

INSTANT ROOM CARLETON VARNEY

“Every room is a symphony,” says design legend Carleton Varney. “Just like an orchestra, each piece of furniture and fabric plays a different part.”

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Sheers

“The vertical line in SOPHIE SHEER is especially useful in a room with low ceilings. The stripe can really add a lot of height.”



Accent Chair

“The dogwood flower in MALIBU goes so well with the ferns in WYKEHAM. Use Malibu on the Colonnade Armchair from Ficks Reed. The open back keeps things light.”



Curtains and Armchair

“The leaves, the peachy highlight, and the texture—WYKEHAM is magical! Use it for curtains and on the Lily Chair. That will tie the window treatment to the rest of the room.” Chair by Kindel.



Sofa

“I love the silvery reflection of SIENA so much I’d cover the sofa with it and paint the walls to match.” Varney Sofa from Kindel.



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As president and owner of Dorothy Draper & Co., Varney carries on the design icon’s tradition: Stylish with unmistakable drama. Here he creates a living room with new fabrics from the Carleton V line.

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WYKEHAM IN SPRING GREEN; LINEN

BEST FOR: Curtains and armchair

“There’s a charming romance about this whole combination of ferns and flowers. The design is like a damask, but because it’s on linen, it’s not as formal, and a bit more feminine. I like the colors because they’re not pop-y but they still have some show to them. I could see it with almost any style furniture—provincial, contemporary, Spanish, or English. It all works.”

CARLETON V: 212-355-4525



Upholstery
ADD ONE FROM
THIS CATEGORY



KILLISNOO IN PEAR; COTTON,
LINEN

BEST FOR: Sofa, armchair, anything!
“Stripes are the common denominator in decorating. If ever in doubt, use a stripe! It goes with everything.”
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SUMMER PICNIC IN WHEAT/GRASS;
COTTON, RAYON

BEST FOR: Ottoman
“This small chenille check adds dimension to a room with its coffee and earth-tone lines.” TYLER HALL:
212-239-0362.



SIENA IN GREEN; COTTON, VISCOSE,
LINEN, SILK

BEST FOR: Sofa
“The texture goes with all the other fabrics in the room, and the shimmery finish looks good both day and night.”
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Accents
THEN ADD TWO FROM
THIS CATEGORY



HINSON SUEDE IN SALMON;
MICROFIBER

BEST FOR: Accent chair
“A ‘pocketbook fabric’ like a woman’s bag or gloves—just a little bit will be noticed.”
HINSON & CO.: 212-475-4100.



MALIBU IN MANGO; LINEN,
COTTON

BEST FOR: Pillows and
accent chair
“It’s leafy and graphic, which keeps it interesting and fresh.” CARLETON V:
212-355-4525.



JUMPER IN SNAPDRAGON;
RAYON, POLYESTER, NYLON

BEST FOR: Pillows
“I love the geometry of a chevron stripe, and this has such luster!” BASSETT McNAB
COMPANY: 267-508-0001.



SOPHIE SHEER IN LIME;
LINEN

BEST FOR: Sheers
“The silky green stripe gives an otherwise contemporary fabric a layer of tradition.”
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