Paint Palette Bonus #1 December 2016 Marilyn's Dress



marilyn's dress	chantilly lace	lemon grove	oregano	hunter green	richmond gray
glass slipper	colonial verdigris	herb garden	strawberry red	sulfur yellow	black panther

Marilyn's Dress is our lead color this month. It is a cool, cool soft gray with a periwinkle-lavender-blue undertone. Very pretty.

I chose it for a young-traditional living room all decked out for the holidays. I purposely left the room fairly spare as I felt that the decorations added enough visual interest.

The color palette of the room certainly has the customary red and green but the cool grays, neutrals and a splash of lemon grove help keep it from looking hackneyed.

The sofa is a Chippendale vintage piece I found on One King's Lane in a tartan plaid.



One idea I've always loved is when using a piece of furniture with a darker/heavier "winter-type" fabric, to change it out by dressing it with a slipcover for summer. It could be white or in this case, the pale gray blue of the linen slipper chairs from Williams Sonoma Home.



The rug is a seagrass rug. Available retail many places and my favorite TTT is Fibreworks.

The end tables are from Target. retail. The cocktail table is unknown and the green velvet chair and bench are vintage.

The red table lamps are from a trade source, Port 68. (but available at numerous sources online) The chandelier and sconces are from Circa Lighting - both TTT and retail.

The yellow Chinoiserie vase is from Bungalow 5 and the green Cache pot is from Emissary - TTT

Marilyn's Dress is in Palette Family #7 - It's Easy Being Green (and Teal) - not because of the wall color, but the color palette of the room as a whole. It also goes with most of the palettes in PF#1 - Neutral But Never Boring and it looks love with Palette #22 (not family)- Glass Slipper

