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An Upper East Side townhouse presents traditional interiors in a whole new light

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ARTWORK

A dramatic abstract painting in shades of blue and white is the centerpiece of the room. The artwork is flanked by two lamps with white shades and dark bases. In the foreground, a wooden console table holds several vases of yellow and pink roses. A large, ornate chandelier hangs from the ceiling.



Decorative application

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ed the dining room from a new kitchen addition (not shown) at the back of the house with a wall of French doors framed with beveled glass. "The clients entertain at home often, so the translucent glass lets light shine through, but also keeps the distance in the kitchen out of plain view."

Three days before Christmas, when the designers turned the measured measurements back over to their clients, the paint was finally dry on the walls, but the beds were still in the way. Fully assembled, and the transformation was complete. "Everything was in place, just so if it had always been that way," jokes Nelson, "only better" — the designers.

WALKABOUTS

This page, top: A new home office constructed at the street level of the house leads out to the garden via full-height French doors. Antique wooden crates salvaged from a French chateau occupy a transition space (left) to outdoor space. Right: Details in the master bedroom. These sets of French doors opened to long cotton curtains lead to a private terrace situated on the balcony formed by the back porch roof.



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Dreamy white along carpet adds surprising softness and comfort to the master bedroom. Craftsmen create the antique "groper chair." Once used for handling white in prayer, it has the high back and low seat typical of antique chairs where designed for putting on or taking off one's shoes. The three-drawer bedside table is one of a pair of antiques from the Homeowner's collection, as is the Federal period gilt framed bull's-eye mirror over the bed.

