



“Everyone needs a house to live in, but a strong family is what builds a home.” – Anthony Liccione

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Considered by many as the founding father of **Silverleaf** construction, **Salcito Custom Homes** — a 45 year, second generation company led by **Anthony Salcito** — has spent decades building a legacy of memorable, one-of-a-kind estate-style residences throughout this special property.

Since 1978, **Salcito Custom Homes** has been setting the standard in luxury custom home construction. Their projects are distinctly built with the highest quality building products, and are unmistakable in their fit, finish and timelessness. With hundreds of projects delivered valley wide, their diverse portfolio encompasses both traditional and modern custom homes, renovations, additions and boutique commercial buildings. The team at **Salcito** takes great pride in consistently providing the highest level of service in: design/build, construction management, interior design and home concierge services. Their long list of repeat clients and client referrals is moreover a testament to the great legacy they have built within this industry.

Building on a family heritage that spans nearly five decades, **Salcito Custom Homes** continues to be guided by their firmly held values and by their commitment to their clients, their projects, and to their colleagues as well as their employees.

(Shown left) A dynamic duo in the design/build community, Anthony and Rebecca Salcito are shown here with their sons Beau *(left)*, and their eldest Andre *(right)*, and furry friends Rambo and Juliet.

The subtle backdrop of handcrafted millwork drenched in muted tones of the **Fine Paints of Europe** is dramatically punctuated by a very diverse and eclectic combination of sculpture, paintings and artful furnishings. Amongst the collection is a tasteful collage of paintings from well-known artists such as **Hunt Slonem**, represented locally by **Bonner David Galleries**, Scottsdale - New York; and **Robert Kline**, which hang in clusters throughout the home.



An exquisite hand-carved fireplace from London is flanked by two strikingly different, yet complimentary consoles from **Jean de Merry**. To the left of the fireplace, a two-drawer contemporary piece with lucite handles is sleek and unassuming; while right sits the **Diana credenza** which is known for the intricate reverse painting on glass with solid bronze detailing. The **Dupre Lafon** sofa from **Mattaliano** is covered in a luscious, winter white cashmere blend textile. Items available through Trade Professionals at **John Brooks**.



aptivating and classic, this hillside home nestled deep in the Upper Canyon of **Silverleaf** is one of the latest/lavish achievements of designer **Rebecca Salcito**, **Salcito Design Group**, alongside husband/builder **Anthony Salcito**, **Salcito Custom Homes**, architect **Dale Gardon**, **Dale Gardon Design** and masterful landscape architect /designer, **Jeff Berghoff**, **Berghoff Design Group**.

As with all of **Rebecca Salcito's** work, this private residence brings forth a formidable degree of elegance. Unveiling a richness that is only created through a conscientious curation of the highest quality furnishings, art and accessories; the end result is a study in an elevated and sublime level of aesthetics. Drawing inspiration from some of the most graceful Mediterranean-style homes throughout Italy and southern France, **Rebecca** worked hand-in-hand with local trade showrooms, craftsmen and fabricators to bring forth this refined, yet relaxed design. Builder **Anthony Salcito** poetically describes his wife's work as a "glamorous and purely magical display of texture and color that will envelop you with a deeper, more meaningful sense of 'home'" — and we second the sentiment!

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A canyon with a view. **Salcito Style.**

A series of exceptional gilt bronze wall sconces entitled **Orchid** by **Christiane Charles** for **Charles Paris** flank the entry walls. The **Petalo** table from **Lithos Design**. Available through Trade Professionals at **MADE Resource Group**. Handcrafted in steel and papier mâché, the **Midas Grand Tier Chandelier** from **Fisher Weisman** is truly another dimensional fine work of art. Available through Trade Professionals at **John Brooks**.



This dynamic floor from **Artitalia Group** in Scottsdale was masterfully installed by **Premiere Wood Floors**. The massive **Loewen** steel entry is only a prelude to the series of striking windows and doors showcased throughout this home. **Architectural Windows & Doors**, Scottsdale.



Designed with an extraordinarily high level of detail and precision, this residence is a striking example of unrestrained decadence *done right*. The unmatched craftsmanship seen in the furnishings, lighting and stone, down to the millwork, paint finishes and architectural elements truly demonstrate what greatness can be achieved when discipline and dedication meet up with the creative mind.

