

MARTHA STEWART weddings

FRENCH PINK NAIL ENAMEL



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5. Creative Nail Design
in French Pink.

BEAUTY

PICTURE PERFECT
A slightly iridescent formula gives nails a glossy sheen "that looks great in photos—especially black and white," Book says.

SHADES OF PALE An au naturel manicure keeps the focus on your ring, but finding the perfect neutral can be surprisingly difficult. Our guide by skin tone is here to help.

FOR DARK SKIN
These soft, deep shades of coral and peach are perfect for darker skin tones. "Anything lighter, such as rose gold, will make you look like you forgot to get a manicure!" says Z. Book, owner of Manhattan's Royal Beauty Lounge and author of *Real Beauty: A 20-Step Guide to Better Skin and Smiles* (Workman Publishing, 2009). **1. Zoya** Nail Polish in Jessica, \$6. Also from **2. Euphem** Collection Nail Lacquer in My Romance, \$15. **3. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12. **4. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12. **5. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12. **6. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12.

FOR MEDIUM SKIN
Other neutral shades should reach for these subtle hues for the ultimate in pale. "When you choose the right shade, you can make medium tones appear really "soft," says Book. **1. Zoya** Nail Polish in Jessica, \$6. Also from **2. Euphem** Collection Nail Lacquer in My Romance, \$15. **3. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12. **4. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12. **5. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12. **6. Bate** Nail Polish in Luscious, \$12.

FOR FAIR SKIN
If you're the white, then light shades will always agree with you. To bring some color to your complexion, go for deeper shades like pink, apricot or coral pink. But only use they perfect for your tone. "But these tones will create a softer, romantic, feminine look," says Deborah Euphem, manicurist and founder of Euphem Collection. **1. Jessica Cosmetics** Custom Nail Colour in Courage, \$7. **2. Euphem** Collection Nail Colour in A Kiss of Red, \$7. **3. Bate** Nail Polish in Sugar Daddy, \$15. **4. Bate** Nail Polish in Sugar Daddy, \$15. **5. Bate** Nail Polish in Sugar Daddy, \$15. **6. Bate** Nail Polish in Sugar Daddy, \$15.

THICK & THIN
Shore formulas can be layered to suit your taste if you like a bolder shade. Look, wear one coat. For color that pops, try three.

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