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One of our homeowners, Isabel, is a gourmet chef and for years had been creating magnificent meals and baking up a storm in a cramped, u-shaped kitchen that had limited counter space and very little storage. The layout of the original room meant that she was often isolated in the kitchen when cooking and had to make frequent trips up and down two flights of stairs where her specialized cooking equipment was stored.

The property owners turned to Kathy McCreight, CKD of Classic Cabinets and Interiors, to maximize their space and create a clean, sophisticated kitchen and dining area. According to Isabel, they could not be more pleased with the process and the end results -- "We love what Kathy did! She listened to exactly what we were trying to accomplish and proposed creative solutions that doubled the size of our kitchen while staying within the existing footprint. Kathy is incredibly precise and trustworthy. In fact, we

were so comfortable working with her that we left during the remodel for three months and returned to a completed kitchen that perfectly matched our expectations."

Today Isabel has a ten foot island, two sinks, double ovens, a pull out pantry, and tons of storage – even her collection of more than 300 cookbooks has a home! Glass doors display special pieces and the frequently used KitchenAid mixer has a custom pop-up cabinet. The black back splash with cracked glass sparkles, the warm red walls offer pops of color, yet overall the space has clean simple lines. The former living room can accommodate dinner parties which often linger in the large, cozy dining space. Now, there is more than enough room for extra cooks in the kitchen.

As Isabel says, "Considering that I spend more than 90% of my time in the kitchen, I wanted this to be perfect. It is."

DIRECTIONS

From US 31 in Petoskey:

Continue to US-31 N (0.1 mi)

Take M-119 N to Peffer St in Harbor Springs 13 min (7.9 mi)

Drive to Tamarac Trail in West Traverse 3 min (0.8 mi)

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Kathy McCreight has more than 30 years of experience assisting clients in the creation of beautifully functional residential and commercial spaces. Her company, Classic Cabinets and Interiors, offers a wide range of services including space planning, new construction, remodeling, cabinets, interior and exterior finishes for residential and light commercial applications.

Kathy is a Certified Kitchen Designer (CKD) through the National Kitchen and Bath Association and holds a BAA from CMU in Interior Design and Industrial Technology. She has served in numerous leadership positions for the Northern Michigan Chapter of the National Kitchen & Bath Association.

Kathy's projects have been featured in the Ultimate Up North Kitchen Tour as well as the Central Michigan Home Builders Association Parade of Homes.