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MAKEOVER
with
Nate Berkus

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“The moment I saw this arm—probably 1940s French—I said, ‘I have to use this as a towel bar someday!’ **THE ARM NOW HANGS ABOVE MY TUB**, where it literally lends a hand when I get in and out and provides a convenient towel and robe hook. Sort of like a servant, à la *Downton Abbey*, without the drama and peering eyes.” **KEN FULK, INTERIOR DESIGNER**

“Manhattan living inspired me to design **A 10-FOOT STORAGE TOWER**. I used my ‘air space’ to accommodate a tall cabinet for towels and products. The storage is invisible—the way I like it!”

CLODAGH, INTERIOR DESIGNER

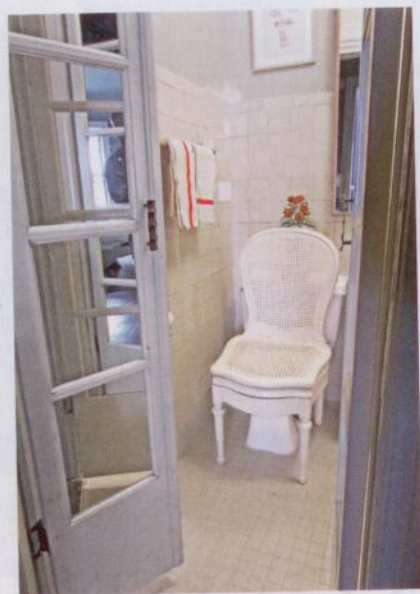


“When we remodeled our master bath, I wanted it to have personality and style while staying true to the 1911 house. It’s crisp and classic, but the **GLASS CHANDELIER** in lieu of a typical bathroom fixture makes it glamorous.”

AMANDA REYNAL, INTERIOR DESIGNER

“I bought this **CHAISE PERCÉE** in Chicago years ago. It was salvaged from the Drake Hotel, which had one in every room, thanks to Dorothy Draper’s legendary aversion to toilets. The bathroom in my studio apartment opens directly into the living space, so it’s the perfect camouflage.”

JOHN DANZER
FURNITURE DESIGNER



“My bathroom is long and narrow, with no natural light. But thanks to a white marble vanity, a lot of mirrors, a pair of Fontana Arte lamps, and carefully placed recessed ceiling lights, the room sparkles. The finishing touch is my **COLLECTION OF PERFUME BOTTLES**, displayed on a tray that’s actually an interesting old mirror.”

JAN SHOWERS, INTERIOR DESIGNER

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