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Designer Michael Weems Showcases his Gorgeous Elise, Osaka, and Seville Patterned Tabletop Collection at the Winter 2006 Shows

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Michael Weems ushers in the new year by showcasing his famous tabletop patterns, timeless Elise, dancing Seville and modern Osaka, in colors to compliment the upcoming spring season. Each piece of the Michael Weems Collection is an original piece of art. Hand-etched and hand-carved, the crystal, glassware and dinnerware are available in exclusive designs, bold colors and original patterns.

“I have created my collection with the idea that everyone should be able to afford an original piece of art. I believe that a piece you can use and enjoy on a daily basis makes it that much more enjoyable to own,” says Michael Weems, founder and artist.

You can view the Michael Weems collection at the following gift shows:

Atlanta International Gift and Home Market

Bray-Farmer, America's Mart Suite 900

January 10-18

Los Angeles Gift and Home Market

Bonnie Fratis and Associates

LA Merchandise Mart Suite 755

January 17-24

New York International Gift Fair

Richard Cohen Showroom

7 West 34th Street, Suite 907

Pre-show: January 26-27 from 9am-5pm

Show: January 28 - February 2

Jacob Javitz Center

North Pavilion Handmade

Booth 8808

January 28 - February 1

San Francisco Gift Show

The Collection Showroom

The Gift Center Suite 568

February 1-7

Michael Weems is an American designer whose work has been commissioned by Dom Perignon, chosen as the gift to the stars at the Academy Awards, gift of choice for U.S. Government, and featured in many publications including InStyle, Architectural Digest and Bride magazine. Michael is the featured artist for Jenn-Air's Attrezzi line, featuring a limited edition mixer bowl and blender jar.

The Michael Weems Collection is featured in premier retail outlets such as Neiman Marcus, Tommy Bahama, and over 600 other fine retailers throughout the United States.

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