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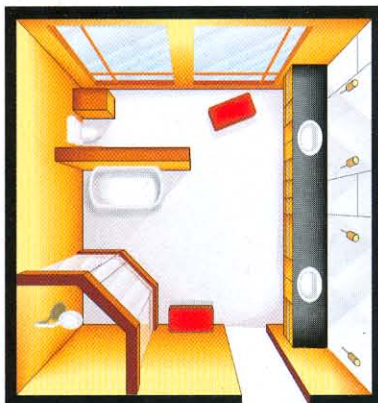


Elegant Elements

WITH A MASSIVE shower, an overly deep tub deck, a sink tucked too far back, and a dark aesthetic, this confined bathroom was poorly configured and lacking creativity. To help her bathroom see the light with a new design that focuses on function and embraces elegance, the homeowner hired Leslie Fine of Leslie Fine Interiors, Inc.

Scaled down to better fit the space, the corner shower was equipped with a hand shower and plenty of storage space for toiletries. The stunning freestanding tub takes center stage, with a now halved wall separating it from the toilet/bidet area. Another wall was removed to fully integrate the sink in the room. The expansive vanity was customized for the owner with storage solutions and crystal hardware, and its mirrored wall reflects natural light around the newly opened design. When the sun goes down, multiple sconces, an elegant ceiling fixture, recessed lighting, and motion-sensor LED lighting under the vanity take over.

Luxurious and functional, a commercially rated glass washes the floor, countertops, and walls. This material is highlighted by gorgeous mother of pearl mosaics, which were used for wide wall stripes and the shower's walls, ceiling, and floor. All these elements shine with elegance in the now bright, spacious retreat. *Learn more about this designer at www.leslifefineinteriors.com.* «



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DESIGNER

Leslie Fine
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SPECIAL FEATURES

Intricate mosaic tile design on walls and in shower, custom vanity and mirrors with integrated medicine cabinets, windows that switch between transparent and opaque for privacy

DIMENSIONS

14' x 16'

PRODUCTS USED

Cabinetry: Custom
Flooring: Glassos tile
Vanity Tops: Glassos slab
Sink(s): Kohler
Faucet(s): Brizo
Tub: Victoria & Albert
Tub Fixture: Dornbracht
Shower Fixture: Brizo
Wallcovering: Glassos tile, Artistic Tile mother of pearl mosaic
Hardware: Brizo
Mirrors: Custom



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DESIGNER

Peter Salerno, CMKBD
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SPECIAL FEATURES

Custom vanities with vessel sinks, wall-mounted faucets, and linen closets; frosted glass door and window; lots of natural light; spa-worthy shower; tile accent walls

DIMENSIONS

16'5" X 16'

PRODUCTS USED

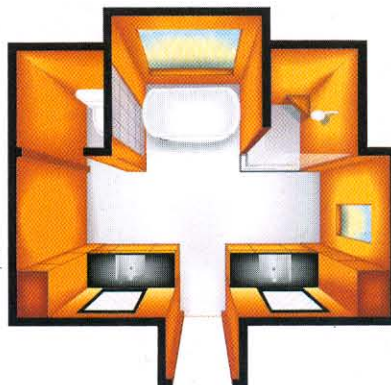
- Cabinetry: Mastro Rosolino
- Flooring: Calcutta Gold marble
- Vanity Tops: Carrara Extra marble
- Sink(s): Self-rimming porcelain lavatory in white
- Faucet(s): Polished chrome
- Tub: Bain Ultra Sanos freestanding
- Shower Tile: Calcutta Gold marble
- Toilet: Toto
- Backsplash: Glass and marble mosaic
- Hardware: Polished chrome

Tranquil Retreat

WITH CONFINED TUB, toilet, and shower areas squeezed into a typical traditional design, this master bathroom needed a complete transformation to achieve the Zen status the homeowner desired. Wanting a clean spa aesthetic and more open design, they hired Peter Salerno, CMKBD, of Peter Salerno Inc. to take the space from tight to tranquil.

Salerno's major challenges: opening up the shower for more natural light without losing a comfortable location for showerheads, making the toilet area feel larger and brighter, and incorporating sufficient towel storage. He eliminated the tub deck and incorporated a glass corner into the shower to open up the tub area and bring additional light into the shower, which now features three showerheads and a corner seat. A frosted glass door and frosted glass fixed window were added to the toilet area to bring in more natural light and create a clean, crisp look.

