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# DISCO STYLE

The home as a dance floor? The music, fashion and lifestyle of disco of the 70's all revolved around being bold, bright and flashy. You may want to relive this decadent decade. If you have plans to throw a disco party, make that shiny disco style part of your everyday life, you need to prepare supporting elements and glittering decoration.

The disco ball-reminiscent light, the shiny interior, the glitter and glitzy finished effect... For elements of a disco interior, mirrors are key accessories to add light and the illusion of space in interiors. They can be found into the shape of chandeliers, mirrored mosaic tiles, complex frames...

Lamps and mirror frames are made from pieces of mosaic mirrors, reminding of disco ball, and are much more subtle and elegant decorative elements. Lamps can be placed on the wall, hang from the ceiling, or just stand on the floor... With integrated light source, they will light up every space in a new and unique way. Mirrors and mirror systems of several elements, mounted on the walls can give a whole new dimension to the space. Although the first associations to the disco style kitsch and emphasized colours, a new trend in design is much calmer, and





furthermore, it doesn't take away what is the best disco style - shimmer that is reflecting on the small pieces of mirror and gives every corner of the room that so seductive disco glow.

With serene shades of grey, beige and brown, and the play of light, space gets a modern, stylish and unique decor that inspires and looks really exclusive.

One of the top representatives of this style, Davide Medri, graduated from the Ravenna Fine Arts Academy, the Mosaic Art Institute and the Albestainer Mosaic Professional School. After various artistic experiences, his mirror mosaics saw the light.

DAVIDEMEDRI art & design elements employ the same ancient methods and techniques by which mosaics were made



hundreds of years back with a modern interpretation in form, function and visual appeal. Craftsmanship is totally artisanal where each single component is processed by hand, starting from the design, selection, cutting, shaping, assembling of materials and laying the mosaic tesserae one-by-one.

These mirrors are composed by simple materials: iron, frame compound, silver and gold leaf glass mosaics and coloured glass mosaics. The process by which mosaic works are crafted is though far from being simple. The time it takes to create mosaics has remained the same as in the origins and requires experienced hands as it is a labour intensive, time consuming art form that deserves special respect and appreciation.

DAVIDEMEDRI art works have determined the success both in terms of market success, press appraisal and recognition by architects and interior designers in Italy and abroad. Today's portfolio also includes, besides glass mosaic mirrors, tables, side tables, floor lamps, wall lamps, art works and design furniture made in iron, stainless steel and in glass mosaics.

DAVIDEMEDRI opens a gap, offering a glimpse on a concept of the world which goes beyond the mirror. We have no need to go through it anymore, as Alice does, the Wonderland is here, to overwhelm our everyday life and reveal the mystery and magic smuggled inside a glare...

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