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The Holiday Hater's Guide to Decorating This Season

These alternative ideas are Scrooge- *and* designer-approved.

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Choose a Subtle Seasonal Centerpiece

Setting out a centerpiece clad in the colors of the season is how you can hint at the holidays instead of going full Santa's Workshop. Elizabeth Mollen, CEO of **Stone Textile Studio**, suggests displaying green apples, pomegranates, oranges with cloves, or any mix of winter fruits in deep reds and dark purples.

Of the photo pictured above, Mollen says, “We love how the bright colors contrast with the neutral colors of the marble countertops.” It creates a fresher, lighter holiday feeling.