



**Interiors By Design**  
 Creating Beautiful Spaces in Very Special Places

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When many people hear the term “interior design,” they imagine a design professional walking into a home and decorating each and every room from floor to ceiling and every nook and cranny in between. Then they imagine the dollars signs.

But that isn’t how it has to be. Interior design is about making your home special. Making it your sanctuary. It doesn’t have to be a complete redesign project. It can be something as simple as picking out the right color for your master bedroom. It can be the placement of furniture and accessories in the living room to create that homey feel. Or designing the perfect window treatments to help bring a room together. And in the world of interior design, Brenda Smith of Interiors by Design does it all, from design consultations, interior redesign and accessories placement to total design services for new home construction. No project is too large or too small, and she will work within any budget.

Take, for example, the purchase of furniture. Have you ever gone to a furniture store and simply fallen in love with a living room or dining room set only to have it delivered and find that it just doesn’t work in the space? Smith can help you avoid that all too common problem by sitting down with you to develop a floor plan prior to furniture shopping. This helps ensure that the furniture you purchase is in scale with the size of the room.

One of Smith’s specialties is window treatments, one of the most commonly overlooked aspects of a room. Sure, we all have shades or blinds of some sort to cover up our windows and keep the hot Florida sun out; but many of us stop there, not knowing

what to do next. Smith works with a custom design program that allows her to import a photo of your room or window and design a treatment right there on the photo. You can see how various styles and fabrics would look in your room before making a decision. Or choose from a variety of designer screen shades, blinds and plantation shutters from Hunter Douglas and other makers. Smith has something for every price point.

One service that Smith says has been quite popular lately is project management for her out-of-town clients. If you are thinking about having any work done in your home, such as a kitchen or bath remodel or installation of new flooring, she will coordinate and work with your subcontractors to ensure all work is completed while you are away.

And, of course, for those of you who want that total redesign, Smith will work with you every step of the way.

Smith is a licensed and insured interior decorator, certified color consultant, certified redesigner and real estate stager and a window fashions certified professional. She is a member of the Interior Design Society, Interior Redesign Industry Specialists and the Real Estate Staging Association.