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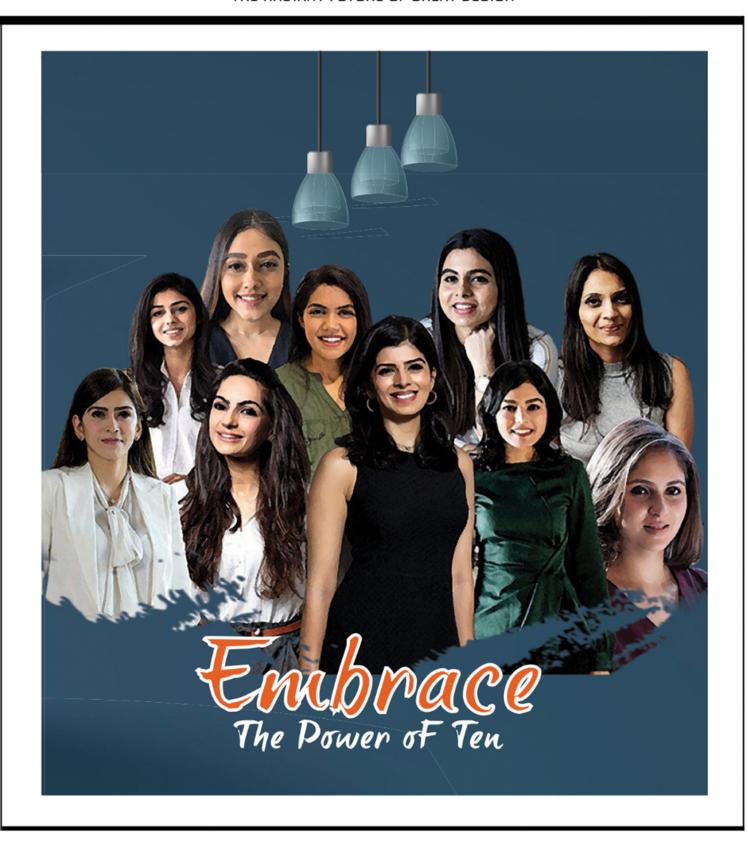






Ideas

THE RADIANT FUTURE OF GREAT DESIGN





An exquisite refuge designed for a young family to base their life moving forward. Carefully planned and executed, this is the comfortable home with youthful accents that the rejuvenating city soul needs.



estled in the suburb of Khar in suburban Mumbai, House No. 12 is an idyllic space amidst the chaos and energy that engulfs the city. The design brief from the client was to create a home that is suited for a young couple in their early thirties with a toddler. The aim was to create a space that had a classic, contemporary and modern aesthetic, but at the same time, exudes fun and eclecticism through art, accessories, accent furniture and lights. Keeping in mind the design brief as well as the personality of the owners, the designers decided to keep the shell of the home neutral and monochromatic in terms of floor and wall finishes. Grey ceramic tiles have been used through the living, dining and kitchen, while the walls are finished with Everest board paneling and in a deeper tone of beige with a metal shadow groove running all across. A certain warmth has been added to the main living area by doing a wooden finished ceiling.

A customized marble console and an antique brass pipe screen with a cluster of grey, tinted glass pendant lights, is placed in front to build a strong first impact, while creating an entrance foyer. Further transitioning into the living room, there are three seating areas, which despite being in three different corners, are in perfect harmony with the space. To differentiate between the seating areas, an elevation has been added to the left side of the home, which boasts of a wall crafted out of three dimensional handmade tiles from the World of Stones that makes the space look exquisite.





Disha Bhavsar and Shivani Ajmera founded interior design company Quirk Studio in 2013. The designer duo has catered to clients such as Godrej Interio, BoConcept, Deltin Group, AZB & Partners amongst others.

Ideal Living

The living room spills into the minimalistic dining area, where a live edge wood dining table from 'and so' and a modern chandelier by Arjun Rathi take the spotlight. The den is the space which really reflects the personalities of the homeowners, and therefore, the designers have created a neutral shell using a solid grey epoxy flooring and a wooden paneled ceiling. Colour is further added to the space by the means of furniture, books, accessories and an eclectic art wall.

In order to push the design envelope, the powder room has been accentuated using dramatic, dimly lit mood lighting that is enhanced by the vintage floral wallpaper by Nilaya and finished using an antique mirror with a custommade brass under-counter table with a wooden top and a circular brass suspended mirror.

The master bedroom is designed to be simple and neutral, with a wallpaper on the wall behind the bed, and a wall dedicated to photographs on one side. The room opens into the walkin wardrobe, shoe closet and the master bathroom. The 'his and her' sink is crafted from a river-washed Kalinga stone and the wall behind the mirrors is finished in a nature inspired patterned leaf wallpaper to add a distinct pop of color to the entire space.

The nursery, despite being created for a baby girl, has been done in very neutral colors of greys, yellows and greens. Its walk-in wardrobe is finished in white back-painted glass shutters and PU shutters with pastel colored wooden knobs. The bathroom for this space is completely finished in Volakas marble with a statement bath vanity counter. The entire space is enhanced with green plants to add warmth and freshness throughout the expanse of the beautifully envisioned residence.

