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Glass garage doors are a sleek, functional way to blur the lines between indoor and outdoor living and bring the beauty of natural light inside.



entertaining space to make every gathering memorable. This backyard retreat blends rustic charm with modern functionality, featuring Avante® glass garage doors that open up to the pool and patio area. Inside, the space is outfitted with a mini kitchen, dining table and lounge area, all designed for enjoying the views.

The Avante doors are made with an insulated aluminum frame paired with clear tempered insulated glass, making them both stylish and durable enough to withstand any climate. Plus, the doors come in a variety of colors to suit any aesthetic. For added privacy, you can opt for frosted, tinted, mirrored or opaque glazing.

The garage door track is hung vertically on the wall so there's no overhead obstruction.



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This coastal home in South Carolina is the result of years of dreaming, planning and building. Designed by digital creator @ PhiliporFlop, along with his dad and a trusted builder, it's a family project that came to life with a lot of heart and

hands-on work.

Since marshland surrounds the property on three sides, a traditional backyard wasn't in the cards. So, they got creative — designing the home to wrap around a central courtyard pool and spacious hangout area on the lower level.

One of the highlights? An Avante® glass garage door that opens up to the poolside lounge, making it easy to enjoy the breeze, host friends or just relax with family.

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The contemporary touch doesn't have to stop at

windows and entry doors. With garage doors often making up a large part of a home's front elevation, designers can take advantage of their expanse to continue the modern aesthetic used elsewhere in the home to add more flair. Clopay's Modern Steel™ collection offers insulated grooved and flush panel designs customized with a number of glass options for an edgy and fresh feel.





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Contemporary garage doors are no longer just functional—they're bold design statements, transforming exteriors with modern elegance and architectural flair.





Black-and-white exteriors get plenty of double
taps on Instagram, but this picture lights up our DMs
with questions about the dreamy blue Canyon Ridge®
Carriage House garage doors on this Southern Living

Sherwin-Williams Debonair on the doors and shutters is the perfect paint color to complement the breathtaking water views.

Even though it feels like it's part of Amelia Island's storied history, this is definitely a "new, old house" with all the modern amenities.

See the third garage door? That's actually the golf cart bay custom-built to match the other garage doors.

For over 30 years, Southern Living has partnered with talented builders, architects and designers to build houses that celebrate the Southern lifestyle and innovative home design. Clopay® is a proud sponsor of the custom builder program.



The Canyon Ridge® garage door is a builder favorite, offering the look of natural wood with the strength to handle humidity and salt air. Made from a moisture-resistant composite, it resists warping, rotting and cracking—so it stays beautiful with little upkeep.

Set on over 60 acres of rolling hills near Nashville, this modern farmhouse features Canyon Ridge® Chevron doors in Sherwin-Williams Rushing River, perfectly complementing the natural surroundings.

These doors are incredibly realistic, capturing the look and feel of real wood in composite options, such as Mahogany or Clear Cypress, that are ready to be painted or stained.



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ONE HOUSE, FOUR UNIQUE GARAGE DOORS

On a hit home makeover show, eight talented designers took on the challenge of turning one house exterior into four distinct and stunning designs. Each makeover showcased their unique style — especially with eye-catching garage doors that made every home stand out.

Whether it was a faux wood carriage door, a sleek steel design with mid-century vibes or a modern all-glass door with frosted panels, these bold choices were anything but cookie-cutter.

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Blending artistry with durability, natural wood garage doors are more than just an entry point — they are the heart of a home's curb appeal. Clopay® custom wood garage doors combine careful craftsmanship, premium hardwoods and bespoke designs that become part of your house story.

From sourcing the right specs for your climate to building each door by hand and finishing it to our exacting standards, you'll appreciate the attention to detail that goes into creating an heirloom-quality door made just for you.

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EYE-CATCHING CONRAST

Warm, wood-look finishes are trending, offering a low-maintenance way to add color and texture. If you love dark exteriors but aren't ready for a full change, try mixing bold colors with lighter, wood grain accents for contrast.

For white homes, adding wood-look steel, composite or custom wood details can create a modern, eye-catching look.









Camila @RusticModernLiving saw potential in this 1949 red brick

house — and after a year of renovations, she transformed it into a stunning rustic modern Mediterranean home.

She expanded the space, redesigned the entrance and installed a striking new garage door. The bold black-and-white palette turns heads, with carefully chosen details that draw your eye across the facade.

Indiana's shifting seasons called for a garage door that's both durable and stylish. Camila chose the Reserve® Extira® wood composite in a Chevron pattern, with large windows to balance the home's design. Extira resists moisture and termites, while its smooth surface delivers a flawless painted finish.

The verdict? Her neighbors love it — some even knock on her door to ask about the design!



INSTANT RAPARAS



Homeowners are always looking for simple, budget-friendly ways to boost curb appeal without a full renovation.

