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### MORE THAN \$275K

1ST PLACE - Ben Mandon with ANDREW ROBY.

This next winner was asked to bring luxury, and space for enjoyment to a growing family of four. Our winner accomplished this by creatively planning space, remodeling one bathroom, adding two more bathrooms, creating a beautiful gaming area, and building a new rear porch and patio, and adding a new two-car garage.

**Comments from the judges included:** "Beautiful work! Home takes on a whole new feel and yet maintains the colonial look. Great job!"



# **BATHROOM RENOVATIONS**

#### LESS THAN \$10K

 1ST PLACE - Starr Miller with STARR MILLER INTERIOR DESIGN, INC. for the Lindquist residence.

This project was a dated master bath that was brought into the new millennium. From the new vanity to the granite, fixtures, tile, lighting and mirrors, this master bath is now cohesive and transitional.

**Judges commented:** "Nice blend from old to new on a budget. Tasteful use of color and materials make this an elegant upgrade."



#### \$31K to \$50K

 1ST PLACE - BRIAN TARLE WITH INTERNATIONAL KITCHEN & BATH FOR THE BYRNES RESIDENCE.

This winner was asked to create a clean, sophisticated, urban design. Vessel sink bowls, wall mount faucets, large porcelain tile, and a frameless shower door completed the look.

**The judges commented:** "Very nicely done. Good tile selection, especially the shower floor."



## KITCHEN RENOVATIONS

#### LESS THAN \$50K

 1ST PLACE - Myrna Caudle with KITCHEN VISION OF LAKE NORMAN for the Durfee residence.

The goal of our next winning project was to create a family bond around mealtime. This renovated kitchen was opened up to connect with other living areas in the home and provide better traffic flow. Flair was added by creating a barrel ceiling in the dining portion of the new open area and using knotty alder cabinets.

**Comments from the judges included:** ""Beautiful redo! Great cabinet selection and use of space."



#### \$51K to \$100K

 1ST PLACE - Ben Mandon with ANDREW ROBY for the Handford residence.

Our next winning kitchen renovation was once a basic room separated from the rest of the house, and lacking the comforting feel that people look for in a kitchen. The contractor added 28 square feet off the back of the room to make space for an island. Windows, site-painted custom maple cabinets, and soapstone countertops were added, and appliances were hidden with cabinet panels. The result is a comfortable kitchen with room and flow to accommodate a crowd. **Our judges said:** "Amazing how an addition of square feet will make

such a difference.
Lots of light, tremendous character, great job!"

