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## SHIMMER AND SHINE

**Company's coming.** Get your kitchen and bath ready for the holidays by adding a touch of bling.



**TRAY** Brighten any tabletop with the Waterfall elongated tray (\$75). Wendell August; 800/923-4438; [wendellaugust.com](http://wendellaugust.com)

**HARDWARE** Add a little sparkle to your cabinets with clear crystal center knobs with brushed satin nickel shell in two sizes (TK135BSN, \$24; or TK136BSN, \$16). Top Knobs; 800/499-9095; [topknobs.com](http://topknobs.com)

**Making your kitchen glimmer** is easier than you might think. Incorporate new looks with crystal, cool metallics, and the always-popular stainless steel for appliances.

**DESIGN IDEA**  
Mount a chandelier about 30 inches above the tabletop for the most drama.



**CABINETRY** Transform your kitchen with the rich sheen of the McKinley Maple Linen cabinets from the Shenandoah collection by American Woodmark. Lowe's; 800/445-6937; [lowes.com](http://lowes.com)

**LIGHT FIXTURE** Dress up your kitchen with the modern-yet-elegant Crystorama Lighting Group Solaris Olde Silver three-light chandelier (\$196). Bellacor; 877/723-5522; [bellacor.com](http://bellacor.com)

**CRYSTAL VASES** Class up any dinner party with the set of two Estate vases/pillar holders (10 inches tall, \$50)—they're reversible, so you can switch from vase to candle bases. Lamps Plus; 800/782-1967; [lampsplus.com](http://lampsplus.com)

**TILE** Add some hardworking shimmer to your walls with the 3/4x1-inch running brick (8MO211, \$35/sheet) from the Stainless Steel collection. Susan Jablon Mosaics; 866/939-1033; [susanjablonmosaics.com](http://susanjablonmosaics.com)

**WINE COOLER** Store your wine at the perfect temperature while keeping your kitchen energy-efficient with the 21-bottle thermoelectric wine cooler with two temperature zones from Vinotemp (\$369, \$99 shipping). Vinotemp; 800/777-8466; [vinotemp.com](http://vinotemp.com)



Don't be afraid **TO MIX MATERIALS.** Metals and glass really **GLISTEN** against woods and ceramics.

**GOOD IDEA**



**Pretty but hardworking fixtures**—whether a stylish vanity, a cool bench, or a sleek faucet—add interest to your bath. Touch up your bath with quick fixes, such as metallic accessories or new hardware.



**VANITY** Bring Hollywood glamour and sparkle to your bath with this transitional vanity, a 2011 ADEX award-winner with antiqued mirrored doors (\$4,300). MTI; 800/783-8827; [mti.birlpools.com](http://mti.birlpools.com)

**ACCESSORIES** Brighten your bath with a hammered nickel tissue box cover (\$29) or the hammered nickel tumbler in polished nickel (\$12). Pottery Barn; 888/779-5176; [potterybarn.com](http://potterybarn.com)

**FAUCET** Select a flawless finish and fine-tuned function with the Town Square center-set bathroom faucet in polished chrome (from \$220). American Standard; 800/442-1902; [americanstandard-us.com](http://americanstandard-us.com)

**UPDATE** your bath with a pretty **FRAMED MIRROR** instead of plate glass.

**MIRROR** Go chic with the antiqued silver finish of the Sunrays wall mirror (32 inches wide, \$200). The sunburst frame lends a little shine to any bath. Lamps Plus; 800/782-1967; [lampsplus.com](http://lampsplus.com)

**BENCH** Add handy style to your bath with the Curve chrome vanity bench (\$119). It's a handy perch for putting on sneakers for an early morning run or sliding into slippers after work. Home Decorators Collection; 877/537-8539; [homedecorators.com](http://homedecorators.com)

**HARDWARE** Customize your bath with new hardware. Choose the angular CKP Brand knob (1673, \$5) or pull (1674, \$7) in brushed nickel or amber gold. Cool Knobs and Pulls; 800/811-6302; [coolknobsandpulls.com](http://coolknobsandpulls.com). Or go for the more traditional Mixed-Material knob in brushed nickel or oil-rubbed bronze, available in October (\$8). Amerock; 800/435-6959; [amerock.com](http://amerock.com)



### Neutrals punched up

with gold, silver, glass, or metal can add pizzazz to your kitchen or bath. Keep the look elegant and modern with fresh flowers and little touches that shimmer and shine.



#### DESIGN IDEA

A neutral color palette makes a great backdrop for colorful or sparkling accent pieces.

#### WALLCOVERING

Add textural beauty to your walls with the Filligree in Matte White on Pearl (DM8726, \$75 per roll) wallpaper by Ronald Redding Designs. York Wallcoverings; 800/375-9675; [yorkwall.com](http://yorkwall.com)

#### FLOWERS

A bouquet is always the finishing touch for a room; this beauty is a Better Homes and Gardens® Flowers by FTD collection (from \$80). FTD; 800/736-3383; [ftd.com](http://ftd.com)

#### BATH SALTS

Relax in a tub with Sweet Vanilla bath salts (\$9). The added baking soda in the all-natural formula will condition your skin in addition to giving you a luxurious soak. Sweet Grass Farm; 603/766-1651; [sweetgrassonline.com](http://sweetgrassonline.com)

#### CANISTER, SCOOP

Store your favorite salts in the hand-blown Classic glass canister (medium, \$29) and then ladle the salts with the antique-silver ice scoop (\$15). Pottery Barn; 888/779-5176; [potterybarn.com](http://potterybarn.com)