Even though the original steel doors were still in good shape, they made this classic Georgia home feel a little outdated. That's why content creator @SouthernHeather jumped at the chance to update them with stylish carriage house doors.

When she saw a Clopay[®] EZDoor[™] rendering of her home featuring Canyon Ridge[®] Chevron garage doors, it gave her the confidence to move forward with the upgrade.

Beyond the new look, she loves the durability and insulation the doors offer.



We've lived here for seven years. Replacing our garage doors was a great way to make our house feel new without a big renovation.







Sean Sullivan, owner of Living Stone Design + Build in North Carolina, calls this project The Homestead Revival because he immediately saw its history and potential. "The home had lost its spark, and my vision was to bring it back to life."

Built in 1925, this classic farmhouse was constructed using locally sourced wood, which covers nearly every surface. The goal was to honor that heritage while seamlessly blending old and new. Since the home never had a garage, one was added during the design phase, complete with four garage doors. They chose Canyon Ridge[®] faux wood carriage house doors for their timeless look and low maintenance, ensuring they match the home's era.

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We believe in preserving the past while creating something fresh and beautiful.







You've never seen a garage door like this.

Awarded Best in Show by the NAHB at the 2025 International Builders' Show, the VertiStack® Avante® garage door features an innovative, spacesaving design that stacks sections vertically on the wall above the opening, eliminating overhead tracks and maximizing ceiling space.

The door opens up a world of possibilities inside the garage, including adding overhead storage, decorative lighting, fans or even a car lift. Glass panels fill the space with natural light and can be customized to control privacy.

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FEATURED: Modern Steel[™] door, solid grooved panel design in Black

Project by: Living Stone Design + BuildPhoto credit: Ryan Theede Photography



FEATURED: Avante® AX door, White frame with obscure glass panels

Project by: Envy HomesPhoto credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Avante® AX door, Bronze anodized frame with clear glass panels

Project by: Lake + Land Studio LLC and

Hatcliff Construction

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Avante® AX door, Black anodized frame with clear glass panels

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® Louver door, Design 54 custom painted Sherwin-Williams Snowbound

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Modern Steel[™] door, full view design in Black

Project by: Healthier Homes by JS2 Partners **Photo credit:** Healthier Homes by JS2 Partners



FEATURED: Modern Steel[™] door, Black Lustra with

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Project by: Healthier Homes by JS2 Partners **Photo credit:** Healthier Homes by JS2 Partners



FEATURED: Modern Steel[™] door, flush panel design in Medium

Ultra-Grain[®] finish with Long Plain windows **Project by:** Healthier Homes by JS2 Partners **Photo credit:** Healthier Homes by JS2 Partners



FEATURED: Modern Steel[™] door, grooved panel design in

Black with Contemporary Slim Windows

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FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® 5-Layer Carriage House door, Design 11 with REC 13 windows custom painted Sherwin-Williams Debonair Blue

Project by: Historical Concepts and Riverside Custom Homes Photo credit: Laurey Glenn



FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® Louver door, Design 52 with REC 14 windows custom painted Sherwin-Williams Charcoal Blue **Project by:** Court Atkins Group and SLD Custom Homes



FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® Louver door, Design 52 with

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FEATURED: Avante® AX door, Black anodized frame with frosted glass panels

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FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® Chevron door, Design 12 with REC 14 windows custom painted Sherwin-Williams Rushing River

Project by: Lake + Land Studio LLC and Hatcliff Construction **Photo credit:** Andy Frame



FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® 5-Layer Carriage House door,

Design 11 with REC 14 windows in Black

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Modern Steel[™] door, flush panel design in Black with Long Plain windows

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FEATURED: Reserve® Wood Custom door in Cedar

Project by: Salter Contractors LLC

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FEATURED: Gallery® Steel long panel door with REC 14 windows in Medium Ultra-Grain finish

Project by: Elyse McCurdy Home Designs Inc.

Photo credit: Randi Lynne Creative



FEATURED: Modern Steel™ Ultra-Grain® Plank door in Kona finish

Project by: Elyse McCurdy Home Designs Inc.

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Bridgeport™ Steel long panel door with

ARCH1 windows in Dark Ultra-Grain finish

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Avante® AX door with Black anodized frame and frosted glass panels

Project by: Living Stone Design + BuildPhoto credit: Ryan Theede Photography



FEATURED: Reserve® Extira® wood custom door design in Black

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® Chevron door, Design 11

with REC 13 windows custom painted

Photo credit: Andy Frame



FEATURED: Canyon Ridge® 5-Layer Carriage House door,

Design 21 with SQ23 windows in Black **Project by:** Living Stone Design + Build **Photo credit:** Ryan Theede Photography



FEATURED: VertiStack® Avante® door, Dark Bronze anodized

frame with black laminate glass panels **Project by:** Sun West Custom Homes

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