

# **ON VIEW**

"RAMSES THE GREAT AND THE GOLD OF THE PHARAOHS"

Embark on an immersive journey into ancient Egypt with "Ramses the Great and the Gold of the Pharaohs" at the de Young museum, which explores the life and accomplishments of Ramses II, whose reign many historians consider the apex of Egyptian culture. Under his rule, enormous temples, obelisks and

statues were erected across the empire, the largest in both scale and number of any king. The de Young, the exhibit's exclusive West Coast venue, is uniquely suited to transport visitors to the era through an array of 180 extraordinary artifacts. Wander amongst towering royal sculptures and see dazzling jewelry as well as precious works of art. "Many of these objects are newly discovered and have never left Egypt before," says Renée Dreyfus, organizing curator of "Ramses the Great." "This exhibition is truly a once-ina-lifetime experience as many of the works will return to Egyptian museums and are unlikely to travel again for decades." deyoung.famsf.org

## **READING ROOM**

MAKE SPACE ON YOUR BOOKSHELVES FOR EXCITING NEW TITLES FROM THREE LEGENDARY SAN FRANCISCO DESIGNERS.

#### **EXTRAORDINARY INTERIORS**

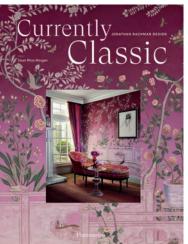
Local interior designer Suzanne Tucker of Tucker & Marks releases her third monograph, Extraordinary Interiors, on October 4. The volume-a treat for lovers of luxurious yet comfortable design offers a glimpse inside recent projects, including a San Francisco townhouse replete with elegant details, a refined but cozy beach house, and the designer's own idyllic retreat in Montecito. Deftly incorporating decorative arts and antiques, Tucker creates beautiful spaces that are thoughtfully tailored to the lives of their inhabitants.





### **CURRENTLY CLASSIC:** JONATHAN RACHMAN **DESIGN**

Currently Classic: Jonathan Rachman Design, out September 27, offers a glimpse into the magical world of San Francisco interior designer and bon vivant Jonathan Rachman. Born on Sumatra and educated in Switzerland. the globetrotting polyglot's aesthetic is influenced by a love for East and West as well as old and new. The designer's first monograph chronicles his timeless work, which incorporates extraordinary textiles, handicrafts and objets d'art from his travels. rizzoliusa.com



### SOUL: INTERIORS BY **ORLANDO DIAZ-AZCUY**

Designer Orlando Diaz-Azcuy founder of and consultant for San Francisco-based design firm ODADA—has released his second monograph, titled Soul. A pioneer of minimalist design, Diaz-Azcuy is a master of creating clean, livable spaces that incorporate distinctive elements, such as vintage pieces, global artifacts and unexpected splashes of color. The book, available October 4, features projects in San Francisco as well as Miami and New York, rizzoliusa.com



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