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INTERIORS EXPERT AND FOUNDER OF THE INTENTIONAL HOME *Reena Simon* SHARES HER FAVOURITE THINGS





Reena Simon loves Trinny London lip oil, *Atomic Habits* by James Clear, the Time Well Spent candle she designed for Beauty Pie and Hotel Sanders



MY SIGNATURE LIPSTICK IS... Trinny London Sheer Joy Pro-Collagen Lip Oil in Sofia. I didn't wear lipstick for most of my thirties, when my three girls were young. In my forties, I've found my lipstick era, and this is the one – it's so nourishing.

MY FAVOURITE INDEPENDENT SHOP IS... Baileys Home in Herefordshire. If I find myself on that A-road, I always stop in. It's all about texture, quality and craft.

MY FOODIE WEAKNESS IS... a roast dinner, all year round, even in a heatwave.

MY FAVOURITE SPREAD ON TOAST IS... real Welsh butter, with flakes of salt in it. Why would you want anything else?

MY FAVOURITE CANDLE IS... Time Well Spent, which I designed for my Beauty Pie collection. Golden hour is my favourite time of day, and the candle is built around that feeling. It has notes of cardamom, clove, wood, moss and musk. I light it in the late afternoon and it makes me truly unwind and exhale.

MY FAVOURITE PAIR OF SHOES ARE... some black Miu Miu heeled penny loafers I've been coveting for years and still haven't let myself buy. One day...

MY GO-TO NAIL SHADE IS... Bio Sculpture in Cotton. My manicure appointment (every three and a half weeks on the dot) is one of the only times when my phone or laptop isn't attached to me.

THE BOOK ON MY BEDSIDE TABLE IS... *Atomic Habits* by James Clear. It's been sitting in my stack for the longest time – this is finally the year I start it.

MY BEST HOLIDAY MEMORY IS... arriving in New York with my husband and daughters in summer 2025. It's a holiday I think about often, and a place I'd happily go back to again and again. The city has an energy like no other.

MY FAVOURITE HOTEL FOR A WEEKEND AWAY IS... Hotel Sanders, Copenhagen. I love a hotel with a hidden spot, and it has an ivy-covered courtyard where you can have breakfast by the fire.

THE THING I CAN'T STOP BUYING FOR MY HOME IS... throws. My girls fight over the softest one on the sofa. It's a place my less-is-more rule doesn't apply.

THE SONG THAT GETS ME TO THE DANCE FLOOR IS... Nouvelle Vague's *I Melt With You*. It was our first dance. Then it cut out abruptly and a live band launched into Rihanna's *We Found Love*. We got everyone up to join us. Those songs still make me feel emotional.

MY FOOLPROOF DINNER PARTY DISH IS... charred cauliflower, Sabrina Ghayour-style. It's the only way I can eat cauliflower, other than cauliflower cheese. I'm not the cook in our household, though. This will be made by my husband.

THE MANTRA I LIVE BY IS... be grateful for the ordinary days. They're the days you can end up missing the most.

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