

Lord and Lody Clapham I love the detail in these very special antique dolls. They are far too precious to play with, but it would be so wonderful to dress them up in their elaborate clothes.









Once you've seen Tippoo's Tiger, you never forget it. I so wish I could see this magnificent organ in action. Apparently, when you wind it up the tiger roars and the poor man wails as he is mauled by the giant beast.



South Asia, Room 41





The Boar and Bear Hunt Tapestry

There are four of these magnificent tapestries but this one is my particular favourite. Although some of the scenes are rather gory, there are also a few tender scenes such as the lady in red feeding her dog a tasty titbit.

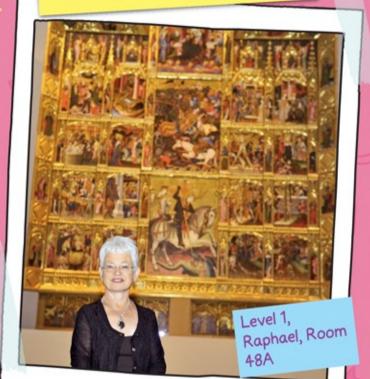
Photography by James Jordan.





Alterpiece of St George

This is magnificent, though when you look closely there are horrible scenes of torture and death. Whenever I bring boys along to the V&A they always want to see St George being tortured!





When writing Kiss, my book for teenagers, I decided that my boy character would have a love for beautiful glass, just like this Chihuly glass.



Fairyland Lustre Vases

These vases are decorated in the most beautiful fairyland scenes. If 2 you peer carefully, you can spot all sorts of different fairyland characters and woodland creatures.

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