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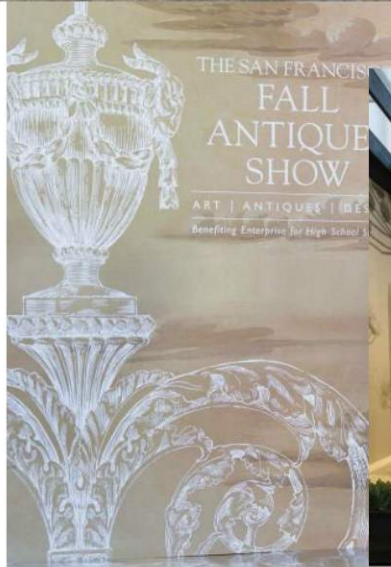
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“The San Francisco Fall Antiques Show is where the top designers shop for unique objects that distinguish their work and their clients from everyone else.”

—PAUL WISEMAN, THE WISEMAN GROUP

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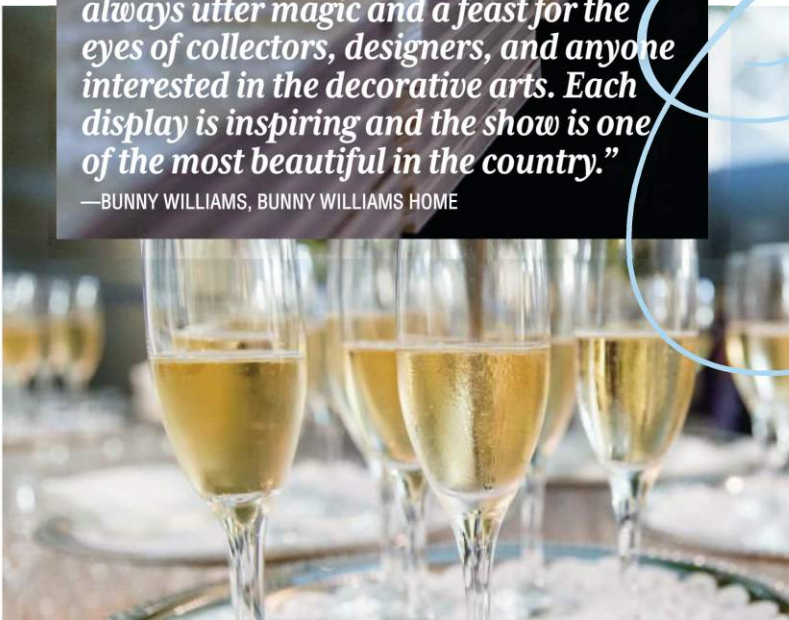
The 34th Annual San Francisco Fall Antiques Show proved everything old can be new again.

“The San Francisco Fall Antiques Show is always utter magic and a feast for the eyes of collectors, designers, and anyone interested in the decorative arts. Each display is inspiring and the show is one of the most beautiful in the country.”

—BUNNY WILLIAMS, BUNNY WILLIAMS HOME

The Opening Night Preview Party at the San Francisco Fall Antiques Show (SFAS) has justly earned the distinction as one of the best events in Northern California. It has become the spot to see and be seen. The well-heeled guests are trumped only by the staggering displays of some of the world's most beautiful art and antiques. Of course, the rock stars of the design world are always on hand, along with socialites and, increasingly, tech moguls in search of unique pieces for their Pac Heights manses and SOMA lofts.

SFAS is the oldest continuously operating international art and antiques show on the West Coast. This past October, it featured approximately 60 dealers from across the United States and Europe, offering for sale an extraordinary range of fine and decorative arts from →



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Michael Purdy, Jack Calhoun, Trent Norris, and Jay Jeffers



Tim Gaffing, Stacey Dobos, and Chris Meza



Alison Pincus

around the world representing all styles and periods, including furniture, silver, ceramics, glass, jewelry, rugs, textiles, paintings, prints, photography, books, sculpture, and *objets d'art*.

The Opening Night Preview Gala itself attracted over 2,000 patrons of the arts who all came to shop, mix and mingle, and enjoy an evening of great food, drink, art, and antiques. The party featured live music, caviar and vodka bars, and sumptuous dinner buffets and dessert stations. San Francisco's McCall's Catering and Events, always known for impeccable cuisine and service, pulled out all the stops for this event—and it showed. ♦



Nanci Kaye, Kristin Bassi, Kendall Wilkinson, and Tina McCutcheon



Suzanne Tucker and Mary Poland



Linda Bettencourt and David Kensington



Jean Larette

“Every year, I see the best of the best at the Antiques Show—from clients to sponsors to dealers, and of course, the sparkling crowd of attendees. It’s the cream of the crop and I can’t imagine missing it!”
—SUZANNE TUCKER, TUCKER & MARKS, INC.

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