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## Well-bred guest quarters

You can only hope your overnight visitors will live up to the standards set by this dignified guest room in Saddle Creek Cottage, a new model by Richardson Homes in the Horse Creek community along the Orange River east of Fort Myers. We especially like the way the bedside lamp placed in front of a mirror reflects light from French doors on the opposite wall, giving the room an inviting glow. The interior of Saddle Creek Cottage is by Karen Benson of Karen L. Benson & Associates Interior Design. For a glimpse at Saddle Creek Cottage's third bedroom and more information about Horse Creek, see the facing page. 

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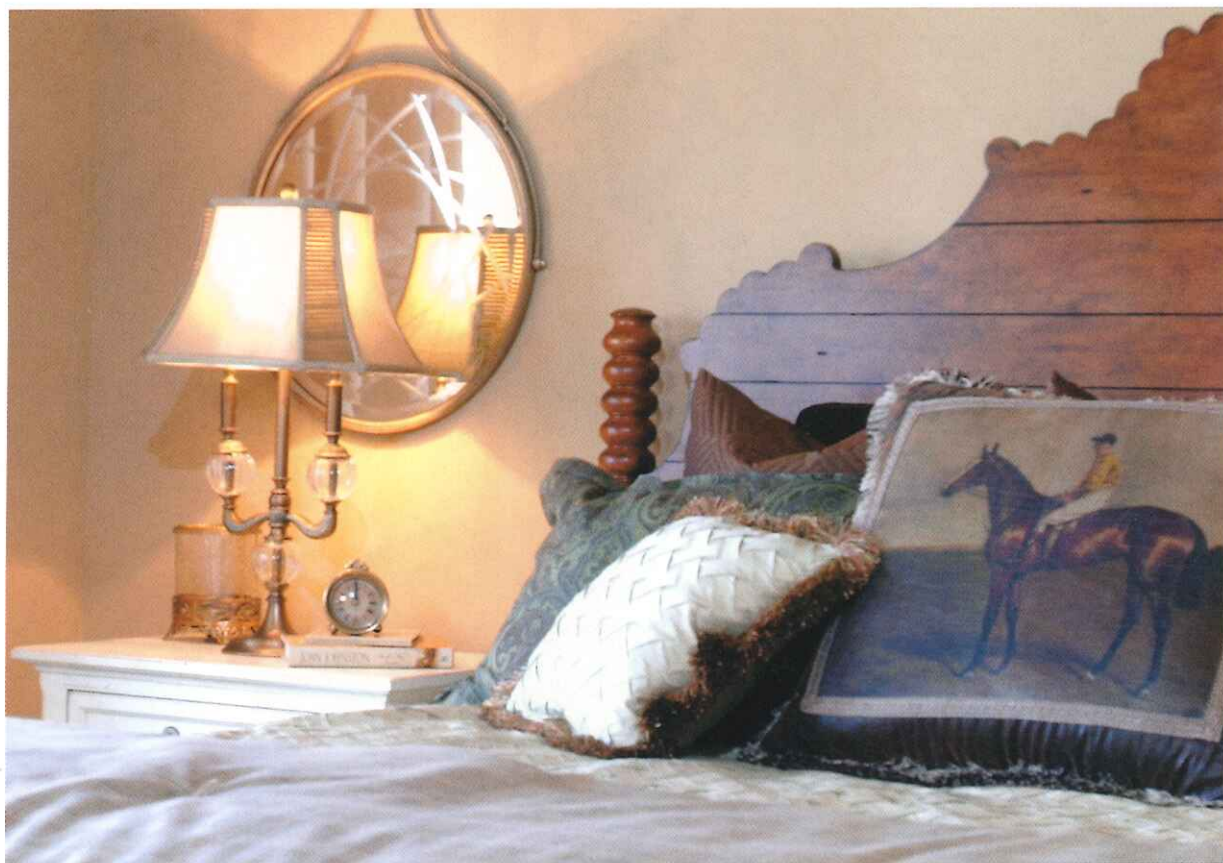


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## Bedside reading

If these walls could talk, they'd probably say, "Pick up a good book and relax!" That's what we felt like doing when we stepped into the cozy second-floor bedroom in Saddle Creek Cottage. The library-like wallpaper is called "Classic Menswear" by Ronald Redding. W.A. Lawrence designed the gabled house of nearly 3,000 square feet, and Richardson Homes built it in the gated community of Horse Creek off Orange River Boulevard east of Fort Myers near Buckingham. On its one-acre homesite, Saddle Creek Cottage is offered for \$985,000, furnished. Call the Horse Creek Sales and Information Center at 332-7335 or visit [HorseCreekCommunity.com](http://HorseCreekCommunity.com).

