

Born and raised in Texas, Jolie Carpenter creates books that shout her love for her home state from the rooftops. Her passions for design and Texas converge to create books with a dual purpose: to applaud the creative contributions of locally based professionals and to inspire readers through insightful words and beautiful imagery.

For more than a decade, Jolie has worked closely with publisher Brian Carabet to dazzle readers with gorgeous books showcasing custom homes, trendsetting restaurants and wineries, elegant weddings, travel opportunities, and other facets of the luxury lifestyle across Texas. Many of her original book titles are now produced around the world by Panache Partners.

Spectacular Kitchens of Texas makes an exquisite addition to Jolie's collection of lifestyle publications: Spectacular Homes of Texas, Dream Homes of Texas, Spectacular Restaurants of Texas, Beautiful Homes of Texas, Spectacular Weddings of Texas, Luxury Homes of Texas, Beautiful Bedrooms & Baths of Texas, Spectacular Wineries of Texas, Spectacular Outdoor Living of Texas, Experience Austin, and Beautiful Weddings of Texas. Eloquently presenting the high style and charm of Texas, Jolie's books can be viewed at SignatureBoutiqueBooks.com.



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The kitchen is the heart of the home. Today's lifestyles beg for open floor plans that foster family togetherness and easy entertaining. Homes are often designed around this singular space to ensure that the flow is spot-on. The spaces featured in *Spectacular Kitchens of Texas* represent the creativity of the state's top 60 architects, interior designers, builders, and professionals specializing in upscale materials, finishes, and fixtures.

Dallas-based DeLeo & Fletcher Design is among the notable firms whose breathtaking kitchens grace these pages. Led by Fran DeLeo, Allied Member ASID, and Mark Fletcher, ASID, RID, the firm is known for perfectly unifying aesthetics, form, and function in the high-end interiors it designs. DeLeo & Fletcher Design is a full-service boutique interior design and interior architecture firm. Whatever the desired aesthetic, Fran and Mark are delighted to lend their expertise and sense of style.

Some of the featured spaces were designed from the ground up, others were reinvented from older structures in need of a fresh look. Styles range from classical to modern and cover everything in-between. The designs are so well done that you just may find yourself falling in love with a look you never even considered. Whether you're seriously seeking inspiration for your own home or simply dreaming of what could be, *Spectacular Kitchens of Texas* is sure to delight. It's a wonderful source of inspiration and a friendly introduction to an array of experts who specialize in helping Texans realize their visions of home.

