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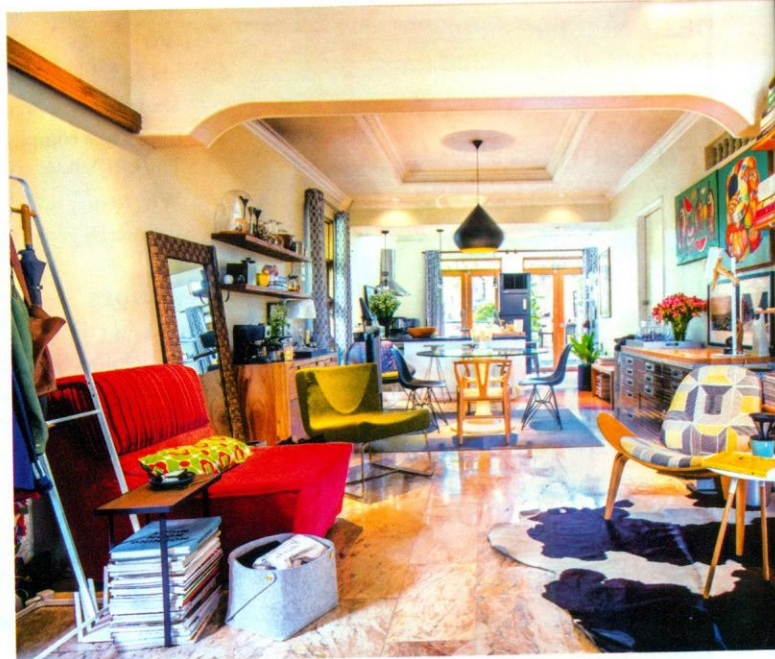
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Low budget products that are high on style

PLUS

ACCESSIBLE STYLE: Effortless changes to transform your space from simple to stunning
TIP-TOP CONDITION: Keep costly investments at their best with smart tips from our experts
LITTLE LUXURIES: What to save, spend, and splurge on when it comes to your home



Simple Pleasures

This month has probably been the busiest I have been in a long while. For the past weeks, I've come home late at night, covered with layers of dust from construction sites and dead tired from furniture shopping for clients. All this, aside from going on shoots, coordinating with my team, and writing. I plan my day while in the shower because it's the only time I get to think in peace, and I try to get as much sleep as I can whenever (and wherever) possible. It may not be ideal, but everything has served to teach me to value my time and that of others, and more importantly, to appreciate what I have, as well.

When it comes to work, success depends on the people with and behind you. I am fortunate to have a team and partners I can depend on and will always pull through when needed without

having to be asked. Even when I'm totally drained, it gives me comfort to know that we share the same values and believe in not just getting things done, but more importantly, doing things right.

Nowadays, a lot of us spend so much time glued to our phones and focus too much on things that don't matter that we often forget to appreciate the present. For me, true luxury is having time and being able to enjoy it. Whether it's something as simple as reading a magazine or as grand as a long vacation, it's made better when you can take pleasure from it. The same goes when it comes to your home.

People often make the mistake of thinking that a beautiful house costs a lot of money. While it's true that a bigger budget will give you more options, having creativity and imagination can do wonders, as well. Decide what's important

to you and focus on that. There are those who prefer to spend on luxurious beddings, others will save for custom furniture, and those who will spend time and effort on having a beautiful garden. If something makes you happy, do it.

This issue is all about affordable luxury and smart spending. From beautiful houses on a budget to choice furniture and accessories, we've got you covered in our pages. Our design experts this month give you clever ideas and small changes you can do in your home to make it even better.

Happy reading! 🏠

Hazel

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WHAT'S NEW

New, Now, Next

The latest news and products to watch out for

Make Room And More's stackable boxes let you store small belongings together for a clutter-free space



MAKE ROOM AND MORE

Local storage and organization specialist Make Room And More introduces new space-saving solutions for various areas at home to help you achieve a clutter-free space. The brand offers acrylic storage boxes, containers, and office organizers to help you save space in the office, bedroom, kitchen, and even bath. Make Room And More's stackable boxes may be placed inside closets or even drawers to efficiently organize multiple items. The clear containers allow users to see what's inside for easy retrieval. Make Room and More is exclusively distributed by Stores Specialists, Inc., and is located at B5 Bonifacio High Street, Estancia Capitol Commons, Glorietta 4, Rustan's Tower Shangri-La, and Power Plant Mall.



Store notebooks, folders, and other office supplies in a clear organizer for easy access

CALLIGARIS

Italian furniture manufacturer Calligaris reinvents past design trends with an innovative take on 50s-style furniture. Inspired by pieces from the same era, the Fifties chair takes its cue from the '50s style canon when furniture with clean edges and geometric forms were popular. Brass plated and upholstered in Venice velvet, the Fifties chair gives a futuristic yet elegant vibe to any space. Its metal tube legs enhance the chair's luxurious appearance, while the backrest and seat are padded for enhanced comfort. Visit Calligaris located at Clipp Center, 11th Avenue cor. 39th Street, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig.

Add retro elegance to your chair with Calligaris' sleek Fifties chair

