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Dear Ms. Stewart:

Firstly, let me say that I am a longtime fan of your work. I have used many of your ideas in the decoration of my abode. I don't suppose that you get many letters from male fans, but their ignorance of your expertise is also their loss.

My question to you is this... I used to play the drums in a band, but as I am getting older, and the trials and tribulations of touring are getting somewhat tiresome, I thought I would like to turn my drums into a set of planters, or perhaps an interesting coffee table. I'm pretty sure I have never seen you address this type of question before. Do you have any good ideas regarding either of these concepts? To give you an idea of the milieu that they would have to fit into, let me say that my place is decorated in a kind of nouveau-cowboy motif. Although I have used some of the earth tones consistent with that style, I have brought it up to date with some brighter, bordering on Day-Glo, accents. Any advice you have on this subject would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you in advance for considering my question, and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

Garth Johnson

P.S. Could you please send me a nice autographed picture?