By design, this home lends itself beautifully to gatherings of all sizes. Creating an entertainer's dream, architect **Dale Gardon** purposely situated the heart and soul of the home in a tethered series of rooms which seamlessly flow together, while also providing convenient access to the adjoining outdoor verandas. The great room, kitchen, dining room, wine parlor, full-service bar and formal living room are all centered within this expansive and open floor plan which makes socializing very comfortable and connected.

(Shown above) A 20th century, Regency-style mahogany dining table from **Rose Tarlow** features a banded circular top with a reeded edge and sunburst inlay. Paired with six **A. Rudin** upholstered dining chairs, this handsome setting can lean both formal or casual depending on the occasion. Available through Trade Professional at **John Brooks**. (Right) The single orb celestial balance pendant lights from **Joseph Pagano's** newest collection epitomize the hand-crafted beauty shown throughout this home. Available through Trade Professionals at **MADE Resource Group**.



Rebecca Salcito of Salcito Design Group's primary focus throughout this light-filled home was to exude elegance and style with a mediterranean modern day twist.



Magnificently capturing the yin and the yang — the masculine and feminine — the interiors within this superstructure home are as strong, bold and dynamic as they are soft, subtle and calm. A daring choice in hard surfaces, the leathered **Calacatta Macchia Vecchia** marble plays a large role in the interconnectedness of this home. A stunning representation of what the natural world can bring to domestic life, the slabs were all painstakingly book-matched by **Stockett Marble & Granite Company** resulting in a symphony of color, texture and shape. A dramatic waterfall feature on both of the center islands is further enhanced by the juxtaposition of sleek anodized aluminum cabinets from **Bulthaup** in Scottsdale.

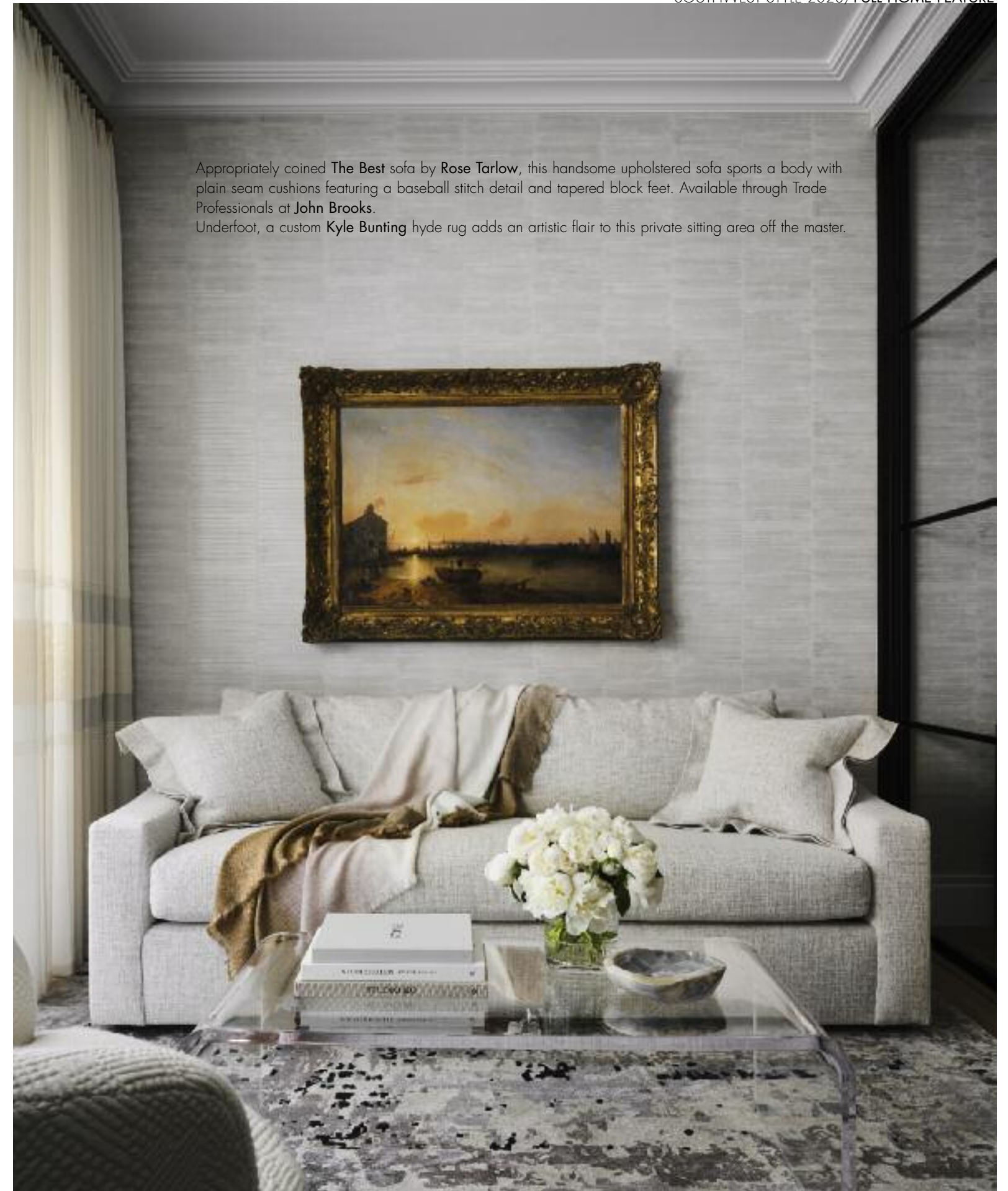
Intended to be a home enjoyed from the inside out, special attention was paid to the exterior furnishings. Comfortable and chic, the suite of woven **Scarab** dining chairs from **Holly Hunt** surround an oversized black lacquer custom dining table. Beautifully illuminating the setting, a **Boyd Loop Pendant** gives a soft glow with its superior LED technology. All items are available through Trade Professionals at **John Brooks**.

