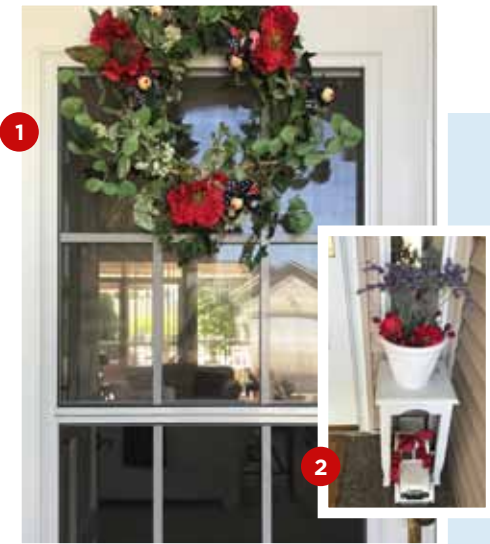


# Home Sweet Home

# Sun & Fun Summer

DECORATING OUR COTTAGE WITH A FUN PATRIOTIC PALETTE OF RED • WHITE • AND • BLUE!



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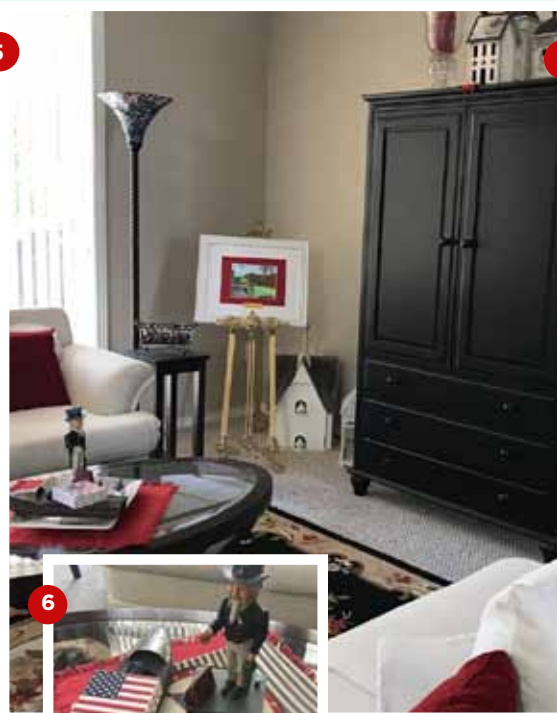
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**1-4 • OUTDOOR LIVING** • These 4 photos show our cottage's front entrance, flag-filled wreath, white toy pickup, five pots of brilliant red and white geraniums, and two "Welcome" bikes on stakes flanking the driveway. • In back, we're blessed with a big shady deck overlooking more geraniums, bleeding hearts, and Doug's nine rose bushes. Comfy chairs, a big picnic table, baker's rack, the BBQ and a gas fire pit outfit the deck. How DID we live without this newest addition?

**5-8 • GREAT ROOM (LIVING /DINING ROOM)** • Also dressed for the Patriotic Summer season is this space with it's red, white and blue birdhouses, coffee table Uncle Sam, vintage toy speedboat, flag pillows, and huge colorful stars and stripes dining room centerpiece complemented by April Cornell's "Graceful Garden Blue" table liners.



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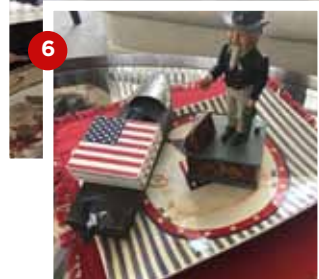
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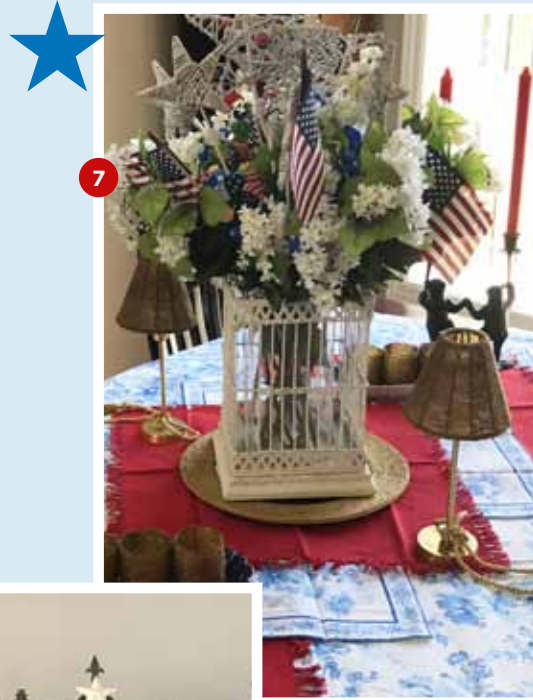
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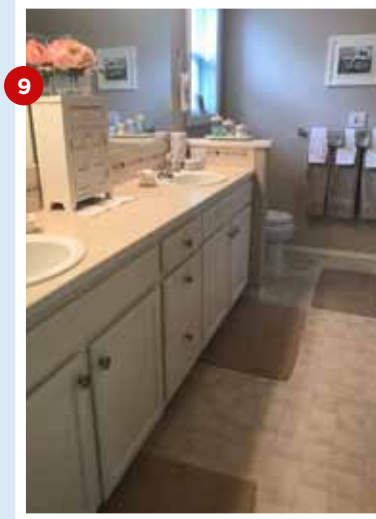
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**9-10 • MASTER BEDROOM SUITE** • Facing the back yard from a huge picture window, the decor in both the master bedroom and bath echoes the nine rose bushes my husband Doug does such a beautiful job with. They are his pride and joy, and there's often a bouquet from one or more of the gardens somewhere in the house.

**11-14 • THE KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY** • The kitchen is part of the great room. Crisp white cupboards are a perfect background for the red, white and blue kitchen tools, towels, toy bicycles, patriotic salt & pepper shakers on top the scale ~ and more! This theme runs into the laundry room next door.



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**15 DOUG'S GOLF-THEMED DEN** • Golf is his passion and gift. Mementos of favorite golf trips and tournaments (he's won many over the years) are displayed in this room. When he's not playing, Doug enjoys keeping up with favorite matches on TV.

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