

STYLE ASSISTANCE: PAIGE NOELLE. FLOWERS: BLACK ORCHID, BACKGROUND IN 'MUROWASH' MINERAL FLAT PAINT IN RHODES, \$38/LITRE, MUROBOND

open field rose



white disbud chrysanthemum



tuberose



cymbidium orchid



parrot tulip



peony



paper daisy



poem field rose



pink billy buttons



chrysanthemum



pepper tree foliage



standard vanda orchid



ornamental cabbage



king vanda orchid



hyacinth



cymbidium orchid



spring awakening

Arranging your flowers is as easy and effortless as gathering a few blooms together. We show you how to make maximum impact with seasonal spring blossoms

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classic white & green

- *Citrus green blooms* modernise an all-white arrangement with their vibrant hit of colour.
- *Create floral arrangements* in bowls by using floral foam to secure the placement of stems.
- *Single stems* can be as dramatic as a large bouquet. Just pair an oversized bloom with an understated vessel.
- *Place marbles inside* a lightweight vase to secure top-heavy stems.
- *Dress a tiny bowl* with any blooms that fall off as you're placing a bouquet into a vase.

Vitra 'Tom Vac' **miniature chair** by Ron Arad, \$265, Space. Rina Mernardi 'Giara No. 1' **vase**, \$395, Ondene. Keiko Matsui **ceramic houses**, \$29 each, Small Spaces. 'One Pint' **bottle**, \$33, Lightly. Bridget Bodenham **vase**, \$29, and Leah Jackson **bottle**, \$50, both Mr Kitty. Serax 'Trapped' **vase**, \$122.95/assorted set of 4, Beautiful Spaces. Condiment **bowl**, \$15, Terrace. Vitra 'La Chaise' **miniature chair** by Charles and Ray Eames, \$450, Space. Slab + Slub 'Rough Pinch' **pot**, \$55, Small Spaces. **Floral prints**, stylist's own. **Flowers**, Black Orchid. Background in 'Subtle Texture Bark Watercolour' **wallpaper**, from \$136/metre, Emily Ziz Style Studio. **ADDRESS BOOK** page 150 →





sweet rosy shades

◦ *For a well-considered* yet relaxed larger arrangement, bring together a mix of groups of at least three stems of each species. Try these combinations - glory lily with parrot tulips or peonies with paper daisies.

◦ *Mix the heights* and sizes of your bouquets. A small yet voluptuous bunch is the perfect partner for an extravagant arrangement. Each floral display enhances the other, giving the eye a mix of strong and soft focal points to bounce off.

Vitra 'Favela' **miniature chair** by Fernando and Humberto Campana, \$690, Space. 'Poplar' **vase**, \$89, Bison. 'Thimble' **cup**, \$40, Samantha Robinson Handmade Porcelain. Muji 'New York City' **accessories**, stylist's own. 'Retro Duo-colour' **vase**, \$70.95, Beautiful Spaces. Metallic **votive**, \$34.20, Collect Home. Leah Jackson ikebana **stone**, \$12, Mr Kitty. 'Thimble' **cup**, \$55, Samantha Robinson Handmade Porcelain. Vitra 'Vegetal' **miniature chair** by Ronan and Erwan Bouroullec, \$195/set of 3, Space. 'Retro Duo-colour' **vase**, \$61.95, Beautiful Spaces. **Floral prints**, stylist's own. **Flowers**, Black Orchid. 'Murowash' mineral flat paint in Jewel, \$40/litre, Murobond. **ADDRESS BOOK** page 150 →

dark, dramatic tones

- *Floral arranging is* about creating a visual treat, so trust your eye. Throw structure and perfection out the window - mix and match blooms in interesting ways. Think of an arrangement as a wild garden: it's unruly and not perfectly placed; clusters of different plants sit together in a haphazard yet harmonious approach.
- *Dress bottle-necked* vessels with top-heavy arrangements - think of the overall look as two parts floral and one part vessel.
- *If you keep* the tones of your flowers similar, you can mix different forms together but the whole look will still be unified.
- *Always trim the* leaves from any part of the flower stem that will sit in water.

'Diamond' vase, \$99, BoConcept. Vitra 'Aluminium' miniature chair by Charles and Ray Eames, \$950, Space. 'Thimble' espresso cup, \$20, Samantha Robinson Handmade Porcelain. Milk bottle, \$21, Bison. 'Indigo' vessel, \$39.95, Freedom. Lene Jacobsen 'Raku' vase, \$85, Mr Kitly. Oversized apothecary jar, \$76, Collect Home. Rubber pot, \$61.50/pair, Beautiful Spaces. 'Village' sculptures, from \$19 each, BoConcept. **Flowers**, Black Orchid. Background in 'Concrete Slush' wallpaper, from \$136/metre, Emily Ziz Style Studio. **ADDRESS BOOK** page 150 ⇄

