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DON'T MISS THIS

* I took the faux-leopard wall-to-wall carpet and had it cut and bound into large area rugs for the bedroom and the hallway. You get a totally different feeling when you expose some wood floor.

* At first glance, the ceiling fixture looks like some kind of Asian basket, but then you realize it's really made of little squares of cut crystal all tied together. Very sophisticated.

* I like repetition and symmetry. If you look at this room, you'll see most things come in pairs.

CHAIRS AND OTTOMANS:

Gramercy from Barclay Butera Home, covered in Iniki in Honeydew from Kravet. FLORAL

FABRIC: Grace from Kravet.

CURTAIN FABRIC: Vesey in Lime from Lee Jofa. MIRRORED

CABINETS: Robert buffet and bedside tables from Oly Studio.

CEILING FIXTURE: Bracelet Lantern from Baker Furniture.

CARPET: Aragon Leopard from Barclay Butera Home.



BARCLAY BUTERA **“Call it Asian beach chic.** In the master suite, the wall behind the bed is actually covered in real bamboo, on 4-by-8-foot panels. Then I put wallpaper on the other walls and grasscloth on the ceiling, which really softens the space. The colors are green, aubergine, and chocolate brown—very 1940s film noir. You feel like Ida Lupino could walk in any minute. I used his-and-hers slipper chairs because I think you should always have another place to sit and lounge, besides the bed. Those big floral pillows remind me of 1960s Palm Beach. I put them on the striped chairs, and carried them over to the bench in the master bath. You wouldn’t think all those strong patterns would work together, but they balance out.”







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* I made my own quick-frame art to hang over the headboard. We scanned images of palm fronds and sandwiched them between glass in simple black frames. That way, the texture of the wall serves as your mat.

* The buffalo horn mirror adds a touch of the exotic, and its high-gloss sheen contrasts nicely with the bamboo walls.

* The grasscloth on the bedroom ceiling runs into the bathroom, tying the two rooms together.

BAMBOO WALLCOVERING: Bamboo Forest from Phillip Jeffries. **GRASSCLOTH:** Plantation Weaves from Phillip Jeffries. **BED LINENS:** From Restoration Hardware. **MIRROR:** From Jamie Young. **BENCH:** McKenzie bench, covered in Cream and Brown Abstract from Barclay Butera Home. **VITRINE:** Tomo display cabinet from Oly Studio.

OPEN-AIR LOUNGE

Five outdoor spaces, like this terrace off the master suite, are one of the perks of this house, designed by architects Robert Brown and Frank Demandt.

CHAISES: Italian chaises upholstered in Oyster by Sunbrella. **TABLE AND CHAIRS:** Guéridon dining table with four Italian dining side chairs, covered in Calm Waters in Driftwood from Savel. **TALL PLANTERS:** Hadrian planters. **ALL from Niermann Weeks.** **URNS:** Through Nessen.

