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Michele Throssell's 10 FAVOURITE THINGS

Inspiration is everywhere, if we just open ourselves up to it. It's in smiling faces of our friends and family... and in our favourite places, moments and objects. By immersing ourselves in what surrounds us we may spark something special or find something incredible, just ask Michele Throssell, founder of Michele Throssell Interiors.

Here Michelle reveals a few of her favourite inspiring things:

1. GREEK ISLANDS, PAXOS is one of my favourite holiday destinations. We try and go there once a year as a family. It's actually a dream of mine, to live in a Greek Farmhouse, with my own organic vegetable garden, and goats roaming in our backyard.

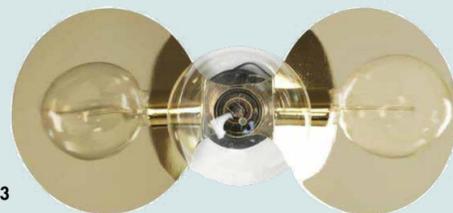
2. PAPIRO COLLECTION by Patricia Urquilola for Budri shows a design evolution in marble processing, with its inlaid surface made of polychrome stones. I'm in love with her graphic patterns that showcase the colours and textures of the marble.

3. FIREFLY LIGHT by Mia Widlake from Studio 19, in brass. I absolutely love supporting local South African designers.

4. DAVID BROMLEY is an Australian artist the subject matter of his paintings includes children, birds and butterflies but he is particularly well known for his portraits of female nudes. His work speaks to me.

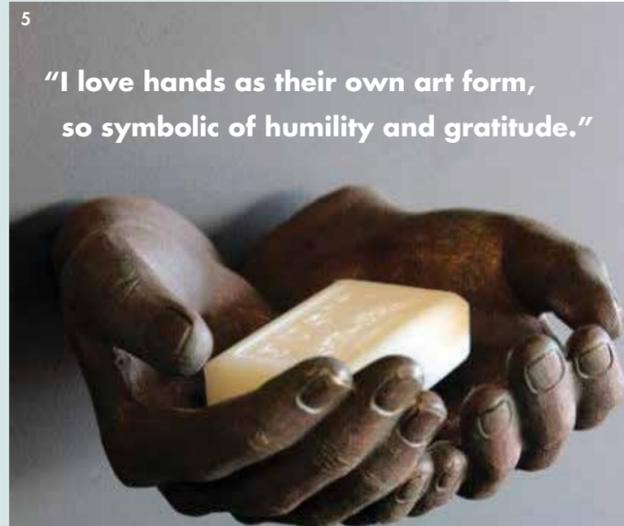


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5. COLLECTION OF HANDS I love hands as their own art form, so symbolic of humility and gratitude. Over many years I have assembled a collection, which is very dear to me.

6. "ALEXANDRIE BEGONIA" WALL PAPER by Pierre Frey. Tropical prints and bold colours in wallpapers. Very on trend.

7. HAND PAINTED TILES I'm loving the texture and organic qualities that they add to modern spaces.

8. ANTIQUE MARKETS The thrill of finding collectable objects and art, which add soul to any given space is something that can't be replicated. One of my favourites is Paul Bert in Paris.

9. PORTER TELEO hand painted fabrics and wallpapers, a beautiful fine art process with a refined aesthetic.

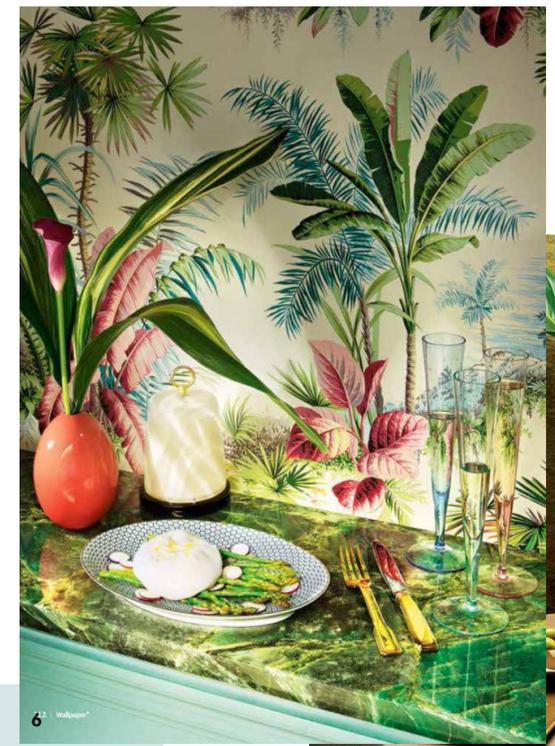
10. NEPAL LITTLE ARMCHAIR by Baxter from Italy. It has a wonderful design, but with a sense of fun.

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