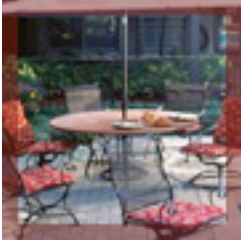


Accent Pieces Bring A Patio To Life



In any home, it's not necessarily the couches, televisions or other big ticket items that make it unique. It's the accent pieces that add the true personal touches. Patios are no different, and while a beautiful patio table along with patio chairs, patio cushions, umbrellas, or even fire pits in the yard can set the tone, accent pieces that add that little extra will set your patio apart. All-American Pool and Patio invites you to add the finishing touches to your patio. Play it right and it'll feel like an extra room in your home, only outdoors.

Patio Accent PiecesWhen it comes to creating a mood, nothing does it quite like lighting. Trust us when we say your standard porch light just doesn't cut it. Instead, look into the amazing pieces of outdoor lighting that double as aesthetically pleasing parts of your patio. The latest lines of floor lamps and table lamps rival any lamps you'll see indoors in terms of style and structure. Choose one that creates the look and feel you want, and illuminate your new outdoor rug in the process. No matter what type of patio flooring you have, an outdoor rug can be a beautiful accent piece to patio furniture and can create the feel of a true living space.

Of course a true living space deserves a place for an nice afternoon siesta, and a hammock fits the bill quite nicely. A hammock brings to mind a lazy summer day, and adds a nice touch to any patio. And if you've never slept in one, let's just say there's something to be said for the hammock-style siesta. And to take your entertaining to another level, add an outdoor bar or porch swing to the mix. Allow friends and family to relax and dine in comfort, and make your patio and backyard the place in your neighborhood for family fun.

Remember that outdoors as with indoors the big ticket items are important, but it's the accent pieces that make the difference. Discover those items, perhaps ones you've never previously considered, and personalize your patio as never before. In the short-term you'll make it more beautiful and versatile, and in the long-term you'll make it a gathering place for those closest to you.