



## Simple Joys

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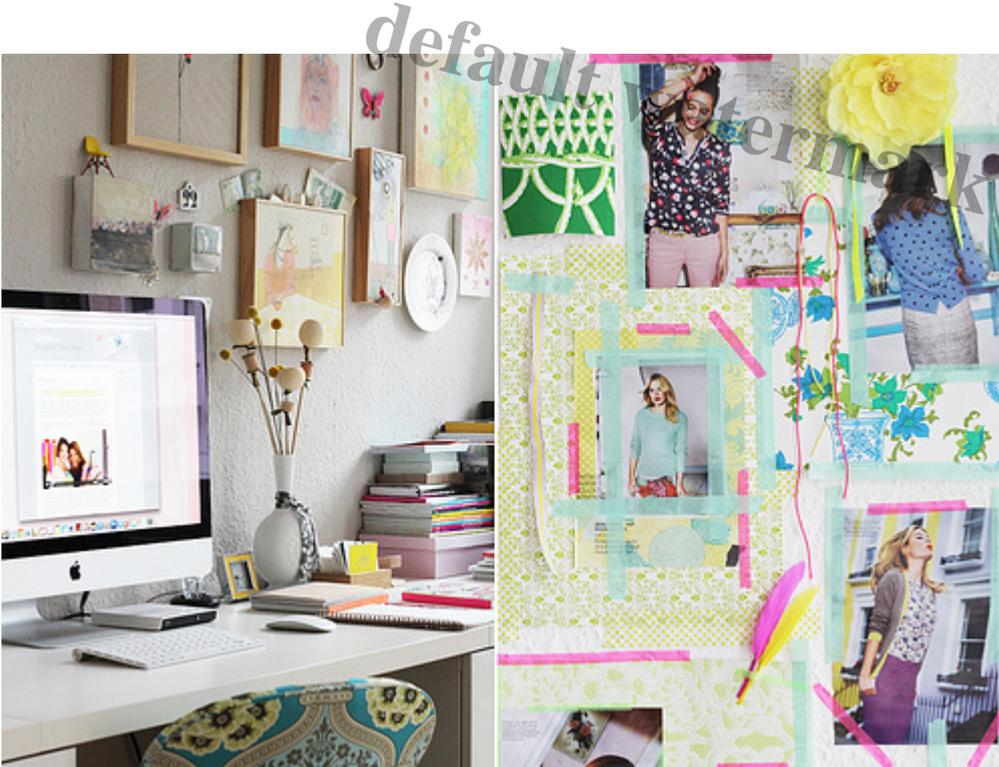


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Today is the start of two **on line classes** I've enrolled in. The first one is [Blog Boss](#) taught by Holly Becker of [decor8](#). I took Holly's [Blogging Your Way Boot Camp](#) class back in the Fall and wrote about it [here](#). Holly is very inspirational and I love her approach to teaching. Blogging Your Way was not only full of helpful information, but also a good source of moral support for me. Holly's story is very inspiring and you can read about her on [decor8](#). It brings me joy to have the opportunity to participate in another class of hers and to learn new things.

I love taking on line classes and have also enrolled in a class called [30 Days of Lists](#). Each day you are given a different topic to create a list from. I love making **lists**. You may question why I need a class for this. I don't, it's just another form of expressing myself creatively, expanding my

perspective and sharing with others. While I'm on the subject of lists I'll share a list of some of the on line classes I've taken and found helpful as well as fun.

- [Big Picture Scrapbooking](#) If you enjoy scrapbooking, this website has many different types of on line classes which are reasonably priced. Some of the classes are during a specific time period and others are self paced. I'm enrolled in one now called grammar free journaling.
- [Soul Restoration 1 & 2](#) These classes are taught by artist, Melody Ross and are uplifting and a good way to help you define your goals. She might be a little too quirky for some, but I love her. I actually got to meet her this summer and wrote about it [here](#).
- [Blog Love E-Course](#) This e-course is offered by Elise and Emma at [A Beautiful Mess](#) and has some great advice for beginning bloggers. It's very affordable, self paced and gives great suggestions for finding your niche.

### Martha Stewart Home Office Products

I haven't been out and about lately due to our back to back snowstorms in Kansas City. I did make it over to Staples though to check out **Martha Stewart's line of home office products**. I loved these labels. Number one is kraft labels which can be used on packages as shown, to label containers or on a scrapbook page. Number two is chalkboard labels. I'm in love with anything chalkboard.



I love this idea from [4 Men 1 Lady](#). You could use these labels on beverage containers or glass canisters for salads at a BBQ. The tops will help to keep the bugs out. The possibilities are endless. It is worth checking out [4 Men 1 Lady](#) and viewing the rest of the table ideas at her backyard BBQ.

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