



"I adore my Hermès Cape Cod watch, but I am currently coveting the Hermès Apple Watch to finally replace it."

Apple Watch Hermès with indigo leather double tour, \$1,299, hermes.com; apple.com



"Leave it to Tiffany & Co. to make paper plates luxurious! This new collaboration with Reed Krakoff truly elevates the simplest items."

Everyday Objects paper plate in sterling silver, \$950, tiffany.com



"I'm in a blue phase lately, and this bag suits my mood—and my wardrobe—perfectly."

Cavalier No. 97 duffel bag, \$1,595, by Ghurka at Neiman Marcus, neimanmarcus.com



"The sculptural lines of this handblown Murano glass are truly impressive. I love when a lamp is really a piece of art in a room."

Aella table lamp, from \$2,990, by Roberto Pamio and Renato Toso for Leucos, leucos.com; 1stdibs.com

## A STORY OF STYLE

By Andrea Mills // Portrait by Bob Coscarelli

Interior designer Tom Stringer started as most designers do: working by himself out of his condo. Almost 22 years later, Tom Stringer Design Partners (tomstringer.com) is a team of 19 that is relocating from the firm's beautiful River North office to an impressive, much larger space in the Palmolive Building. Known for his impeccable taste and love of travel, he just launched his first book, *An Adventurous Life: Global Interiors by Tom Stringer* (\$60, Images Publishing), that is part memoir, part design tome and full of gorgeous images to inspire. His favorite projects are yachts, and he frequently travels with clients "to see the world together and translate [their] interests and passion into their home design." Here is what is catching his attention this season.

"One of my most inspirational trips was to Myanmar. I love the juxtaposition of the jagged edges and the soft appeal of this Burmese teak greeting angel."

Southeast Asian figural carving, \$14,000, The Golden Triangle, goldentriangle.biz

