FEATURE



Located in the heart of Lancaster County we draw from our Amish heritage to design and build high quality products. Whether your project involves a kitchen, bathroom, bar area, library, wine cellar, or other built-ins, we work closely with you to bring your dreams to life. We strive to stay abreast of industry trends and creative solutions. Our work ranges from the prestigious look of the classic traditional styles to the

clean lines and latest finishes of modern style kitchens. MK Designs is proud to be the exclusive manufacturer of the Cellarium® wine racking system.

As a company, we draw from more than 50 years of combined experience in custom kitchen & bath design and installation of cabinetry. MK Designs was founded with the view of delivering the finest designs to our clients at competitive prices. Our drive for perfection has allowed us to work with some of the leading designers, architects, and builders in the industry, as well as discerning homeowners. Having invested a lot of years in the cabinet industry, we have a wealth of inspiration to draw from that includes the creative and exciting designs that we've worked on through the years. We make it our responsibility to work closely with our clientele to meet their expectations, and to make sure that installation becomes an enjoyable and smooth process.

MK Designs is the one place where you can be sure to find original tailor-made designs, specifically built to suit your style. Our in-house designers spend a lot of time working on the blueprints, ensuring that we pay attention to detail, and leave nothing to chance. One of the foundations of our company lies in working closely with clients to understand what they want, advise them from a professional point of view, and come to an agreement on the best way forward.

While others might build what you want, our commitment goes above & beyond design. Whether you're a homeowner, architect, designer, or builder, we make sure that by the time we start building your cabinets you only need to sit down, relax, and watch your dream become a reality.



id vou ever consider having a wine cellar? Many homeowners think that wine storage is for exclusive collectors or that they would need a large room in their home. While MK Designs does design and manufacture wine cellars exceeding 1500 bottles we also design storage for more limited spaces. There is a rapidly growing trend to have an area of your home dedicated to storing your favorite wine in a controlled environment. Large closets or small rooms can easily be converted into a wine cellar. Some things to consider when designing your wine

cellar would be how many bottles you want to store. This helps decide on sizing the area you will need. If you are in the process of building a new home it will be even easier to include this into your home plans.

Wine should be stored at temperatures between 55 - 58 degrees. This can be achieved by location like a basement or cold cellar or by installing a self contained evaporator like WhisperKool. Maintaining cooling efficiency can be done by having a well insulated area with a minimum of R-19 insulation in the walls and ceiling.

Because of the temperature difference inside your wine cellar and the outside area moisture barriers are recommended. You should install 6 mil plastic behind moisture resistant drywall (Green Board) and seal any concrete surfaces with a good cement or stone sealer. The walls can then be painted or finished however you would like. The flooring as well can be wood, brick or ceramic tile.

MK Designs manufactures and installs Cellarium wine racking along with all types of creative storage spaces including cubbies that are

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basically a wooden grid for individual bottle storage, shelving for wine crates, display racks and cabinetry. Most wine racks we manufacture are made out of mahogany although many have been other wood species such as walnut, maple and quarter sawn oak. The finish can be natural wood, stained or painted. We have done different textures as well such as sand blasting the wood to make the grain more prominent and using reclaimed wood for a more rustic appearance.

Another thing to consider are countertops that are often included in the design ranging from soapstone, granite, marble and wood. These can create a nice contrast adding another element or texture to the room.

Lighting is often overlooked and we try to included LED lighting on the racking to accent your wine collection as well as recessed lighting in the ceiling.

MK Designs will gladly meet with you and look at the area you would like to use for a wine cellar. We will measure the area and create a 3D design for you helping to visualize what the finished product will look like. MK Designs not only walks you through the design process we also manufacture and install our own cabinetry and wine racks. The only limit to your dream is your imagination.

MK Designs also designs and builds custom kitchens, bathroom cabinetry, custom closets and office spaces. If you have been wanting to remodel or create a new exciting space in your home please contact us at designs@mkdpa.com or call 1-888-365-3891 Check us out on Instagram & Facebook or online at www.mkdpa.com.

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