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## Mirrors, mirrors

When paired together on the niche wall and on the credenza snuggled into it, mirrors make the living area of this high-rise penthouse in Beau Rivage seem even larger than its substantial 3,000-plus square feet. Karen Benson of Karen L. Benson Interior Design completed the design of the 20th-floor, two-bedroom plus den, three-bath residence. Beau Rivage towers over the Caloosahatchee River just east of Fowler Street in downtown Fort Myers. Call the Sales & Information Center at 337-2328 or visit [thebeaurivage.com](http://thebeaurivage.com). 

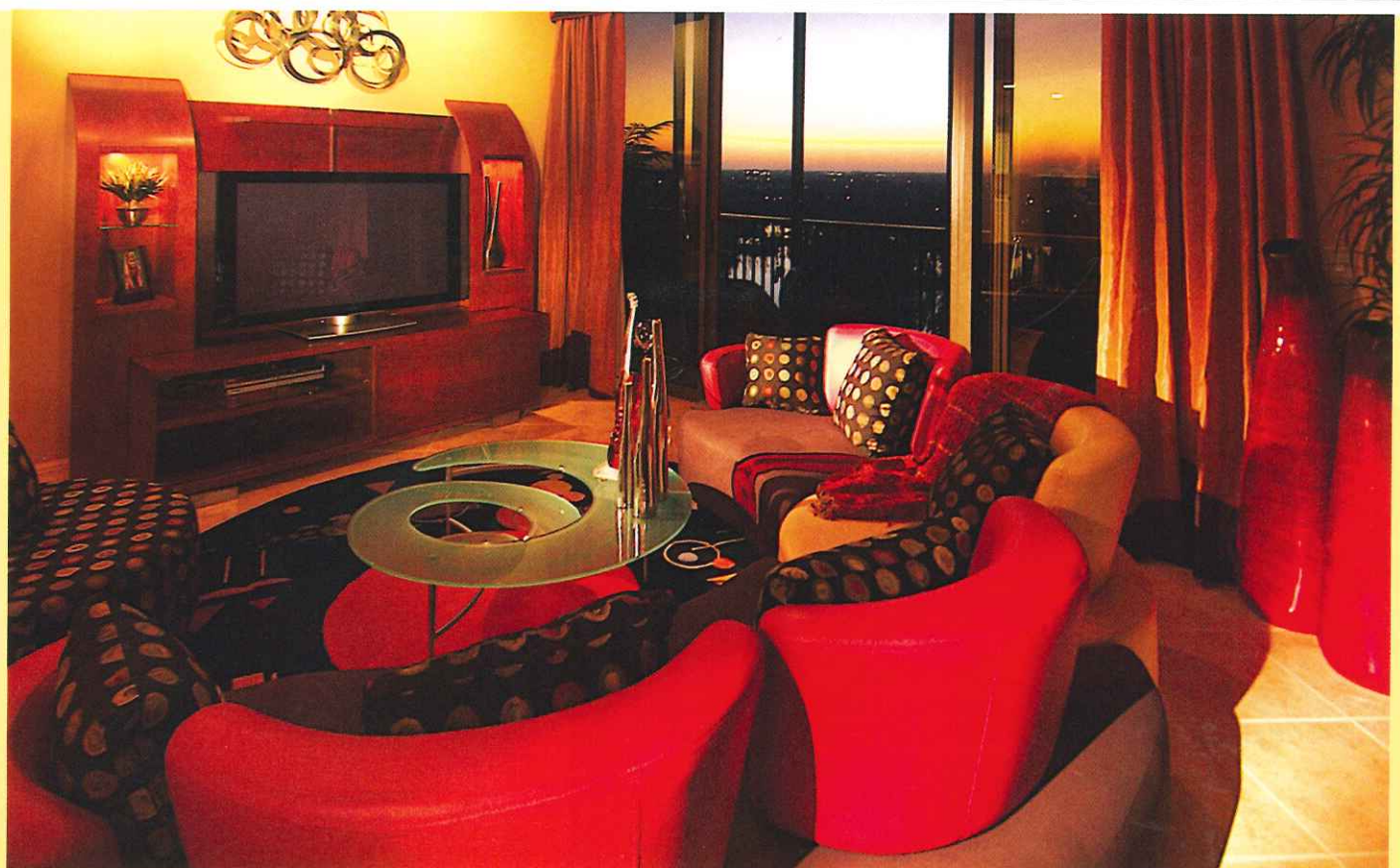
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