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Field of Energy

Recreate the Dinagyang Festival in your living area



Adorn your wall with artwork characterizing the Dinagyang Festival. Art work (P20,000) from PNKY Collection



Incorporate a sun symbol as a wall accent. Sunburst mirror (P4299.75) from Our Home



Add color with a funky vase. Vase (P800) from The Pietro Collection

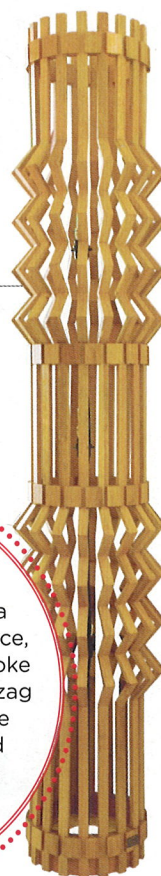


Inject warmth into your space with a cozy sofa. Sofa (P27,950) from Our Home

Channel a candle-lit mood with elegant lighting. Floor lamp by Vito Selma (P23,500) from Kish

GREAT TO KNOW

To get that energetic "Hala Bira!" vibe going in your space, use accessories that best evoke the local festivity. Go for zigzag patterns because they have a very tribal feel. Also, add masks, ethnic accessories and flowers to complete the look.



Choose an organic center table as the focal point of your area. Bangkat cocktail table (Price upon request) from Haute Design



Decorate your home with tribal pieces. Ethnic accessories (P1815 and P4540) from The Pietro Collection

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Native Aesthetic

Celebrate the highlands with ethnic pieces

Include pieces that remind you of the forest. Bird display (P2195, P1795 and P1795) from Sifra



Add more drama to your space with elegant vessels. Wood vessels (Price upon request) from Haute Design

Accessorize with pieces that generate a cultured atmosphere. Horns (P23,625 per pair) from The Pietro Collection



Accentuate your lanai with an elaborate stool. Argao low stool (P6250) from Roomscape



Go for a well-built center table that weather the test of time. Twiggy center table (Price upon request) from Haute Design



GREAT TO KNOW

Live like the Ifugaos and go for pieces that remind you of mountains and forests. Furniture made of nice weaving, twigs and hardwood paired with horns and bird accessories work well to have a distinct Ifugao-inspired interior.

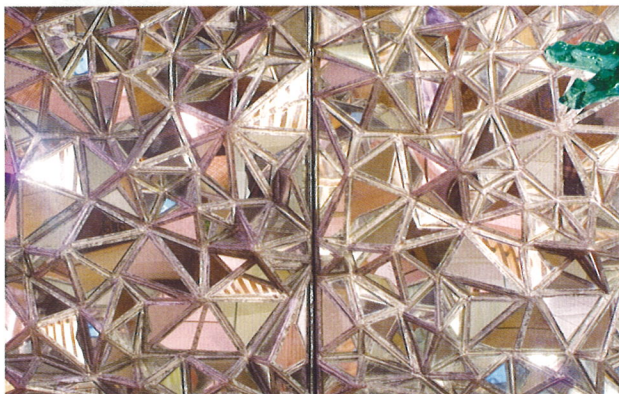
Mix in an Ifugao statue to create a distinct Banaue setting. Wooden statue (P6499.75) from Kultura

Select ethnic-inspired seating that offers comfort. Llano tub chair (Price upon request) from Haute Design



Seaside Calm

Bring in the tranquility of the seafaring life of the Badjao people for better slumber



Create an optical illusion with a modern mirror. Mirror (P8000 each) from Triboba Bay Living



Show off your favorite photo with a shell-encrusted frame. Photo frame (P495) from Regalong Pambahay



Make your space look more inviting with an accent chair. Cardan accent chair (P39,950) from Our Home



Choose a comfortable bed for better relaxation. Bed (Price upon request) from Triboba Bay Living



Bring the beachside into your bedroom with underwater-inspired décor. Glass sea shells (Price upon request) from Haute Design

Opt for chic lighting to add a modern touch to your space. Turtle shell lamp (P24,385) from The Pietro Collection



Select a side table that complements your bed. Side table (Price upon request) from Haute Design

GREAT TO KNOW

Badjao interiors use the sea as inspiration. A huge washed bed and a mirror that resembles water should be the prominent features in your bedroom. Shells, corals and other accessories from the sea contribute not just a comfortable atmosphere but also visual interest.

Floral Delight

GREAT TO KNOW

Flowers and earthy colors are the main keywords to have a space inspired by the flower festival. You can also combine and play with different textures to add more depth to the décor of your space.

