

Flawless Nails in Time for Summer

Aura Balance Ritual Manicure
and Hydration Therapy Manicure



SpaRitual combines its new Chakra Care System, a 10-product line of natural manicure, pedicure and bodycare items, with its Cuticle Care line to create the luxurious Aura Balance Ritual Manicure. Included in the Chakra line are Infinitely Loving Oil, Harmonizing Soak Tonic, Instinctual Moisturizing Lotion, Infinitely Wise Fragrant Mist, Visionary Cleanser, Eloquent Toner, Affirming Scrub Masque, and Open Your Eyes, Close Your Eyes and Look Inside mineral bath salts. The products utilize natural, often organic ingredients to cleanse, hydrate, rejuvenate, condition and energize feet and hands. Cuti-Quench conditioning cream, Cuti-Clean cuticle and stain remover, and Cuti-Cocktail cuticle oil comprise the SpaRitual Cuticle Care line. **For more information on SpaRitual, circle 200 on the Reader Service Card, call 877/772-7488 or log on to www.sparitual.com.**

The goal of the Nail Tek Hydration Therapy line of products is simple: to create healthy natural nails and skin. With a variety of nail treatments, two top coats, a base coat, a cuticle treatment and two lotions, the 11 products cover all aspects of a manicure. The four treatments resolve nail issues by tackling dry, brittle, weak, soft or peeling nails. Hydrating Polish Optimizer is a prep product designed for use before base coat or treatment application. Made with Pentavitin, a water-magnet molecule, the formula prevents polish from chipping and peeling while maintaining the nail's natural moisture balance. Use Hydration Therapy Color polishes in conjunction with the Hydration Therapy line for optimal results; the Color line also features Pentavitin and helps you maintain clients' healthy nails. **For more information on Nail Tek, circle 201 on the Reader Service Card, call 800/676-2457 or log on to www.nailtek.com.**

Aura Balance Ritual Manicure



1 Have your client wash and dry her hands, and then sanitize them with Visionary Cleanser. File and shape your client's nails, and buff the nail plates. Massage a small amount of Cuti-Quench into the cuticles.



2 Soak your client's nails in a manicure bowl filled with water, a capful of Harmonizing Soak Tonic and one scoop of the mineral bath salts of your client's choosing. After the soak, pat your client's hands dry, apply Cuti-Clean to the nails and wipe them with a cotton pad. Push back the cuticles, brush the nails clean, dry the area with a towel and nip away any excess dead tissue around the nails.



3 Apply one drop of Cuti-Cocktail to each cuticle and massage in the product. Mix together two scoops of Affirming Scrub Masque with one scoop of mineral bath salts. Apply the exfoliating mixture to each arm and hand, then wrap in a warm, damp towel and let the products penetrate for three minutes. Clean the client's arms and hands.



4 Spray Eloquent Toner on your client's arms and hands to seal in moisture and tone the skin. Mix one pump of Instinctual Moisturizing Lotion with one pump of Infinitely Loving Oil and massage the mixture into your client's skin.



5 Remove any remaining residue with a Visionary Cleanser-saturated nail wipe. Apply a SpaRitual base coat or strengthener.



6 Apply two coats of the SpaRitual Nail Lacquer of your client's choice, allowing one minute of drying time between each coat. Apply one coat of SpaRitual Top Coat to your client's nails. Finish the service by spritzing your client's hands with Infinitely Wise Fragrant Mist.

Hydration Therapy Manicure



1 Shape your client's nails using a Nail Tek Crystal File. Dust off the nails and massage Cuticle Crème into the cuticles.



2 Apply Dermal Crème to your client's hands and massage in the product.



3 Apply Hydrating Polish Optimizer on the nails and allow it to dry. Apply one coat of the appropriate Hydration Therapy nail treatment to your client's nails, stroking the brush away from the cuticles and working toward the free edge. If necessary, apply one coat of Surface Refining Ridgefiller.



4 Paint your client's nails with two coats of the Hydration Therapy Color of her choice.



5 Apply one coat of Hydration Therapy Moisture Balancing Topcoat (glossy or matte) to the nails.



6 On a daily basis, have your client apply one coat of the appropriate Hydration Therapy treatment to her nails to keep the manicure sealed and protected. ▼

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