before serving with desired dippers.



Sangria

Ingredients

- 1 bottle of red wine (preferably one with higher acid and fruit forward like a Malbec or Spanish Rioja
- juice of two lemons and one orange
- 1/4 cup brandy
- 2-4 tablespoons agave or brown sugar
- Fruit slices (berries, diced apple, pear, orange and lemon, grapes, pineapple, and/or watermelon)
- mineral water or club soda to serve

Preparation

1. Mix wine, juice, sweetener, and brandy. Next add citrus and garnish fruit of choice.
2. Serve over ice
3. Great if you top off with a splash of mineral water or club soda



BATHROOM SERIES

The main objective in designing this bathroom was to give the client the ultimate luxury spa experience in their own home. Ruth was given the original architectural designs for one large master bathroom, but Ruth decided it was best to design separate husband and wife bathrooms connected with a double shower for a shared experience. The wife's side included the bonus features of a relaxing bathtub and makeup area.

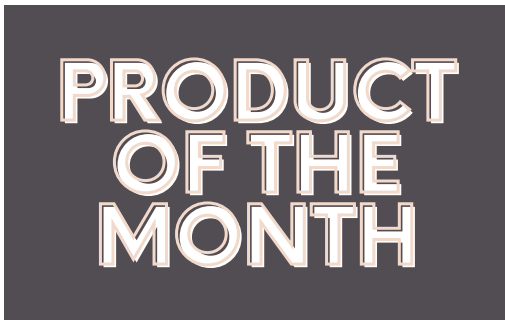




The Spirit of God hath made me, and the breath of the Almighty hath given me life.

JOB 33:4

Just breathe. This month has been full of challenges and has included many deep breathing exercises. With each breath, we need to remember that each breath should be a reminder of the Almighty who gives us every breath. To use that breath to do the best we can in all tough situations, and always remember Him.



LAUGH LIKE YOU'RE 10
PARTY LIKE YOU'RE 20
TRAVEL LIKE YOU'RE 30
THINK LIKE YOU'RE 40
ADVISE LIKE YOU'RE 50
CARE LIKE YOU'RE 60
LOVE LIKE YOU'RE 70

SURROUND
YOURSELF WITH
GREAT PEOPLE
AND YOU WILL
BE GREAT

HAPPY GIRLS
PRETTIEST GIRLS
ARE THE
-AUDREY HEPBURN

One of our favorite finds at High Point Market was this collection of books. They have several famous sayings available as well as linen covers in green, ivory, and more. Let us know if you are interested in any of the titles we have here or others you may be interested in having us order for you.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8 3-6 PM

*Pop-up
Art show &
Accessories shop*

INCLUDED

Artist Weatherly Stroh in Studio



An accomplished artist whose work centers around animals and landscapes. Oil is her preferred medium, with a technique characterized by sweeping brush strokes and textural layers. While much of her work is done on canvas, she also paints on aluminum and stretched linen.

Accessory Shopping

The Ruth Casper Design Team has been to North Carolina & Savannah shopping and can't wait for new arrivals to come. Looking to refresh a room, get a new look for Fall, or pre-shop for the holidays? This is a MUST shop event!

(We offer corporate gift options in bulk).

Check out our recent advertisement in Detroit Design Magazine Sourcebook 2023



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GET ORGANIZED

EACH MONTH: STEP CLOSER TO LESS CLUTTER



Organization is often a goal in homes, but it can be overwhelming! Each month we will suggest one item to go through and toss in your home. Hopefully by working in small categories, it will help you on your journey to a less clutter. It shouldn't take long, and if you are inspired to do more, let us know how we can help!

THIS MONTH: Tupperware

It is time to match those lids (or not) with the corresponding bases. Look for scorching or damage to the inside of items from microwaving, utensils, dishwashing, or discoloration. If you have been contemplating moving to glass containers, now is the time.

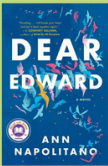
LINK: [Buy glass containers directly from Tupperware](#)

MAY WE
RECOMMEND

WOMEN
OWNED



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May we recommend *Dear Edward* by Ann Napolitano. This book follows a single survivor of a plane crash, 12-year-old Edward. The novel also flashes back and reveals the lives and experience of several of the other passengers in the hours on the airplane before its crash. It has been adapted into a new series on Apple TV (haven't watched it yet)

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