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Is She the New Queen of Los Angeles?

Larry David presided over her wedding to Ari Emanuel. Kendall Jenner and Hailey Bieber have carried her handbags. Who is Sarah Staudinger?

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Winfred Rembert, Photo courtesy of Fort Gansevoort, NY

Mr. Emanuel is a collector of Black contemporary artists: In the entryway, there is a large painting by Kara Walker depicting a slave market; in the living room, a portrait of James Baldwin by Beauford Delaney; over the winding stairway, a painted drape by Sam Gilliam; above a fireplace, Benny Andrews's painting of a Black man raising fists to the flag; in a hallway, works on leather by Winfred Rembert, inspired by his time on a chain gang; upstairs, a plaster sculpture by Karon Davis of Ms. Staudinger and Mr. Emanuel embracing, commissioned by Ms. Staudinger.