

STORAGE SALVATION

No matter how large your house, if it isn't organized it can look chaotic and cluttered. We have solutions to simplify your life. Specially designed closets. Decorative chests. Custom wall units. And even Murphy beds hidden behind rolling bookshelves flanked by additional open and closed storage on each end.

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Shining star

Hollywood Glam isn't over. The trend has just morphed into new designs with partially shiny surfaces such as this chest from Hooker Furniture's Melange Collection. The six-drawer chest, sure to be a designer favorite, is constructed with hardwood solids in a dark merlot finish with antique mirrored fronts, large silver ring pulls and wallpapered interior. Suggested retail is \$899. Available from Brown's Interior Design, 4501 N. Federal Highway, Boca Raton, 561-368-2703, www.brownsinteriors.com.



Casual chic

Paula Deen is doing more than cooking southern specialties and putting her name on cookware. She has a home furniture collection for Universal Furniture billed as "a fresh take on today's comfortable lifestyles." This Door Chest (50 inches wide by 21 inches deep by 50 inches high) is crafted of hardwood solids and cherry veneers and has twist-turned posts and custom hardware. The five drawers, including drop front top drawer for video storage and shutter door hiding adjustable shelves, provide plenty of room to store your stuff. Suggested retail is \$1,795. It is available at Baers (see www.baers.com for locations) and Macy's (see www.macys.com for locations).

Walls that wow

If you don't have a lot of books but love to display photos and art pieces you collected, a custom wall unit like this one can be the answer. You can add the color of your choice to the background and decide whether to have floating shelves, hidden storage or open boxes for display. The acrylic unit shown has tandem touch latch systems and long-lasting LED lights. Price available on request. Available at Holbrook Design and Remodeling Group, 5065 Mark Drive, Boynton Beach, 561-305-8747.



Commanding closet

Closet cabinetry can be as upscale and detailed as you wish. This storage system is finished in wood and custom painted with two coats of primer, two finish coats and one coat of sealer. Custom options include double hanging, long hanging and mid length hanging; his and her double dressers with glass finished countertop; overhead lighting and a power outlet to charge cell phones; upper cabinets with LED interior lighting strips to light shelves from the front; shoe shelves with an angled front lip; jewelry drawers with velvet inserts and light boxes that extend over the hanging to light up the outer shoulder area of the garments. Price available upon request. Available at Closet Wizzard, 1395 NW 17th Ave. #105, Delray Beach, 561-265-0075, www.closetwizzard.com.



Murphy's good law

Murphy has gotten a bad rap for things that go wrong. One of the things that is right is a Murphy Bed such as this unit in Mocha Melamine with High Gloss Zebrawood. This custom creation has recessed lighting, frosted glass and sliding bookshelves to hide the bed when

it is not in use. Price available upon request. Available at Beyond Closets, 405 N. Congress Ave., Delray Beach, 561-278-6183, www.beyondclosets.net.

Dreamy closet

Don't worry if your home didn't have a large closet in the original plan. If you have the space, you can have a custom closet. This Plurimo system can be custom sized to fit any space. Name the number of slots you need for your Jimmy Choo shoes and Michael Kors bags. Decide on drawers, shelves and pull-down hangers. If you need an exterior door, you can chose from high gloss, matte wood, glass or mirrored. Price upon request. Available at Sklar Furnishings, 6300 N. Federal Highway, Boca Raton, 561-862-0800, www.sklarfurnishings.com.

