

Rock hard entrances Quartz tile attracts trendsetters

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A home's entrance can set the tone for the entire decor scheme. It's where you make that all important first impression. You can tell a lot about a homeowner's personality by the materials, colours and accessories they choose for their entrance and foyer.

"Most people judge a book by its cover and when we welcome guests into our homes, the entrance is the cover of the book that will be judged. So, it's important to showcase an impressive cover," smiled Nancy Soccio, designer of Dolce Design in Montreal.

Typically upon entering a home your eyes are immediately drawn to the flooring of the entrance and foyer so it's crucial that the flooring choice leaves a lasting impression. Along with aesthetics, it's also important to consider the functionality of the floors since the entrance is the highest traffic area in the home.

"I usually recommend a low maintenance flooring option that is very durable yet exudes class and elegance to set the tone for the overall look," Soccio added.

One flooring option that has been gaining momentum with savvy homeowners across the country is quartz tile. According to Mark Hanna, President of Montreal-based Leeza Inc., one of North America's leading distributors of premium surfaces, quartz has already emerged as the preferred surface material in homes across the country thanks to its unique ability to combine depth and colour consistency with low maintenance and unrivalled durability.

Beyond its ultra-durability, Quartz has also become the focal point of kitchen and bathroom designs because of its uniquely sophisticated and timeless look. Now these same distinct characteristics can also be found underfoot with the new elegant Accolade Quartz

tile collection. This hot entry in the premium quartz surface category has quickly left an imprint on this established décor trend.

"With a palette characterized for combining the most sought-after tones with extraordinary depth and clarity, this collection is design-driven for fashionable concepts," explained Hanna "Maintaining solid performance and durability, this quartz tile collection is suited for a wide range of design needs from contemporary accents to the latest trends."

According to Hanna what makes this collection so special is its unique colour palette. A carefully selected grouping of the top quartz colour trends in the industry. "Superior hues and subtle colour distinctions, creating character, are vital components of innovative design," he added. "This rich and varied palette assures these distinctive visual creations."



Engineered for design challenges in high traffic areas such as entrances and foyers in homes and commercial applications, the tiles feature superior quartz combined with innovative technology, which assures exceptional resistance to harsh elements, abrasion and shock. They're designed to be virtually maintenance free as they're non-porous and require no sealing.

Carefully formulated to maintain an incredibly dazzling look, Accolade Quartz tiles invigorate and inspire the most brilliant flooring schemes.

More information on quartz tiles is available at leezadistribution.com.

