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## Your ONE-STOP Solution for Distinctive Home Interiors



### Molli's Memo

I was so happy to see Nana and Papa here at our home in Iowa during Memorial Day weekend.

I love getting spoiled by Nana. For some reason, Papa isn't into the spoiling thing. I'll have to work on that with him.

We are going to be moving to a new house soon. I'll have my own playroom. I hope Nana and Papa come back soon to see our new house.

**Molli Bryn,**  
**Nana's first granddaughter**

## Iowa Trip Recap

My husband and I spent a long Memorial Day weekend in Iowa. A combination business and pleasure trip.

Of course we spent as much time as possible with, as my husband calls her, *the cutest granddaughter in the world*. We also got to visit with my 86 year old father, who was career enlisted Air Force.



**My Dad, Me, our son Brandon, and Miss Molli**

I miss all the trees and green grass from the Midwest. I find it so beautiful and peaceful. I don't, however, miss the cold-snow-ice that exists the other half of the year there.

### HONOR THE FLAG NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday, June 14th, is Flag Day. Because my father spent more than half his life in the military, I always think of him first when I see the American flag. Please remember all our current military men and women, especially this coming Flag Day.

Until Next Month,

*Betty Jones*

### What Our Clients Are Saying

*We have never used an interior designer and recently moved to AZ so we weren't quite sure how to proceed with a master bath remodel. Boy, did we hit the jackpot with Interior Expressions!*

**Sue & Dave Diericks — SaddleBrooke**

# Personalized Furniture to...

## Did you know we do Personalized Furniture?

Often a factory piece of furniture won't give you the right look or feel for your space. When that happens, we love designing just the right piece for you.

Here are a few examples of the hundreds of pieces of personalized furniture we have designed and built for our clients over the years.



### Shoe Changing Bench

This upholstered bench was built so the five foot tall lady of the house could change out of walking shoes at days end.

It had to fit a specific space and compliment the other furniture. Rather than just a bench, we designed it with "arms" to make it easier for her to get up and down.



### Chiseled Look Bedroom Set

This 84" x 84" x 8" thick headboard, with chiseled edges and wenge stain, was designed to compliment the textural stone wall across from the bed.

The chiseled look was extended to the night stands and the pop-up TV enclosure at the end of the bed. The pop-up TV enclosure was needed because the bedroom was so large.

The TV stand was designed so the TV could rotate 360 . That way the homeowners could view TV from the bed or chairs by the fireplace across the room.



### Kitchen Nook Table for Dining or 3 Diamonds

This Kitchen Nook Table was designed to fit a specific space and provide the required functionality.

It is a 42" square table for routine dining. Then, with fold-up extensions to make it a 60" round table, it can host the bridge club.





# Solve Challenges & Add Personal Flair



## Isn't Personalized More Expensive?

Sometimes it is, but it doesn't have to be. When you take into account freight costs, usually from North Carolina, plus receiving and inspection costs here, a locally built piece of furniture can be competitive with factory product, at least with us.

## We Don't Want You To Settle

Part of our job, we feel, is to do everything possible to *not* let you *settle* for something that isn't right for your look and feel, just because of price.

We don't want you to have regrets down the road and say..."*I wish we had....*".

### Dancing Tuscan Cocktail Table

This client wanted a cocktail table to accommodate a sofa, love seat and two easy chairs.

They had specific instructions. The cocktail table had to be "strong enough to dance on". We met their demand.



### Library Dilemma Solved

This client has an incredible library in her home. Her original idea was to put in a sofa to lounge on. When we found she wanted to host book reviews, we suggested four chairs with tables.

We designed a set of unique tables to compliment the chairs selected. These tables are designed to hold a drink while enjoying a great read.

The finish on the tables matches the wood finish on the chairs.



### Match Existing Furniture

This client moved into their new Tucson home with an existing dining room table and chairs. They wanted "matching" chairs for their nook, which was close by.

We had our woodworker and upholsterer match their existing table and chairs with "new" chairs that looked just like the "old".



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## TEST YOUR U.S.A. FLAG KNOWLEDGE

(Answers at bottom, but don't peek)

1. From your memory, and without peeking, how many RED stripes on the American flag?  
A. Six      B. Seven      C. Eight
2. When did Francis Scott Key write the lyrics that became the National Anthem?  
A. July 4, 1814.  
B. The morning after the battle, September 14, 1814.  
C. The night before the battle, September 13, 1814.
3. Why is the flag so much shorter today than when it was sewn?  
A. The end of the flag was burned in the Battle of Baltimore.  
B. Samples have been removed for conservation testing.  
C. The family which preserved the Star Spangled Banner, gave small pieces away as souvenirs and gifts over time
4. When did "The Star-Spangled Banner" officially become the United States national anthem?  
A. 1931.      B. 1917.      C. 1814.
5. How was the American flag used before the War of 1812?  
A. There was no American flag before the War of 1812.  
B. As a symbol of the British Empire.  
C. To identify ships and forts.
6. The rules and codes of etiquette spelled out in the Flag Code can be legally enforced.  
A. True.      B. False.
7. When are new stars added to the flag?  
A. On the Fourth of July following the admission of new states to the Union.  
B. On the First of January following the admission of new states to the Union.  
C. Upon order of Congress.
8. Who has the authority to order American flags to be flown at half-staff?  
A. Congress and the Supreme Court.  
B. The president, state governors, mayor of Washington DC.  
C. The Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Defense.
9. How many American flags are on the moon?  
A. One      B. Three      C. Six

Answers: 1.B    2.B    3.C    4.A    5.C    6.B    7.A    8.B    9.C