

My Home: The American Dream Home



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If you have ever been flipping through a realty book or simply walking through town, then you know that there are many massive, luxurious houses that are available. However, how can you tell the difference between a loving home and a sullen and empty domicile? While love and passion is in the home, a house is simply the structure that contains it. I'm convinced that my home is indeed the American Dream Home.

However, what is the American Dream Home? Some homes contain special memories, and others are new and have memories to come. Hence, each home is different and is special to multiple people for various reasons. Specifically, for my home there are many aspects which make it the American Dream Home. For example, my house is 58 years old. My grandmother lived in my home and now enjoys sharing stories from the past. Nevertheless, no home is perfect, and one of my home's challenges is that we have an old well. Unfortunately, this well is not always as sufficient as we would like. My home is not the American Dream home because of its picturesque lake setting or even its newly furnished fixtures. My home is the American Dream Home mostly because of its memories, stories, and traditions.

As you walk through my home, there is a pleasant and upbeat vibe which immediately overcomes you. This feeling causes people to feel secure and welcomed. Personally, I attribute this tone to the welcoming spirit my family has, but I also contribute this spirit to my family's policy of not emphasizing the material possessions that we own. Because of this, if you walk into my home, you are first drawn to the considerate and optimistic attitude, not our material possessions. Love and compassion should make up your American Dream Home, not your possessions.

Nevertheless, to make our living space more comfortable, we have accumulated some vanities from the past. For instance, we have many antique pieces which we have inherited from my grandmother. These masterpieces compliment our oak wood floors and reek of a certain history that makes you feel vaguely connected to the past. Also, scattered nattily throughout our house, my mother has placed numerous pieces of art. Some pictures and paintings have special stories, such as the World War II canvas paintings that my grandfather brought back while he was serving in the merchant marines in Germany; others are simply enjoyable and add to the positive atmosphere of our home. My American Dream Home is comfortable, as well as welcoming!

I am reminded of the difference between a house and home several times each day. It haunts me to know that some people are not fortunate enough to come home to a loving and welcoming place to live. However, this feeling simply urges me to make sure that my home is as loving and secure as possible.

Everyone needs an American Dream Home. Start your's today.

