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## THE LONDON STYLE GUIDE

GREEN GLOSSARY

# Designer Pearl Lowe reveals her shopping guide to vintage interiors

The designer shares her guide to vintage decor, from her favourite antique finds to incorporating nostalgia into your home

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## Be bold with colours and prints

When it comes to creating a vintage feel, I am not afraid of painting a room a near-black, the bloodiest of reds or a sumptuous purple. But green and pink are my go-tos – they work with everything. Farrow & Ball Mizzle is my absolute favourite colour, because it seems like the sort of soft green you'd find in an old Hollywood starlet's boudoir. I've also fallen for Francesca's Paints. My favourite is Smoky Quartz, which is a kind of dusty pink.

My one real extravagance is wallpaper. I tend to go to Morris & Co for wallpapers, not just because of their iconic William Morris prints but because they have a wonderfully vintage feel to them. I also adore House of Hackney's maximalist, flamboyant prints. I stayed at their Cornish retreat, Castle of Trematon, a couple of years ago, which was magical. It is full of theatre, with its botanical-inspired decor and fantastical wallpapers and fabrics. I've covered my dining room in their loud flora print, Midnight Garden.