

CALLEEN CORDERO

LIVES LAUREL CANYON YEARS DESIGNING 12

While much of the fashion pack is returning to the world of the artisan, shoe and accessories designer Calleen Cordero has been handcrafting her wares for a decade. There isn't a single step of the construction process that doesn't take place under her roof in North Hollywood, from the design right down to the heels sculpted from sustainable wood. She personally moulds the arch support in the soles of her sandals, customises with solid brass and nickel studs and ships orders to clients. A completely self-sufficient entity, Calleen has total control – something that's reflected in the quality of her products. Cordero's style is ornate, incorporating distressed leather bags, belts and shoes, and channelling a bohemian feel that is uncompromisingly feminine.

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