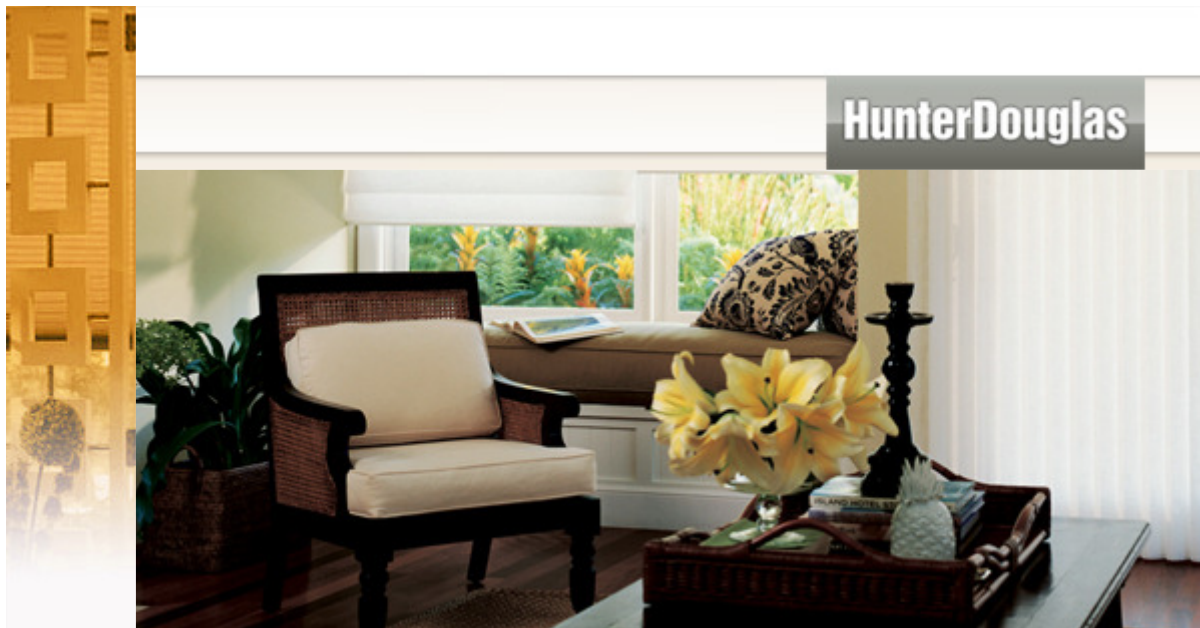


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Decorating **Ideas** - Summer ISSUE 2010

Dear Ruthie,

Think Local This Summer!

Summer is here. You're probably already buying regionally grown fruits and cooking vegetables from your local farmers market. To be good to the environment, think local about other aspects of your summer lifestyle too. We know the neighborhood, so you can count on us to help you customize your home for this glorious season. When you're ready to get your house ready for summer, we hope you'll contact us!



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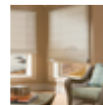
It's Summertime! Time to Enjoy The Great Outdoors



If you've been dreaming about decorating your outdoor living space, you're not alone. Those long, hot summer days are the perfect time to escape your house and enjoy the outdoors. Think of your backyard, deck or patio as an additional room.

Outdoor decorating isn't just about barbeque equipment; it's about beauty. Think ahead to create an outdoor living space that reflects your personal style.

Spend an afternoon checking out what's new. Outdoor furniture and accessories come in more options and styles than ever before - much of it suitable for use indoors too. In fact, consider making some changes in rooms that face your outdoor living space for perfect coordination. Add pillows and rugs to match your outdoor décor and window fashions that make the transition from indoors to outdoors seamless.



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Summer Decorating To-Do List

Celebrate summer with

Whether you choose wicker and rattan or teak and stainless steel, we hope you make plans to enjoy your outdoor "living room" this summer. We can help.

Add A Touch of The Tropics This Summer

Tropical is hot. We're not talking about the temperature near the equator; tropical is hot in terms of decorating style. Summer is a great time to add tropical accessories to your home décor for a sense of fun. You can put the accessories away in the winter, and bring them out again next summer for a refreshing change.

Add tropic motifs in the bedroom with a hand-painted batik comforter. Or purchase pillow covers and a splashy rug for your living room.

Add natural materials to your décor. Hang reed matting on your walls, place sisal rugs on your floors or install bamboo flooring for a relaxed atmosphere with texture and interest.

Think about natural materials and the play of light when you select window fashions too - with woven wood shades, custom wood shutters, wood blinds.

Install a slow-moving, lazy ceiling fan. Hang Hawaiian art in natural Koa wood frames. Place tropical-scented soaps and candles around the house.

After you create your own tropical paradise, sink into the comfort of a bamboo lounge chair, mix yourself a pina colada, and enjoy the summer!



instant updates to your décor

- Buy accent pieces in summer yellows, greens and oranges for a tropical look - or in cool blue and white to create a feeling of calm.
- Install new sliding glass doors, French doors or windows to bring the outdoors and indoors into harmony.
- Order translucent window coverings that let in the outside light - Hunter Douglas Silhouette® Window Shadings and Luminette® Privacy Sheers may be the perfect choice.
- Buy a bold outdoor umbrella to create a roof over your head on hot summer days. Many styles and fabrics can add dramatic visual interest and color, even when viewed from indoors.
- Recover your indoor furniture with outdoor fabrics. If they're suitable for outdoor use, they're probably child-proof, pet-proof and party-proof too. And you can move some furniture outside during the summer to enjoy the great outdoors even more.

Did you know?

In decorating, the classics always work. Many interior designers are seeing a new interest in the classics - not just traditional furniture and fabrics, but also the classics from the 1950s and 1960s, also known as mid-century or contemporary. It's becoming popular to mix and match traditional and contemporary classics for an eclectic look. Think about resurrecting a classic look for your next decorating project.

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