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Ranging from classics such as “A Really Good Sofa” and “Pretty Table Settings” to unusual surprises like “A Bit of Quirk” and “Cozifications,” the essential elements of style are treated in witty and wonderfully useful little essays. You'll learn what to look for, whether you are at a flea market or a fancy boutique—or just mining what you already own.

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According to Deborah, the point of decorating is to create the background for the best life you can have, with all its joys and imperfections. This book will show you how.

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Editorial Review

Review

Deborah Needleman is a terrific editor--of words, and now, of rooms and living spaces. In her very readable book, *The Perfectly Imperfect Home*, the author offers her advice and expertise on a very important subject--how to make your house your home. She includes succinct advice from the great decorators, sage commentary on what to keep and what to throw away, and valuable rules for what to add to a room to make it exactly right--for you and your family. -*Martha Stewart*

I used to think that my taste was so irredeemable and so rooted in some kind of male, post-college, National Football League time warp--*I own a green velour couch!*--that no one, not even Deborah Needleman, could help me. I was wrong. -*Malcolm Gladwell*

Beautiful in a similar way is Deborah Needleman's **PERFECTLY IMPERFECT HOME: HOW TO DECORATE & LIVE WELL** (Clarkson Potter, \$30), with Kalman-like illustrations by Virginia Johnson. Ms. Needleman, the editor in chief of WSJ Magazine and the founding editor of Domino magazine, has a terrific eye and a dry sense of humor. This is a decorating book for how we live today, and it's for the 99 percent as well as for the swells. Chapter titles include: "Places for Chatting," "Cozifications," "A Bit of Quirk" and "Spots for Books, Drinks, & Feet." This has the feel of a minor classic, and aren't the minor classics so often better than the major ones? -*Dwight Garner, New York Times Holiday Gift Guide*

About the Author

Deborah Needleman is the Internationally known editor-in-chief and creative mastermind behind Domino magazine - a cultural touchstone that amassed more than a million subscribers in just four years. Now the editor-in-chief of WSJ Magazine, Deborah is a widely published expert on interior design, style, and gardening. Virginia Johnson's illustrations have appeared in books by Kate Spade and on textiles carried in stores such as Liberty, Barneys in New York and Net-a-Porter.

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