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## baths

ALL ABOUT THE HOUSE

**location**

TORONTO, ONTARIO

**built**

1960

**house style**

TRADITIONAL

ARTS & CRAFTS

3,000 SQ. FT.

3 BEDROOMS

4 BATHS

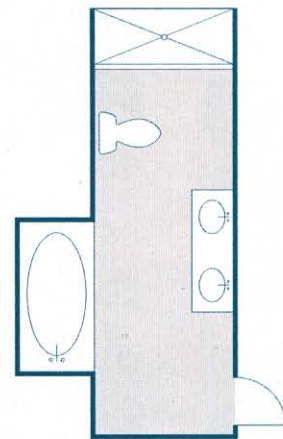
# purple reign

The crowning glory of one Toronto home: this lilac-laced bath

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**C**olor and tranquility. That's what the owners of an Arts & Crafts-style home in Toronto had in mind for their bathroom remodel. So designer Tara Fingold Coleman, owner of Toronto-based Tara Fingold Interiors, dreamed up a spa-like lilac-and-white retreat accented with sparkling chrome fixtures and crystal-tinged lighting. The result: a room fit for a queen.



**FLOOR PLAN** To enlarge the space, Coleman combined it with the old laundry room and a closet.

**OPT FOR READY-MADE** Coleman found a traditional-style vanity ([tarafingold.com](http://tarafingold.com)) with plenty of storage underneath that fit into the space. Twin square Kubic mirrors (\$650 each; [elte.com](http://elte.com)) flank the Claremont sconce by Artcraft (\$187; [greatlighting.com](http://greatlighting.com)).

**MAKE THE SHADE** To play up the picturesque windows, Coleman sewed a window treatment from Jo-Ann Fabrics' Whisper (about \$30 per yd.; joann.com).

**GO FOR GLAMOUR** A luxe Canfloyd crystal chandelier (AR18585, about \$270; 905-474-1555) adds elegance with a custom shade by Tara Fingold Interiors.

**USE PEACEFUL PURPLE** C2's Bella Donna C2-316 LoVo paint (\$55 per gallon; c2paint.com) is calming and sophisticated.

**MATCH FIXTURES** The McKinley tub filler (from \$530; elte.com) was converted to a floor-mount unit.

**SHOWCASE THE TUB** The dormer window frames the Balneo Naos tub (\$7,140; bainultra.com).

**FLOOR IT** White marble Thassos tile (thassos.com) opens up the space even more, while complementing the bathroom's lilac hue.

