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BROOKLAN TREE NATURAL ORGANIC SKINCARE

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With her organic skincare products, Cassandra Minchenberg aims to bring balance, harmony and perfection to beauty therapy.

age 43. born North Adelaide. thing that made the world sit up and take notice of you

I am still working on that, but by educating people on the harmful toxic effects that chemicals in everyday skin- and personal-care products can have on our bodies.

describe yourself in ten words

Passionate, mum, believer, animal lover, loyal, patient, generous, busy, optimistic. gets you out of bed in the morning

My enthusiasm and excitement in finding out what the world has in store for me that day. last time you were surprised

I had a beautiful heartfelt surprise when my youngest son, Christian, returned from a walk with some soursops and daisies for me. scares you

I am frightened by the constant horrific news stories; the world seems so unbalanced at the moment. worth fighting for

The protection of our environment and wildlife. world needs to change

Its attitude – less anger, more love and tolerance. most beautiful thing you've ever seen

The most beautiful thing I have ever seen was the birth of my beautiful niece, Matilda. Wow, a new life entering the world – amazing! words of wisdom

Life is given to be lived. Enjoy every moment and grasp every opportunity.



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ESSENTIAL

While many Australians swear by Lucas Pawpaw Ointment for the ultimate lip-moisturising tool, for Americans the star is Smith's Rosebud Salve. Housed in a charming old-style tin, this little rosy wonder has been the flagship product for the Smith family since its release in 1895. And much like our beloved Pawpaw Ointment, Rosebud Salve has a plethora of uses.



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TRADITIONAL

In the 1500s, the first form of modern toothbrush came into being when Chinese dentists took the hair from pigs and attached it to animal bone or bamboo. Dental hygiene has come a long way since then, but for those who like to groom with a spot of nostalgia, Taylor of Old Bond Street still makes a bone-handled toothbrush (although there's not a swine hair in sight).



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SACRED

When taking in the charms of Florence, Italy, there is an essential stop on the scent-savvy traveller's itinerary. Farmaceutica di Santa Maria Novella creates some of the world's most coveted perfumes, soaps and skincare. While charmingly simple in nature, the products of Farmaceutica di Santa Maria Novella are quintessentially Italian, and will have you smelling divine in more than one sense of the word.

- 01 Rosebud Salve from www.smithsrosebudsalve.net
- 02 Bert's Bees Herbal Insect Repellent from www.burtsbees.com.au
- 03 John Allan's Face Replenishing Moisturizer from www.johnallans.com
- 04 Musgo Real Soap on A Rope from www.clausporto.com
- 05 Miller Harris Tangerine Tree Perfume from www.millerharris.com
- 06 Santa Maria Novella Skin Tonic from www.smnovella.it
- 07 L'eau De Jatamansi from www.artisanparfumeur.com
- 08 Taylor of Old Bond Street Bone Toothbrush from www.tayloroldbondst.co.uk
- 09 Dr. Bronner's Pure-Castile Soap from www.drbronner.com