

Inspirational ideas

Give your home some vintage appeal with our choice of latter-day items to lust after. You can even knit your own...

1. Antique gardener's sink

This antique gardener's sink would have been used on a large private estate. The one-off is perfect for use in the cloakroom, £275. www.greyandwhite.co.uk

2. Mid-century side table

This mid-century two-tone wooden side table by the Libra Company is bang on trend and has aged metal handles and angled legs, £245. www.artisanti.com

3. Knit one, purl one

These stylish tea cosies are made using vintage knitting patterns. Find them at Born to Knit, Fisherton Mill, Salisbury, £35, or knit one yourself from a kit, £19.99. www.fishertonmill.co.uk

4. Decorative heart

A unique decorative heart incorporating vintage and old costume jewellery, crystals, buttons and textiles by Sue Bastin, Fisherton Mill, £90. www.fishertonmill.co.uk

5. Linen runner

These home-spun table runners are beautifully woven from flax linen, originally made into grain sacks, £35. www.lovestruckinteriors.com

6. Rectory garden bench

Spend the summer months relaxing on this metal decorative bench, £179.99. Available from The Beehive, Devizes. Tel: 01380 729720

7. Mosaic ampersand

This pretty ampersand, decorated with vintage ceramics, is part of a collection of letters available from Fisherton Mill, £147. www.fishertonmill.co.uk

8. Time for tea

This Miss Darcy teacup has a beautiful butterfly motif inside, £14.50. www.hintonshome.com

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