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La vie en couleur

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Geraldine Manivet opens up a colourful fabric boutique full of French stripes and bright Indian cottons in her artful hotel. Manivet's Hotel de Colonnes is in the village of Riez in the Haute Alpes de Provence. Words by Jos Budge.



Located right below the beautiful Hotel de Colonnes, Geraldine's store Object de Compagnie is a wonderland of the most vibrant objects, hues and textures. She scours the world to find treasures that tell a story, that are playful and joyful.

Indeed, you'll find the most colourful Indian cotton clothes, hats, espadrilles, bags and jewelry, juxtaposed with cheerfully striped deck chairs and fabrics. Stepping inside it is easy to see Geraldine is passionate about colour and all things quirky and fun-filled. You can't help but smile as you explore her store. Object de Compagnie can be found on [Rue René Cassin, 04500 Riez, Alpes de Haute Provence - France.](#)















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