

Take your faucets up a notch at this grand gallery.

Fixture Fix

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WHAT TURNS THAT LITTLE BLACK DRESS INTO A SHOWSTOPPER? Adding the perfect accessories, of course. The same is true for your kitchen and bathroom fixtures and hardware. They are the finishing detail that takes a space from boring to brilliant. But, unlike department stores where you can find carefully coordinated displays to help you put it all together, those plumbing warehouse stores can leave you feeling perplexed. Eric Nelson has remedied this problem with his 3,500 square-foot SplashWorks showroom in San Jose. There you'll find a breathtaking array of beautiful kitchen and bath vignettes, guaranteed to inspire your next project. "We've taken the guesswork out of it," explains Eric. "Between our displays and our knowledgeable staff, we make the process enjoyable rather than stressful." In fact, the



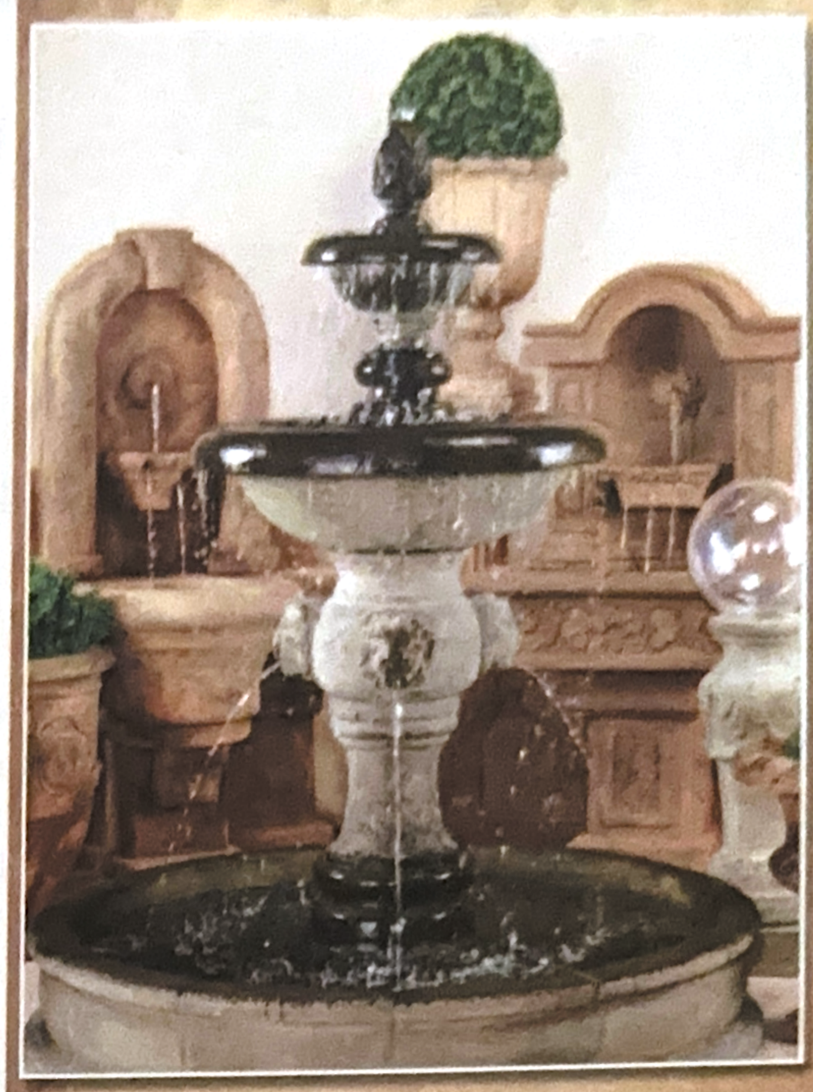
SplashWorks team has over 70 years of experience between them. Eric is proud of his store's Diamond Certified status, the ultimate nod to his staff's stellar customer service. "The special attention we give our customers is really unparalleled," says Eric. "Not only will we answer all of your product and remodeling questions, chances are we'll fill you in on solutions that may not have crossed your mind."

Eric says that at SplashWorks, you won't find the same ho-hum lines that all of the chains carry. "We've assembled a unique and extensive collection of plumbing fixtures from around the globe; many of our products cannot be found in other showrooms. Our customers love finding fixtures that differ from what every neighbor on their block have in their homes. It's what makes their space their own." From antique reproductions to the sleekest of the sleek in modern design, SplashWorks has the styles to suit everyone's tastes.

Whether you're a homeowner doing a weekend project or a designer or contractor working on behalf of a client, SplashWorks is regarded as one of the best showrooms for service, product knowledge, and product offerings in the Bay Area.

To get inspired for your kitchen or bath project, visit the SplashWorks showroom at 1284 Lincoln Avenue, San Jose. For more information, visit their Website at www.splashworkskb.com or call (408) 279-5202. THM

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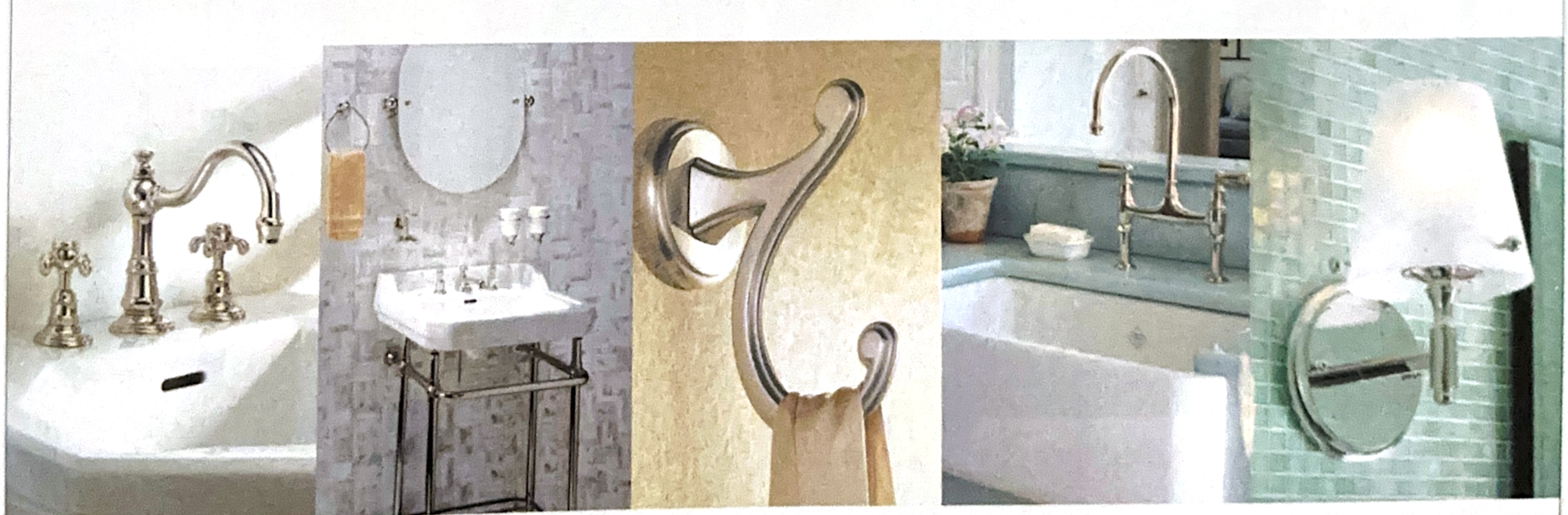
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