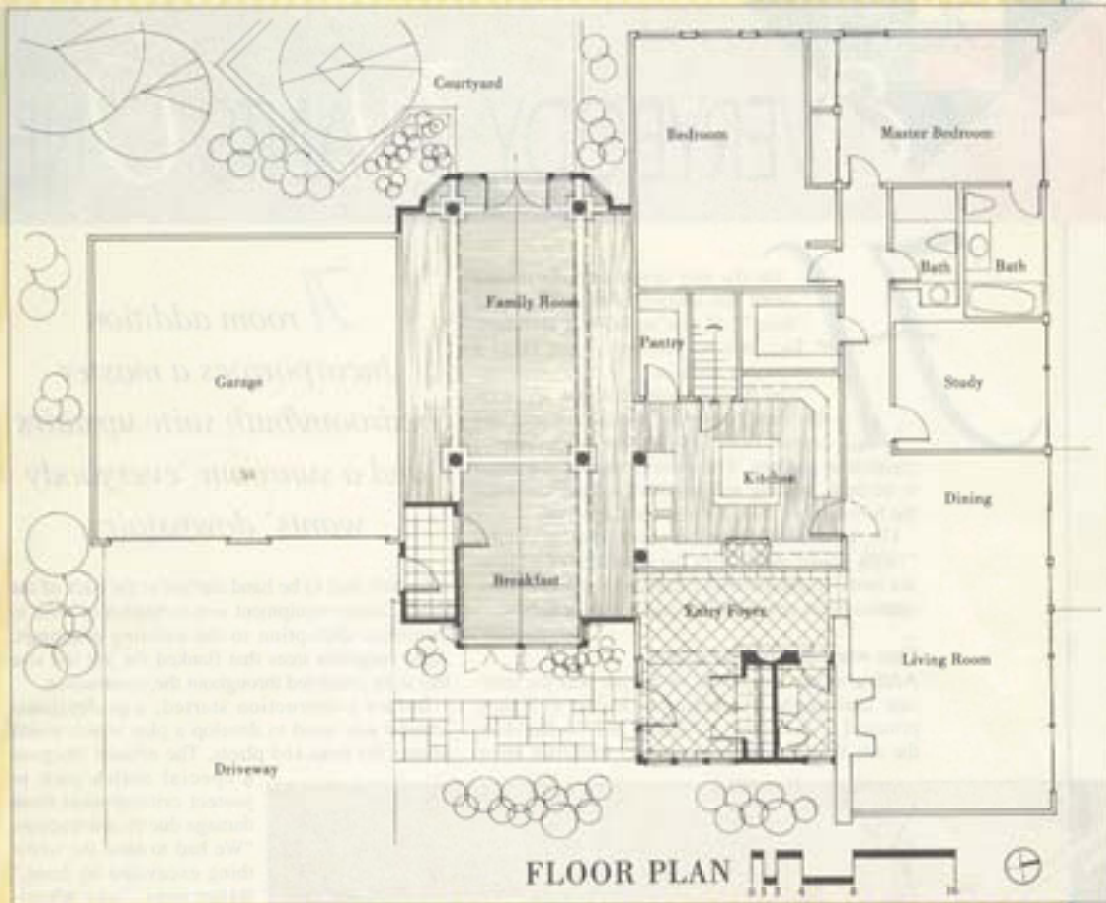


The shaded areas of the floor plan indicate the addition and remodeled areas of the home.



contractor," Richardson adds.

Bryson agrees. "It helps to have a good rapport with the architect." He notes that "the owner often doesn't understand what's going on during the project, so it's helpful to have the two parties involved (the contractor and the architect) working together to educate the owner about each aspect of the remodel."

An example of this teamwork is seen in the evolution of the roof structural system. Also, all of the materials installed on the job went through careful review by the owner, architect and contractor to evaluate performance with respect to design requirements, longevity and cost.

Richardson says that these decisions saved the owners "a significant amount of money" on the \$90,000 project. "What we saved by making certain economic decisions allowed the owners to upgrade other elements of the renovation," such as lighting

and a commercial-style range.

The final result was a project that was kept under budget and satisfied the needs of the entire family. And, of course, the many guests who enjoy the hospitality and cuisine offered by Rae Medgyesy. **QR**

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