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An ode to the great outdoors (and indoors, too)

This month, we stray from the beaten path – both literally and figuratively – to focus on a unique property brought to our attention by Chris Hightower, founder of Hightower Realtors.

As this array of photographs shows, rustic and modern tastes don't have to reside at opposite ends of a spectrum. In fact, both can be satisfied with some clever design concepts and good, old-fashioned hard work.

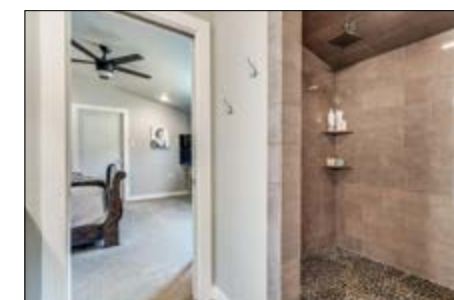
This country home is part of property that features a barn and a pond, but its fascinating blending of quaint and luxurious makes it an instant conversation starter. (And we won't tell anyone if you decide to "borrow" a few of the concepts used in this home's evolution.)

The house and barn anchor 3.88 acres. The dwelling features three bedrooms and one bathroom, spread over 1,066 square feet of living space, but, as the photos to the left show, there's

plenty of other "living space" located at various points in the property. Take, for example, the outdoor fire pit, which is an ideal gathering place for family and friends on cool winter evenings. And, in addition to the barn, the property has a spacious patio area, which affords magnificent views of the surrounding woods.

Inside, there are modern amenities galore, from the spacious, open living area to cleverly construed lighting and ventilation concepts that marry the then-and-now feel of the home.

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