

Home for the Holidays

MAKE THE SEASON MERRY AND BRIGHT WITH THE GIFT OF DÉCOR
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Décor stores, particularly those in the Lower Mainland, offer so much more than furnishing and finishes. Got an (interior) design junkie in your life? A visit to one of these boutiques will yield gifts galore. ▼

Cheers! Oenophiles, beer imbibers and cocktail connoisseurs all raise a glass to these naturally beautiful coasters (\$65 at **Cadine**), made from leather tanned using extracts from chestnut and mimosa tree bark. **3345 Cambie St. Shopcadine.com**



Soft and subtle, these woven cotton table runners (from \$40 at **EQ3**) are perfect for holiday tabletop dressing and available in two sizes. **2536 Granville St., 604-681-5155. Eq3.com**



On a long winter's night, the Editore wool throw blanket (\$1,326 at **Armani/Casa**) is perfect for staying comfy cosy—but in style. **1656 W. 2nd Ave., 604-423-2814. Armani.com/casa**

Make any room merry and bright with this colourful cushion (cover \$109, insert \$20 at **Chloë Angus Design**)—but please, no pillow fights! Renowned Haida artist Clarence Mills created the print—a modern interpretation of traditional indigenous design. **100 45 E. 6th Ave., 604-224-2456. Chloëangus.com**



You're guaranteed to bowl someone over with the gift of an iconic Elsa Peretti thumbprint bowl in sterling silver (from \$624 at **Tiffany & Co.**); its bright enamel finish is applied by hand. **723 Burrard St., 604-630-1300. Tiffany.ca**



Roche Bobois has long worked with established and emerging designers to create home pieces that celebrate a true French joie de vivre. This new collection of cushions (from \$225) includes patterns by Lisbon-based artist Joana Vasconcelos, printed and embroidered, with white or black backgrounds and available in three sizes, for a grand total of six different designs. **716 W. Hastings St., 604-633-5005. Roche-bobois.com**



Let there be light! Dreamed up by German designer Sebastian Herkner, the Plissé floor lamp (from \$3,200 at **Avenue Road**) brings illumination to the coldest and darkest time of year with its hand-blown glass lampshade—which looks more like gorgeously pleated fabric—and dimmable LED light. **301 W. Pender St., 778-588-6840. Avenue-road.com**

Embark on a magic carpet ride with the perfect handcrafted carpet or area rug for every taste and budget (various prices at **East India Carpets**). **1606 W. 2nd Ave., 604-736-5681. Eastindiacarpets.com**



The ultimate holiday hostess gift comes from **Dior**—and no, it's not a handbag. This precious, perforated decorative ball (\$440), crafted in a gold-finish variation, is adorned with Toile de Jouy—a hallmark motif that will brighten year-end festivities. **900 W. Georgia St., 604-891-1810. Dior.com**



Simple yet stunning, this ceramic presentation bowl (\$458), made exclusively for **Cadine** in New York, can be used to hold produce on the kitchen counter or display florals on an entryway table (pro tip: have staff create a bouquet for you in store, and gift it full of fresh blooms). **3345 Cambie St. Shopcadine.com**



Get in the game—the tic-tac-toe game, that is—with Jonathan Adler's 11-piece set crafted from solid brass in a marble base (\$256 at **Holt Renfrew**). **737 Dunsmuir St., 604-681-3121. Holtrenfrew.com**



A shining standout is this Ninfea low corteccia bowl with gilded interior (\$680 at **Provide Home**). Italian artist Paola Paronetto has developed a personal interpretation of ancient techniques of working with clay, expressions of raku, porcelain and paper clay by experimenting and researching for three decades. Simply fill this beauty with Christmas bonbons and gift away. **1805 Fir St., 604-632-0095. Providehome.com**



For those on your list who love treasured items, **Baccarat** is a French luxury brand creating exclusive crystal products. The BE@RBRICK (from \$470 at **LivingSpace**) is born from a daring collaboration with Japanese brand **Medicom Toy**. **1706 W. 1st Ave., 604-683-1116. LivingSpace.com**

For the host with the most—or the hostess with the mostess—these Tina Frey serving boards (large with spreader \$129, small \$75 at **Creative Home Furnishings**) are handcrafted from food-safe resin, making them shatter-resistant. **1738 W. 2nd Ave., 604-558-2625. Creativehome.ca**



Help a bookworm or bibliophile organize his or her treasured tomes with a set of 24-karat-gold-plated bamboo bookends, handcrafted by L'Objet (\$710 at **Secret Location**). **1 Water St., 604-685-0090. Secretlocation.ca**



H&M Home x Diane von Furstenberg



Here's something to look forward to. **H&M** has teamed up with designer Diane von Furstenberg on an interiors collection that will launch in 2021. The collab brings together von Furstenberg's iconic fashion prints and colour play to a range of vases, cushion covers, blankets, candles and more. Says the wrap-dress diva: "The home is both a relaxing and empowering place where you can really 'own' a look or feel. With this collaboration, I want people to take charge of their home décor. The only rule I have is that your home should reflect who you are. The main point is to create a space that you're incredibly comfortable in and is a true expression of your personality." **Hm.com**