

## 12 COLORFUL HOLIDAY DECORATING TIPS FROM ACE'S DESIGN EXPERTS

- 1. Paint an accent table ruby red with a high gloss sheen. Decorate it with gold accessories to make it pop.
- 2. Add a festive color to a small focal point wall. Clark+Kensington® Autumn Gourd 5018 is a modern play on red that works throughout the fall and winter holidays.
- 3. Revive old glass ornaments with modern patterns. Paint them with trellis, stripes, and fretwork designs. Display them in a large glass jar as a centerpiece.
- 4. Paint a lacquer red or emerald green on the inside of a secretary, chest of drawers, bookcase or other old piece of furniture.
- 5. Hang a collection of birdhouses on tree branches under a porch. Paint them in holiday themed colors like red and white. Alternate houses that are painted solid red with white roofs with those that are painted solid white with red roofs.
- 6. Paint your front door with a bright cheery holiday color like emerald green. Use a high gloss sheen for glamour and vibrancy.
- 7. Add interest to an overlooked area the inside of your entry doors! Paint them with a shot of color or even a high gloss black. Hang a wreath as an added visual element.
- 8. Fill large glass bowls with silver ornaments and fresh fruit such as bright red or green apples. Display them on credenzas, consoles and dining tables.
- Add an ombre effect to make ordinary ball ornaments more interesting. Mist the top or bottom of your ornament with a colorful spray paint, allowing the new color to be solid at the top, and fade half-way down.
- 10. Spray paint a lamp shade to bring in color somewhere you typically do not see it. Use traditional holiday colors. Or, try the more modern spin of a color such as emerald for your green or coral instead of red.
- 11. Add a fun and festive color to an old mirror by painting the frame. Hang it in or near your entryway for a bright first impression.
- 12. Spray paint galvanized metal buckets with a bright cheery red. Place them on your front and back porch and fill them with greens and natural holly branches.







Vanilla

Bordeaux 5014



Smoked

Paprika

4048





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