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A HappyUrns Competition
Reinterpreting The Urn: A Symbol
of Celebration

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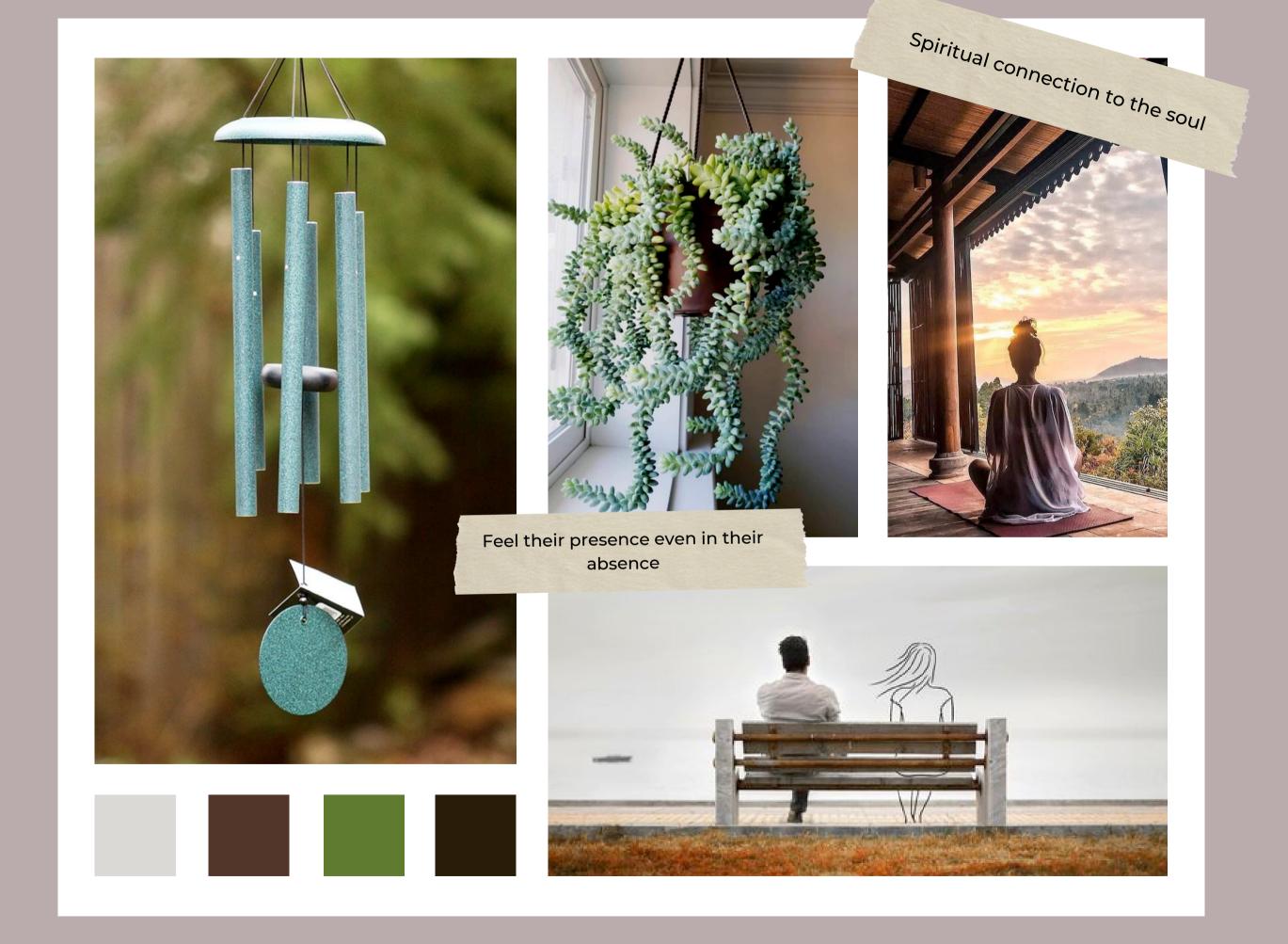




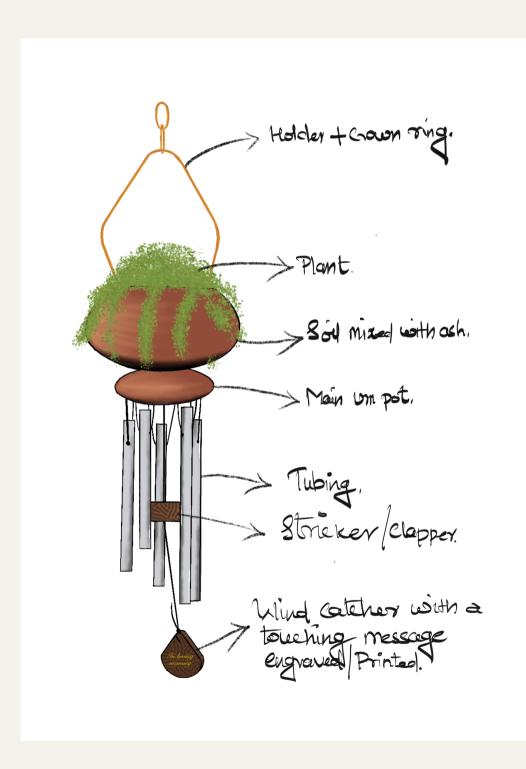
A Personal touch



I lost my Grandmom very recently. During the time I was not at home, I was in singapore persuing my studies. Now when I came back home after two years I can feel her absence. I feel like something is drastically missing at home, like every bit of her has vanished into thin air, her house, her clothes and her ziplocks filled with random things. All at home miss her heartwarming and optimistic personality. We all believe that her soul still lives amongst us. In these few days I felt if there was something that reassured that her soul lives among us then we wouldn't miss her as much.



Design concept



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In my design I have modified the traditional urn into a plant pot combined with a wind chime. As ashes are natural manure, some of the ashes can be mixed with the soil for growing plants and the rest can be stored in the pot below. The wind chime parts will be attached to the main urn pot. When the wind chime moves around and rings, it will give us a feeling of our departed loved ones' soul living amongst us and the growing plant gives a sense of afterlife. The wind catcher can also be engraved with a personal message inorder to customise the urn.

