

BRIGHT IDEA

Exuberant yellow brings joy to a bathroom redo



Vibrant yellow tiles designed with contrasting glossy and matte textures create an interesting, three-dimensional effect. The tiles travel from the vanity side to the tub side to unify the two areas. Natural mahogany for the tub shelf and cabinetry balances the bright color.

If windows need to be opaque for privacy issues in a bathroom, you can do what designer Sol Quintana Wagoner of Jackson Design and Remodeling did: Let the sunshine in with a lively wall of large, lemon yellow tiles.

“My clients are a young couple with an appreciation for design and art,” she says. “They wanted a master bathroom that would work as a luxurious and inspiring space for them while also being a safe and comfortable place for their toddler’s bath time. They wanted to stay away from neutrals and embrace the energy of powerful color combinations.”

The original bathroom layout comprised a series of busy and cluttered spaces with no organization and little personality. The quandary of achieving an open floor plan with good flow and, at the same time, dividing the vanity area from the tub/shower space was accomplished through the installation of a shoji-style, floor-to-ceiling, sliding glass door.

“The flexibility of the room’s design is highly functional,” Sol says. “Each of the room’s areas can be used independently or together, depending on the level of privacy desired. The layout is ideal for a young, multitasking family.” ❖



Different panel sizes create a geometric pattern in a large window that captures as much natural light as possible.