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Three of a kind is winning hand

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Something about repetition is comforting. The attraction might start when we're children with those little Russian nesting dolls that hide inside each other. The theme continues for adults, this time with nesting tables in the living room.

"It adds a level of interest when you have something repeated in different sizes," said **Brigitte Breitenbach**, public relations director for **Councill** (www.councill.com), a furniture company in North Carolina.

Councill offers a set of three nesting tables with triangular tops of maple, in a choice of poppy orange, lime green or curry yellow. The cost for the set is \$1,946.

"It's an interesting way to add an individual little piece to a room without redoing a whole space," Breitenbach said.

Nesting tables can be separated and placed beside chairs.

"No chair should be without a table in reaching distance," said **Jan Showers**, owner of **Jan Showers & Associates**, which has an antiques showroom and a furniture collection in Dallas.

With a table beside it, a chair does not look so bare. Nesting tables can be placed next to chairs or between them, she said.

"Chairs look more anchored," Showers said. "and, of course,



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