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INTERIOR DESIGNER

## A modern Oasis in South Florida

Nestled in the lush landscapes of Florida, Silvana Borges exclusive project captures the essence of a modern oasis. Blending natural materials with a family – centric design, this extraordinary residence redefines contemporary living while remaining deeply connected to its verdant surroundings.

## A FAMILY – CENTRIC VISION

The homeowners vision played a pivotal role in shaping this residence, with a clear emphasis on functionality and leisure for everyday life. Silvana Borges envisioned the home as a sanctuary – an escape that celebrates tranquility, well – being and togetherness. The layout encourages seamless interaction, featuring open communal spaces such as a poolside gazebo and barbecue area. Recreational features like a mini – golf course, tennis court, private theater, and a dedicated game room elevated the home.



#### THE CUSTOMIZED INTERIOR CONCEPT

The design centers on meaningful gatherings. A double-height dining room is highlight of the home is the spectacular dining area, featuring a custom raw wooden table with black resin details. Overhead, an awe-inspiring double-height ceiling mural adds a sense of artistry and grandeur, turning every meal into a memorable experience. An integrated custom bar and music lounge further reflect the client's passion for hospitality, merging comfort with sophistication and expressing the owner's refined taste.





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#### CREATIVE SOLUTIONS TO DESIGN CHALLENGES

Renovating the existing structure posed significant challenges but Silvana Borges transformed these limitations into opportunities through innovative solutions and intentional design. A dramatic double-height living room is anchored by four sculptural, rounded columns, beautifully illuminated from below to create architectural drama and striking visual impact.

The rounded columns were reinterpreted as sculptural highlights within the open-plan layout, while tailored LED lighting and custom-made chandeliers infuse the home with a warm, ambient glow that shifts with the rhythm of the day.



#### ARCHITECTURAL ELEGANCE MEETS FUNCTIONALITY

accents, onyx stone, bespoke chandeliers, golden finishes, and exclusive textures layered with blue and green tones blend harmoniously with soft greys, resulting in a customized and cohesive interior language. Each room is thoughtfully designed to balance aesthetics and practicality, fostering a sense of elevated, everyday comfort.

An integrated custom bar and music lounge further reflect the client's passion for hospitality—merging comfort with sophistication and expressing the owner's refined taste. This is a special place designed to welcome and entertain friends with warmth and elegance.



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#### CELEBRATING COLLABORATION

This project is a testament to the power of collaboration. Uniting the expertise of Silvana Borges Interior Design, Garza Contractors (luxury builders), DAC Design Architecture Consultants, and landscape designers The Lush Theory, the team created a residence where architecture, nature, and lifestyle come together in perfect harmony delivering a timeless vision of elevated living.

Site: 2.34 Acre

Size: 9,594 SF

Status: Complete

Architect: DAC Design Architecture

Landscape: Terra Kreatif & Co

General Contractor: Garza Contractors Luxury Builders



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