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ABOUT THE KITCHEN

Diversified Cabinet Distributors (DCD)
5250 Brook Hollow Parkway, Norcross, Ga. 30071



This kitchen is literally the heart of this gracious new home in Sherwood Forest. Its central location, opposite the casual dining area, and adjacent to the cozy keeping room and wide open family living space, allows it to shine as the focal point for this young, active family.

The homeowners turned to Gary Dresser of Dresser Homes to build this traditional brick two story. Gary brought in Jeff Reed and DCD to provide cabinetry. The kitchen, naturally, was the main design element.

After reviewing the home's architectural plans, a classic raised panel door style from Shiloh Cabinetry's inset collection was selected. The finish for the main kitchen is a warm soft white paint with subtle slate highlighting. The focus is the matching cabinetry hood with arched valance, corbels and display shelf. The island, meant to give the

appearance of fine furniture, is in a rich espresso stain with black glaze. Here the kitchen's ability to function really shines, as the island includes a pull out trash bin, roll out shelves, vertical tray storage, cookbook shelves and a place to hide special occasion items tucked away in the knee space. Attention to detail is apparent throughout the design with varied depths, stacked moldings, and elegant legs for the island. Stainless appliances, bold granite countertops, and satin nickel fixtures and hardware complete the polished look. Now that they've moved in and the dust has settled, this family is finally getting to enjoy their beautiful custom home with a marvelous kitchen at its heart.

ABOUT THE DESIGNER

For over 35 years, our staff of experienced designers, installers and service reps have worked with builders, remodeling contractors, and homeowners to create beautiful kitchens, baths, work and leisure spaces. Our ever-changing showroom displays provide inspiration, and help you visualize your next project. When you are ready to make your dream a reality, our designers work with you to translate your ideas and needs into customized drawings to let you really see what your finished space will look like. We support you through the process of designing, measuring, ordering, installing and servicing. Our goal is to make sure your vision becomes a happy reality. Our strength is our expertise and dedication to providing great cabinet and countertop solutions. We want to make your life easier and more enjoyable, in a home you will be proud to share with your family and friends. Visit our showroom, explore our website, and make an appointment with one of our designers. Diversified Cabinets would like to work with you.

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KITCHEN & BATH DESIGN STUDIO

SUPPLIERS

Cabinets – Shiloh Cabinetry, Oxford Beaded Inset Door Style, Finishes on Maple – Soft White Paint with Slate Highlight & Espresso Stain with Black Highlight

Flooring – Dresser Homes

Countertops – Oldcastle Surfaces

Backsplash – Specialty Tile

Tile – Specialty Tile

Sinks – Rohl, Shaws Original Apron Front Sink

Faucets – Danze

Kitchen Lighting – Progressive Lighting

Appliances – Disposal – Badger; Hood – Shiloh Cabinetry and matching decorative hood; Range – Wolf; Dishwashers – Bosch; Refrigerator – Sub-Zero; Wine Cooler – U-line (in Butler's Pantry); Microwave Oven – Bosch

Architect – Harrison Design Associates

Builder – Dresser Homes

Landscaping – Sun Nurseries

Paint – Sherwin Williams



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