The fumed European oak floors throughout are from **Premiere Wood Flooring** in Scottsdale. A combination of Loewen sliding door systems from **Architectural Windows & Doors** in Scottsdale make the transition between interiors and exteriors nearly imperceptible.

An elegant spa-like setting was the goal when designing this generous primary bath suite. Soft white Belgium linen privacy sheers from **Rosemary Hallgarten** provide a feeling of seclusion without detracting from the beauty of the natural light. The sculptural freestanding tub adds a touch of unexpected modernism. Available through **Clyde Hardware** in Phoenix. Fabrication and installation by **Stockett Tile & Granite**.



Appropriately coined **The Best** sofa by **Rose Tarlow**, this handsome upholstered sofa sports a body with plain seam cushions featuring a baseball stitch detail and tapered block feet. Available through Trade Professionals at **John Brooks**. Underfoot, a custom **Kyle Bunting** hyde rug adds an artistic flair to this private sitting area off the master.





The quintessential retreat, this beautifully-appointed primary suite sits at the highest level of the home, overlooking the entire Valley below. Peacefully situated in its own wing, these divine quarters are magnificently dressed to the nines. A custom stone marble fireplace brought in from London creates a dramatic focal point in the room, while adding a special glow to those long desert winter nights. The adjoining private sitting room, although separated by glass partitions, gives a feeling of openness and airiness to the space while still providing a sense of intimacy to this private suite.



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 Architecture: Dale Gardon; Interior Design: Rebecca
 Salcito, Salcito Design Group; Hardwood floors:
 Premiere Wood Floors, Inc.; Decorative Entry Floor:
 Artitalia; Plumbing and hardware: Clyde
 Hardware; Doors and windows: Albertini and
 Loewen from Architectural Windows and Doors;
 Cabinetry: Bulthaup; Slabs: Galleria of Stone;
 Shade systems: Lutron motors through Cyber
 Group; Pool/spa design and construction:
 Phoenician Pool; Home automation and lighting:
 Cyber Technology Group; Stonework: Stockett Tile &
 Granite Co.; Plaster: Star Plastering, Inc.;
 Landscape: Jeff Berghoff, Berghoff Design Group.

As with all of the exquisitely designed settings within this home, the various outdoor patios and porches as well feature uncommonly beautiful, unique and comfortable furnishings. (Shown here) Two matching **Dedon Swingrest Floor Chalk Seats** provide both a simple yet generous seating solution. Available through Trade Professionals at **Inside/Out Showrooms** in Scottsdale.