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DESIGNER'S EYE with
JANET BLUTTER SHIFF

Send us your bad vibe rooms for a quick fix photo makeover

Is that canary yellow breakfast nook causing you anxiety? Has your entertainment center eaten your living room?

The Sun-Times At Home section and the Merchandise Mart are partnering to pencil in a quick fix for your interior design problems.

Here's what we need to consider your design challenge:

- ◆ Send 4 to 6 color photos, digital preferred to Homelife@suntimes.com with Designers Eye in subject line.
- ◆ Include views of all sides of the room, including the floor, ceiling and four walls
- ◆ Send us the overall measurements of the room.
- ◆ Name the room — is it your master bedroom, guest room, media room?
- ◆ Write some background on your living situation (25 words or less), live alone, family of 25 — you get the picture — the problem with your space and your vision of how you'd like that room to feel.

A designer from the Merchandise Mart will mark up your photo, make suggestions and we'll publish the Quick Fix Photo in the Sun-Times At Home section.

Our first designer is Janet Blutter Shiff, who created the DreamHome welcome lobby and the bedroom of the first DreamHome. She is also part of the Mart's Designer Portfolios.

Ready, set, go!

Send your quick-fix rooms for consideration by the Designer's Eye to:

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—Sally Duros, Real Estate, Homelife and At Home Editor



Feeling nutty about fall?
Don't. Prepare for lounge season with some retro chic shopping.
"Turntables anyone?" asks Jennifer Sabella in Interior Affairs. Page 3



Designer's Eye — a new feature!
Send At Home an image of your troubled room and we'll provide therapy with a designer from Merchandise Mart. Page 3

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