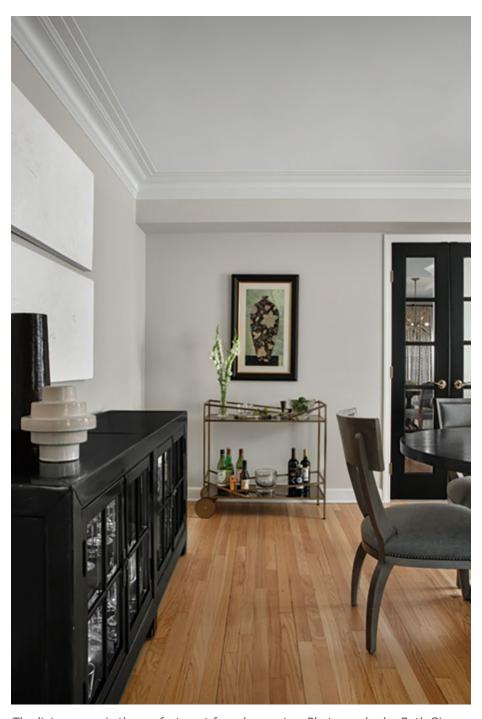
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West Coast transplants lighten up a 1940s Birmingham Colonial. By

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lighter, more relaxed style" is what Dave and Jennifer Jennings had in mind when they contacted interior designer Margaret Skinner, of Margeaux Interiors, about renovating their four-bedroom, five-bath Birmingham Colonial, built in 1940. Originally from California, the couple dreamed of a brighter and more easygoing style in the 3,400-square-foot home they share with their three children.



The living room is the perfect spot for a bar cart. – Photography by Beth Singer