Keep your vanity fresh-looking by channeling the Panagbenga festival



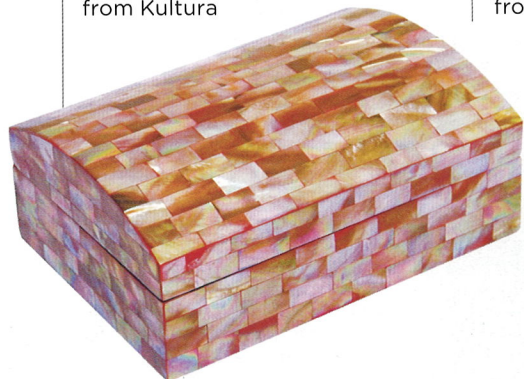
Store your toilet paper in a tissue holder. Tissue holder (P795) from Sifra



Put your decorative soaps on display with a ceramic dish. White ceramic vessel (P3310) from The Pietro Collection



Keep your oral care needs in a durable container. Brownlip shell box (P4999.75) from Kultura



Opt for candles with your favorite scent to make your bathing experience more enjoyable. Candle holder (P500 and P350) from Regalong Pambahay



Choose a vanity stool that is resistant to bathroom moisture. Stool (P7499.75 each) from Kultura

Organize your bath towels and extra toiletries in practical storage.

Leather storage (P1495, P1795 and P2195) from Sifra



Add a mirror that goes with the floral décor of your space. Mirror (P8900) from Sifra

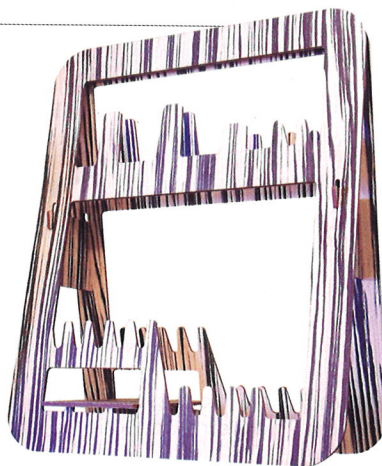
Graphic Effect

Inject elegance to your table setting by using napkin rings. Napkin ring (P549.75) from Kultura



Translate the energy of the Pintados culture into your cooking

Select a good kitchen companion for drying your dishes and cutlery. Dish drain (P2000) from Kish



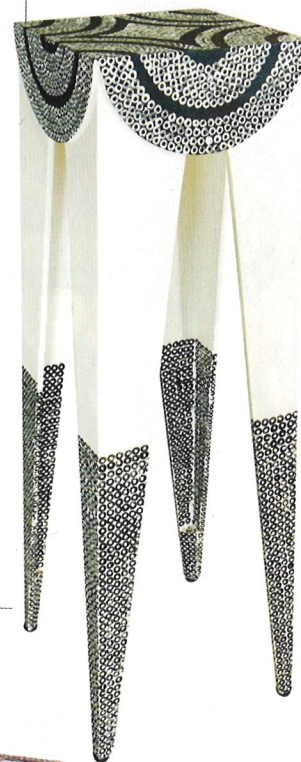
Use coasters to protect your dining table from ring marks. Coasters (P550/set of four) from Regalong Pambahay



Put fresh fruits on display in a ceramic bowl. Ceramic bowl (P799.75) from Our Home



Select an end table that can hold some of your cooking bowls. End table (P14,000) from Kish



Add appeal to your kitchen with a stylish bar stool. Bar stool (Price upon request) from Haute Design



Keep your dining table scratch-free with placemats. Placemat (P99.75) from Kultura



Store your kitchen supplies in dependable storage. Basket (P4800) from Roomscape

GREAT TO KNOW

The Pintados culture is all about graphic patterns and designs that are reminiscent of the tribal tattoos of our ancestors. To channel the culture perfectly, go for a color scheme of black and white to amplify the effect.



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Fancy BooodleFight

Celebrate every occasion the Filipino way!

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- 1 - **Serve your ulam in big bowls.** Bowl with ladle (P999.75) from Kultura
- 2 - **Secure your wine with the right holder.** Wine holder (P650) from Uni Art
- 3 - **Dine in style with classy long-stemmed glasses.** Long-stemmed glasses (P850 set of four) from Hive
- 4 - **Add placemats to protect your dining table.** Placemat (P99.75 each) from Kultura
- 5 - **Keep the spirit of booodle fights alive by using bowls instead of lavish plates for eating.** Bowls (P299.75 each) from Kultura
- 6 - **Adorn your table with an elegant runner.** Table runner (P549.75) from Our Home
- 7 - **Get a table with foldable chairs to save space.** Table set (P12,000) from Uni Art