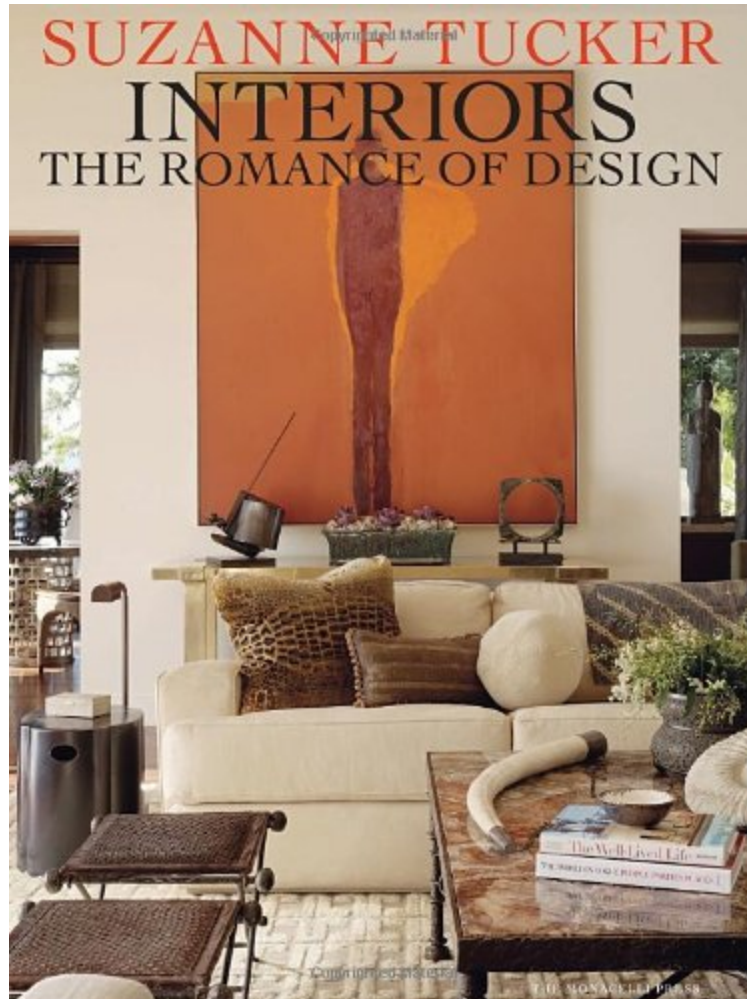


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**Suzanne Tucker : Suzanne Tucker Interiors: The Romance of Design** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Suzanne Tucker Interiors: The Romance of Design:

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. "Vision is the Art of seeing what is invisible to others"- Jonathan Swift. By Sandra V. Jordan In her new book, Suzanne Tucker's vision and talent as an interior designer clearly shines through. She skillfully interprets her client's dreams and is able to translate them to elegant, comfortable homes. Tucker's sensibilities and design tastes honor classical design principals. For example, she understands how a neutral palette can provide great serenity and highlight treasure items. She pays special attention and respects the sentimental provenance of furnishings and decorative pieces. This new book encapsulates Suzanne's warm personality and her joy in working with her clients. She is able to work with her clients preferences even when they are not in obvious agreement with the style of the house: "Things don't need to match, but they definitely need to marry," she says. "The

