




ABOVE: Owners Wolfgang and Susan Hofherr

A TASTE OF EUROPE

Authentic Provence offers clients some of the finest and most genuine garden antiques and ornaments straight from France, Italy and England.

Text by Kellie Green

Husband-and-wife owners Wolfgang and Susan Hofherr opened Authentic Provence nearly a decade ago, offering Palm Beach residents a genuine taste of Europe right in their own homes. With a 7,500-square-foot showroom in downtown West Palm Beach, Fla., the Hofherrs provide visitors with an extensive selection of authentic garden antiques from the 16th-20th centuries, including fountains; Italian, French and English planters; French mantels; architectural elements and more.

The Hofherrs work successfully with leading landscape architects, designers and homeowners, and recently opened "The Secret Garden," featuring various outdoor vignettes that allow a visual idea of what can be created. For more information, call 561/805-9995. 



LEFT: "Mazagrans" minimalist terra cotta planters from France in an emaille finish.

RIGHT: Ornate lidded urn from Northern Italy made of hand-carved limestone.

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