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# NATURALLY NEUTRAL



Twine & Twig “Wall Vine” tiles hang in co-founder Elizabeth White’s Myers Park residence.

Nature’s unrefined  
allure finds its  
way to the great  
indoors.

By Christina Spratt Spencer

Sun-blached textiles, warm burlled grains, uncultivated textures, and a medley of natural elements have become the new focus of design as reversion to the raw and primitive seeks to enable the rediscovery of the very foundational beauty in nature. After years of painting, staining, gilding, lacquering, and polishing to perfection, we now take a step back.

Instead we strip down and peel away the layers to reveal the nuances that exist beneath those glossy surfaces. On the spectrum of natural wonders big and small – from wood to jute, shells to stones, and everything in between – the focus has shifted to highlighting their distinctive peculiarities while juxtaposing their unaffected splendor.



*Clockwise from top left:*

- Brunschwig & Fils "Bukhara Ikat" in Tan/Mocha / to the trade / [www.brunschwig.com](http://www.brunschwig.com)
- Scalamandre "Metal Cork" in White Gold / to the trade / [www.scalamandre.com](http://www.scalamandre.com)
- Miles Redd for Patterson Flynn Martin "Cubist" Rug in Natural / to the trade / [www.pattersonflynnmartin.com](http://www.pattersonflynnmartin.com)
- "Pampelonne" by Nina Campbell for Osborne & Little / to the trade / [www.osborneandlittle.com](http://www.osborneandlittle.com)
- Groundworks "Jumper Toast" by Kelly Wearstler for Lee Jofa / to the trade / [www.leejofa.com](http://www.leejofa.com)
- "Tonga Tape" Trim in Sea Oyster by Mary McDonald for F. Schumacher / to the trade / [www.fschumacher.com](http://www.fschumacher.com)
- Pilecek "Ella" Lounge Chair / \$3,379 / [www.shopcandelabra.com](http://www.shopcandelabra.com)
- Dear Keaton "Braided Jute Pom Pom Basket Set" / \$89 / [www.dearkeaton.com](http://www.dearkeaton.com)
- Twine & Twig "Wall Vine" Tile / \$65 each / [www.twineandtwigstyle.com](http://www.twineandtwigstyle.com)
- Noir "Akira" Console Table / \$1,757 / [www.zincdoor.com](http://www.zincdoor.com)
- Made Goods "Inga" Mirror / \$2,200 / [www.shopcandelabra.com](http://www.shopcandelabra.com)
- Curated Kravet "Patrick" Side Table / to the trade / [www.curatedkravet.com](http://www.curatedkravet.com)
- Currey & Company "Faiyum" Table Lamp / \$490 / [www.burkedecor.com](http://www.burkedecor.com)