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From Lacking to Luxurious

DARK, OUTDATED, AND fraught with wasted space, this couple's master bathroom was in need of a reconfiguration and renovation. Enter Sharon Hicks, AKBD, of Carriage House Custom Homes & Interiors, Inc., who was hired to transform the space into a luxurious spa-like setting.

The existing shower was deep but flanked by benches, leaving little room to maneuver. Strategically restructuring the shower walls created a wider shower and also added space in the husband's closet. This change did pose a challenge, though, of merging the new shower layout with other wall angles. By designing the shower to be completely open, as if were an extension of the room, Hicks was able to make the walls and angles work together beautifully.

In addition to restructuring walls and increasing useable room, the designer focused on brightening the room and outfitting it with spa-worthy products and materials. A large glass-block window and plenty of can lighting shines on a simple, soft palette of whites and creams. Creamy Venantino matte brushed tile flooring, the Carrara marble shower, and Caesarstone Calacutta Nuvo countertops set the tone. His- and-hers espresso-finished vanities appear to anchor the otherwise light-colored area and beautifully frame the freestanding volcanic limestone soaking tub. Taking their bathroom from lacking to luxurious, Hicks delivered on this couple's dream of having a spa retreat right at home. «

SPECIAL FEATURES

Carrara marble walk-in shower, freestanding volcanic limestone soaking tub, 2016 Chrysalis Regional Winner for bath remodel under \$50,000

PRODUCTS USED

Cabinetry: Medallion Silver line with Fletcher door and Espresso finish
Flooring: Venantino matte brushed tile
Vanity Tops: Caesarstone Calacutta Nuvo
Sink(s): Kohler undermount in White
Faucet(s): Kohler Katalyst in Polished Nickel
Tub: Victoria & Albert freestanding Volcanic Limestone composite
Shower Door: Custom
Toilet: Kohler elongated comfort-height
Plumbing Supplies: Kohler Katalyst
Tile: Carrara marble in First Snow
Hardware: Hardware Resources

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