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645-2216. **1 nesting bowl set:** Designer Whitney Smith culls her ideas from natural floral patterns. Her exquisite ceramic bowls (ranging from 1.5 to 9.5 inches in diameter) can be used separately or stacked snugly for a satisfying full-lotus effect. \$85, koodekir.com **2 leather hammock:** A fringed leather campechana sewn by

Colombian artisans in the tradition of the vaqueros (or "cowboys") is a mainstay of South American culture. This authentic full-size version is imported by SURevolution, which specializes in handmade designs from the Andean region. Also available in caramel and dark brown. \$1,000, Utowa, 212-929-4800.

