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Tap to Try These
Wall Colors

Make It
**YOUR
YEAR!**

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Yummy
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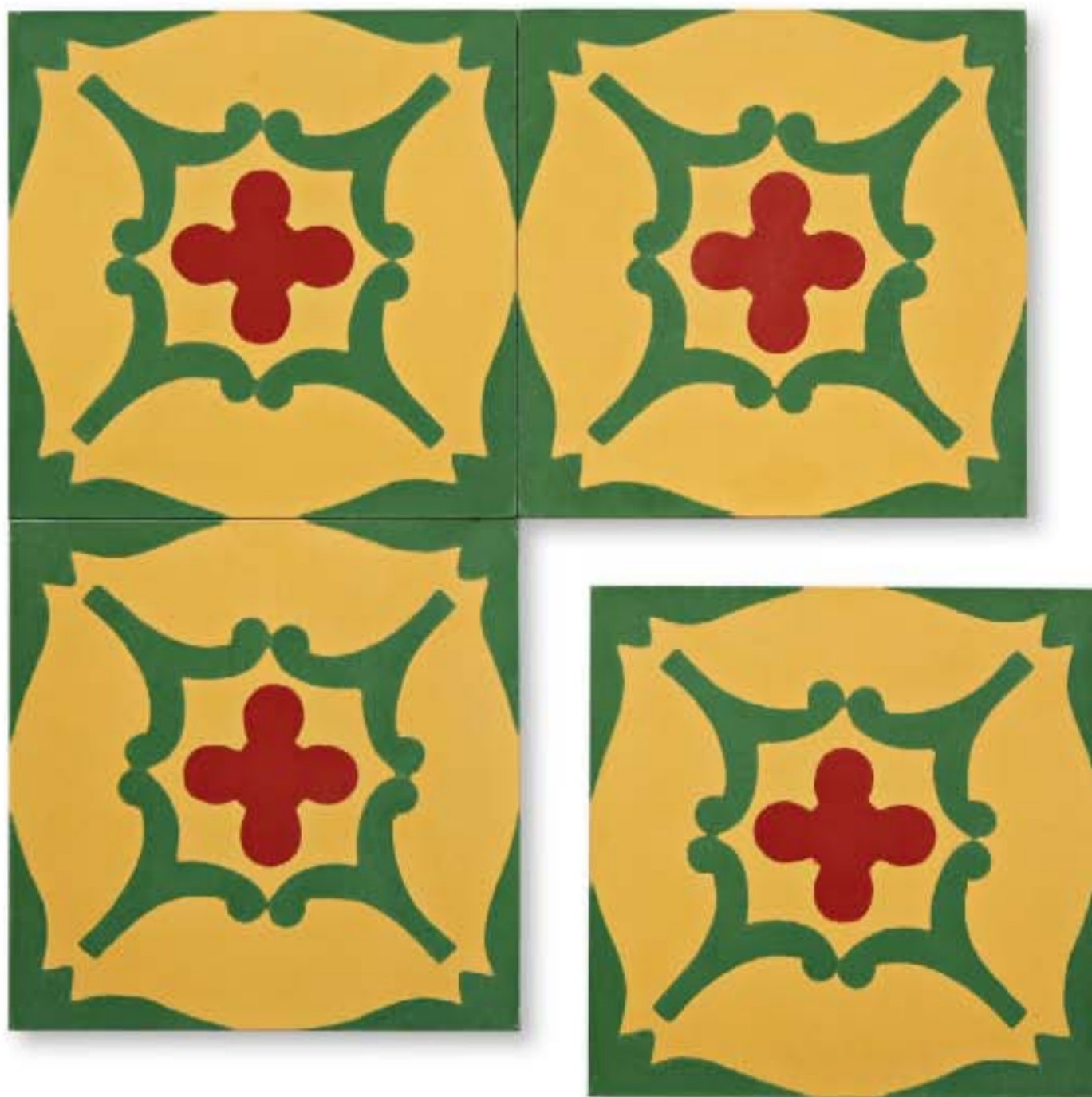
**MAKE A
PENDANT
LIGHT**

**CHAMPAGNE
CAKE FOR
NEW YEAR'S**

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BARCELONA 660

6×6-inch cement tile, \$6.18 each or \$24.72 per square foot; granadatile.com



LIKE A PUZZLE, these tiles are designed to fit together. Their most typical forms: hand-painted ceramic (fired with a layer of glaze on its surface) and handmade cement (a chalky pigment layer that's pressed, not fired). You don't need an entire backsplash to enjoy the impact: Install a single row or two above the counter or fill only the space above the cooktop. Just don't scatter them in a field of plain tile; these beauties are meant to stay connected.



select tile

pattern play

Turn a blank-canvas backsplash into a repeating work of art with decorative tile that reveals a bigger design when you put the pieces together.

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An ultrathin grout line creates the effect of endless pattern. The look is more like wallpaper than a typical tile grid. Camelot 6×6-inch ceramic tile, \$30 each (\$120 per square foot); studiodfield.com

