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Interior designer, property guru and City Dweller Magazine columnist talks to us about her experiences and why you should put in the extra effort to love your home, all the way from Las Vegas!





Interior design varies the world over.

I have been fortunate enough to travel and even live in places as diverse as Vancouver and Beirut, or Kuala Lumpur and Athens. Today I am writing this from Las Vegas.

Whilst many people bring back trinkets as holiday souvenirs, I have shipped consignments of furniture before now. I have a dining suite in Canadian fruitwood and my bed is almost 7ft square and is American, so I have to come to America to buy my sheets! I have also carved lamp tables in Thailand, got a wall collage in wood from a township in South Africa, bought paintings from Spain and many other treasures from my travels.

Together with bespoke furniture made by UK craftsmen, my home has grown over the years into the story of my life, it is unique and individual. It is how I want to live; surrounded by lovely things with happy memories. Finding your own style is something that comes with time and your home should reflect you and how you want to live, it is not about being the same as everyone else, about proving that you know where the nearest big Swedish furniture shed is or about keeping up with the latest trend.

Even if you live in a furnished rental, it's never too soon to start looking out for those individual treasures that will add to the jigsaw of your life for years to come and travel is the gift that helps you to do that. I don't worry if people like my home or not, although friends usually stay much longer than planned, and as a designer it is important to me to help my clients develop their own style. Happy hunting!

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> Till next time, Christine