Both custom vanities feature walnut doors and drawers, vessel sinks, wall-mounted faucets, and linen closets for ample storage, and her vanity has a makeup mirror with built-in lighting mounted to the linen closet. Tile accent walls behind the vanities and behind the tub add to the spa aesthetic in this tranquil retreat. *Learn more about this designer at www.petersalerno.com.* «



PHOTOGRAPHER: PETER RYMWID





DESIGNER

Jim Deen
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SPECIAL FEATURES

His and her furniture vanities with built-in towers; heated tub with custom recessed fountain; leathered and honed Carrara marble floors, walls, baseboards, and crown molding; matching Corinthian columns

DIMENSIONS

16'9" x 12'6"

PRODUCTS USED

Cabinetry: Grabill inset maple painted in Super White

Flooring: Walker Zanger Carrara Marble in honed and leathered finishes

Vanity Tops: Honed Carrara marble with ogee edge

Sink(s): Kohler Glass undermount sinks with LED lights

Faucet(s): Rohl in Polished Nickel

Tub: MTI

Tub Fixture: Rohl in polished nickel

Shower Fixtures: Rohl in polished nickel, Rohl custom configuration of body sprays, ThermoSol steam unit with chromatherapy

Toilet: Kohler Numi

Lighting: Schonbek crystal chandelier in Polished Nickel

Backsplash: Walker Zanger Carrarra marble in honed and leathered finishes with laser-cut glass Listellos

Hardware: Schaub

Marble Marvel

INSPIRED BY THE extensive marble used in the Taj Mahal and palatial estates across Europe, this couple hired Jim Deen of Dream Baths to bring this overseas aesthetic to Ohio and create a stone-washed spa right in their home.

To start, Deen gutted and redesigned the bathroom with an all-new orientation positioned on a marble floor. He incorporated two vanity areas to give the husband and wife their own spaces and included towers for added storage. The shower is large enough for two and features handhelds, body sprays, steam, powerful showerheads, marble walls, and more. Built into an alcove completely enveloped in marble and accented by Corinthian columns, the bathtub area is a beautiful focal point with plenty of amenities, including a crystal chandelier and custom waterfall. Tucked in a separate water closet, the world-class Kohler Numi toilet automatically plays music, opens, closes, and flushes. The owners can control even more features, such as a heated seat and bidet, via a remote touch screen controller.

All the tech-advanced features, though, are disguised in an elegant design characterized by whites, grays, polished nickel, and, of course, lots and lots of marble. Most of the tile was custom fabricated in Italy, enhancing the exquisite nature of this marble marvel.

Learn more about this designer at www.dreambathsremodeling.com. «



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In with the Zen

TIRED OF THEIR outdated, dysfunctional master bath, this couple desired a relaxing at-home spa with a soothing Zen aesthetic. With the vision clear, Barry Miller and Rachel Peterson of Simply Baths began the transformation.

Relocating the entry door incorporated a small hallway and increased the bathroom's square footage. Removing the oversize tub deck and columns also made the room appear larger. A stunning focal point, the new freestanding soaking tub rests on pebbles with a backdrop of textured, sand-colored wall tile—elements representing the ripples and rocks of a Japanese Zen garden. Repeating these textures, the enlarged shower has room for two, a steam unit, and multiple showerheads. For added luxury during winter, the design duo installed radiant heating throughout the room.

Beautifully blending organic with contemporary, the bathroom features a unique natural onyx that resembles petrified wood atop floating bamboo vanities, tile flooring that looks like rift-cut wood, a frosted glass door that hides the toilet with washlet seat, and gently curved vessel sinks. Vanity pullouts and drawers framing the tub and window infuse function in the spa aesthetic. Out with the old and in with the Zen, this design invites true rest and rejuvenation. *Learn more about these designers at www.simplybaths.com.* «



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SPECIAL FEATURES
Two-person steam shower, freestanding soaking tub, toilet with washlet seat, wall-mounted vanities

DIMENSIONS
12' x 16'

PRODUCTS USED
Cabinetry: Holiday Kitchens Moso in Carmalized Bamboo
Flooring: East Coast Tile Mill Wood Collection
Vanity Tops: Shadow Onyx
Sink(s): Pure Essex
Faucet(s): American Standard Serin Collection
Tub: Maidstone Placid
Tub Fixture: Jado Contemporary
Shower Fixture: Danze Sirius Collection
Steam Unit: Mr. Steam
Toilet: Toto Aquia
Bidet Seat: Toto Washlet
Lighting: Hinkley Lighting Ellis and Meridian Collections
Hardware: Atlas Fluted Collection
Heated Floors: Warm-Up
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