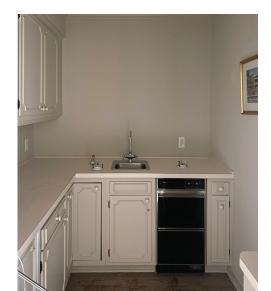


BEFORE: The home formerly had a blank, beige palette.

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Built in the 1970s and located on a quiet cul-de-sac in Grosse Pointe Farms, the home stands on the same land where Mr. Alger's childhood home formerly stood. "The house was top-to-bottom beige," Loperfido says. "Every tile, every countertop, the walls, the trim, even the flooring was the same beige color. Even so, I saw so much potential in the place. My goal was to bring the home back to life and give it some character." To the designer's delight, the homeowners gave her full creative control over the project. "I was able to somewhat take my time and just run with it," she says. "It was a one-in-a-million-type situation."



BEFORE: Turn the page to see this wet bar's vibrant new look.