

# Custom Home

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## Lithe Spirit

A California home's sinewy structure liberates wine country vistas

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# Product Showcase

Custom houses are still getting built, and those intrepid clients who forge ahead can't bear to skimp on important wish list items. Your clients will see fit to indulge their desires as long as there's a strong argument for a product's beauty and utility. Our annual products showcase singles out exquisitely formed and beguiling functional essentials for the high-end home. By Evelyn Royer

## Kitchen Products



### Cutting Edge

The Soltiere and Multiere, single-basin kitchen sinks inspired by chefs and designed by Mick De Giulio, combine aficionado details with classic design. A removable teak cutting board set on a track slides the length of the sink for easy positioning, and a corner drain maximizes space. Kallista. 888.452.5547. [www.kallista.com](http://www.kallista.com).



### Lovely Lava

Glossy vermillion adds a fiery red hue to Pyrolave's lava stone countertop collection, which now totals 16 glossy and 16 matte colors. Fired at 1,000 degrees Celsius, the enameled surface withstands extreme heat, acids, and corrosive products, the firm says. The extra-long countertops can be manufactured without seams. Pyrolave. 919.788.8953. [www.pyrolave.fr/pyro/eng/](http://www.pyrolave.fr/pyro/eng/).



### That's Reach

The felicitously functional Livello faucet offers a 90-degree profile, horizontal pull-out spout, pot-friendly height, 24-inch hose extension, and different lever designs for different finishes. Stainless steel uses a rounded joystick and chrome has a flat handle. An aerator keeps the flow at 1.8 gpm. KWC. 678.334.2121. [www.kwc.us.com](http://www.kwc.us.com).