key is finding a common thread that stitches the dissimilar together."The book showcases Suzanne's many stellar projects with beautiful pictures, including tight shots that highlights the attention to details.A great addition to everyone's design library.Sandra Jordan0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The Devil is in the DetailsBy Patricia HarmanciWhile I await a third book from Suzanne Tucker (hopefully!), I treasure this second book and her first "Rooms to Remember". Suzanne, having learned from and worked with the legendary Michael Taylor, combines comfort, coziness, and extraordinary details into her interiors. She does scale like no one else. The interweaving of texture and detail excites the eye. I continue to see new things in her rooms and always find items I'd love to own. Nothing screams "done by a decorator". I could walk into any of her work and feel at home. If you're renovating, her books give you a plethora of ideas--your house doesn't have to be 'grand' to use her techniques to make a house a gorgeous home.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. A must-have!By Design\_LoverI purchased this book last fall and have just re-read it for the third time. This is absolutely a must-have for any design library: not only does it showcase some of the most spectacular homes in the country - with amazing photographs - the book delves deep into the thought process of truly great interior design, in a variety of styles. What fascinated me most was the exploration of the relationship between designer and client, and the work that goes into turning a house into a home that is a true reflection of the client's individuality. Nothing is left to chance, down to the smallest details, which are beautifully captured on camera. Again, a must-have!

Suzanne Tucker, a perennial on the AD100 Top Designers of the World, presents the best of the West Coast, featuring opulent Napa Valley estates, glamorous penthouses on San Francisco Bay, and art-filled apartments. All are united by an attention to detail where the designers hand is evident in every tile, molding, railing, and finish; Suzanne Tucker redefines the notion of the truly custom home. Tucker interprets her clients dreams of home and translates them into lavishly decorated rooms, perfectly tailored to their interests, passions, and personalities. She marries each of her designs to the particular tastes and sensibilities of her clients while always honoring classic design principles. The result is exquisitely polished interiors that blend timeless, Old World elegance with modern luxury and spirit.

"San Francisco designer Suzanne Tucker purveys a decidedly West Coast kind of glamour. Her rooms showcase deep colors and exotic accents, set against such natural materials as Montana stone and Douglas fir. (Those views of the surrounding Northern California landscape don't hurt.) The book's showstopper is a stunning estate in the hills of Montecito, left, modeled on an Italian villa and filled with Asian antiques."Elle Decor"San Franciscobased designerSuzanne Tuckertakes us through her design process, using her timeless schemes to illustrate various projectssuch as an apartment in a contemporary San Francisco high-rise and a Spanish-style hacienda near Monterey Bay. Readers also get to peek inside her Marin County, California, home, which she calls her 'decorating laboratory.'" Architectural Digest"As passionate about design as she is about the clients who inhabit her beautiful spaces, decorator Suzanne Tucker takes a lovely overview of the sometimes grand but always cozy rooms she brings to life. With an eye for layering art and antiques, she has an assured style that's versatile yet distinctive." Traditional Homes"Suzanne Tucker wrote the book on aspirational romantic residencesliterally. The renownedinterior designers latest coffee-tabletome, Suzanne Tucker Interiors: TheRomance of Design, is a compilation ofher 25 years work creating elegantand refined yet warm and personalretreats for her firms clients.In each chapter, Tucker deconstructsthe elements that make the featuredroom special, including the specificmaterials used to achieve the effect,such as bleached Douglas fir ceilingsand an antique Swedish pine clock." Romantic Homes"Tucker's signature style is discernable in every space presented in this volume."MilieuMagazine"Suzanne Tucker, a perennial on theAD100 Top Designerslist, shows opulent Napa Valley estates, glamorous penthouses on the San Francisco Bay, and art-filled apartments in her new book."The Editor at Large"Suzanne Tucker Interiors . . .is truly inspiring. Suzanne offers readers a view into her design process and intimate glimpses into her clients luxurious homes." SimplifiedBee"[Tucker's]new book gives us a glimpse into some of the most exquisite residences in the country, from an art-filled contemporary townhome to a massive mountain lodge, from a Normandy-style country estate to Tuckers own home." Hadley CourtAbout the AuthorSuzanne Tuckeris one of the countrys leading interior designers, known for her timeless style and elegant interiors. Her projects are frequently published in magazines worldwide and Architectural Digest has honored her repeatedly on the AD100 list of top designers. In 1986 she and her husband and partner, Timothy F. Marks, founded Tucker Marks. Suzanne Tucker Home was launched in 2009 with her textile, tabletop, and home furnishings line.