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AN INTRODUCTORY BOOKLET

The Home Within.

A gentle invitation to notice what matters now, explore familiar patterns and make space for what comes next.

THE COMPLIMENTARY EXPERIENCE

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Welcome

Life moves through different seasons, and somewhere along the way, we develop ways of thinking, behaving and responding that help us navigate whatever is happening around us.

Over time, those familiar responses become habits. Habits become patterns. And without necessarily realising it, we can find ourselves living according to expectations and routines that made sense at one time, but may no longer reflect the life we're living today. Perhaps it's the Sunday routine that took shape years ago and carries on exactly as it always has, simply because it always has.

We're often encouraged to find better ways to fit everything into our days. But sometimes the more useful question is whether everything still needs a place. This work grew from a curiosity about familiar patterns, and what might become possible when we begin to question them.

The patterns that helped us through one chapter of life may not be the patterns we want to carry into the next.



This booklet is an invitation to reconnect with yourself, your home and the ordinary moments that make up your life. Not by changing everything, but by becoming more aware of what feels good, what matters now, and where a small, intentional change might make room for something more.

Our homes offer a tangible place to begin, but they aren't the limit of this work. They're where so much of life happens, where our routines take shape and where our surroundings can influence how we feel. Sometimes something as simple as opening up a room, creating a welcoming corner or changing the way we use a familiar space can shift how we experience our day—and prompt us to reconsider a familiar choice beyond it.

> And sometimes, a small change in our surroundings becomes the beginning of a change in ourselves.

FROM REBECCA

I’m Rebecca, and this work has grown from my own experiences of moving through different chapters of life.

Like so many women, I’ve lived through periods when life changed in ways I hadn’t anticipated. There were times when my attention naturally turned towards the people I loved, the responsibilities in front of me and simply keeping life moving.

Over time, I began to recognise how easily the ways we adapt to one season can become the way we continue living, even as our circumstances change.

I also discovered something surprisingly simple. Making small, intentional changes in my home gave me a place to begin. Sometimes those changes brought a sense of calm, sometimes a little joy, and sometimes they simply reminded me that I still had choices about how I wanted my everyday life to feel.

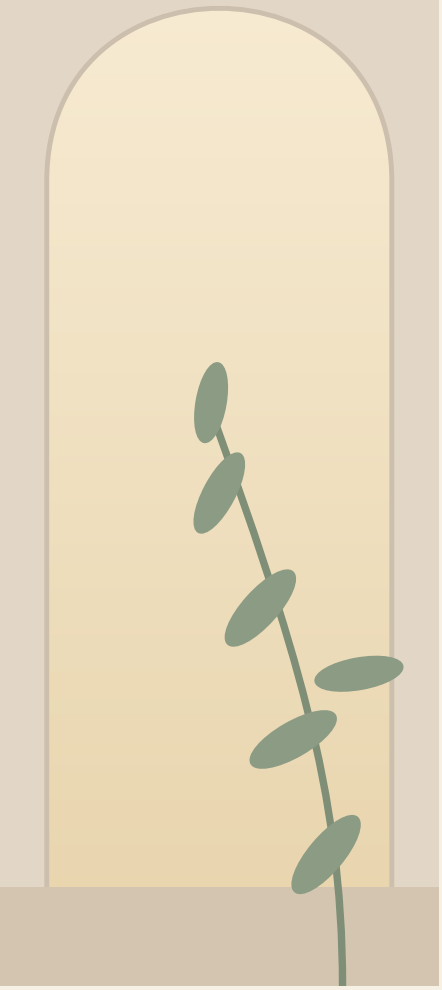
That curiosity has stayed with me.

I bring curiosity, lived experience and a willingness to question advice that doesn’t quite fit. I’ll share what I’ve been learning and offer my perspective on the connection between our experiences, our homes and our minds. The choices you make from there remain your own.

I’m so glad you’re here.

REBECCA NORMAN

01	Notice	What am I experiencing in this space or routine?
02	Question	Does this still suit me?
03	Reframe	What else might be possible?
04	Choose	What would I enjoy now?
05	Act	One simple thing, today.



HOW IT WORKS AT HOME

A room you once loved

Think of a room arranged for an earlier chapter: the children's playroom, a home office, the place where everyone used to gather. It suited that time perfectly. Now it's somewhere you pass through.

Noticing that is the beginning. Does the room still suit the way you live? What else might it become? Perhaps it gets one small purpose that belongs to today: a Sunday afternoon with the book you've been saving, or a project of your own laid out on the table.

A small change like that can help a room feel more like the person who lives in it now.

Does this still suit me?

The same question reaches well beyond rooms. It can sit beside a thought as familiar as "*It's easier if I just do it myself*," or a routine that has run the same way for years. Sometimes the answer is still yes, and that's a choice too. Your home is simply a good place to begin, because you can see and feel what changes.

A MOMENT TO TRY

Enjoyment doesn’t have to wait

It doesn’t need a quieter season or a tidier house. Sometimes it’s already there in your home, in a place, a detail or an ordinary moment. Take a minute and see what you find.

01

Look for it

Think of a place, a detail or a moment at home that brings even a little enjoyment or ease. A chair, the kitchen in the morning, the way the light falls. If nothing comes straight away, wander through and see what catches your attention.

02

Notice what makes it good

Is it the light, the quiet, a view, a texture, something within reach? Stay with it for a breath.

03

Wonder where else it could go

Could a little of that feeling travel into another room, another hour of your day, another part of your life?

That’s Notice, the first step of the approach, at work. Whatever you found is a place to begin, and there may be more places for it to live.

Think about how much has changed since you last decided how you wanted your home to feel. The people in it, the things that fill your days, what you enjoy, what you’re curious about.

You don’t have to know exactly what you want. Part of the pleasure is finding out.

Try something small and see how it feels: a slower morning, a call to a friend you’ve been meaning to make, a chair turned towards the window. What you’re drawn to now may surprise you.

If my home reflected who I am today, what might look different?

AN INVITATION

Imagine your home, and the life in it

The Home Within — A Guided Visualisation

An eight-minute audio experience, to listen to in your own time.

So far, we've been looking at your real home. *The Home Within* invites you to imagine another one for a little while, with the usual routines, expectations and practical considerations set gently aside.

It isn't about a bigger, grander or more beautiful house. It's about noticing what you're drawn to when nothing else is asked of you: what feels welcoming, enjoyable, comforting or simply yours, and what that might tell you about what matters now.

Everything you imagine along the way is yours. There's no right way to do it. Simply listen, and see what you notice.

Your next chapter begins with a little curiosity.

I’d love to invite you to listen: a quiet opportunity to pause, reflect and explore what might be possible when you look at your experiences from a different perspective.

Listen to The Home Within

Opens the guided visualisation on my website

Find a quiet, comfortable spot, and please don’t listen while driving.

Perhaps you don’t need all the answers before you begin. Sometimes a different perspective is enough to show you where you’d like to go next.

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