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Rustic Retreats And Mountain Hideaways We Want To Escape To









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With the winter season now in full swing, there's nothing we wish we could do more than retreat to these cozy hideaways. Whether it's a modern mountain chalet or a warm, rustic home, these interiors might just have the power to convince us that winter isn't so bad after all.

Deer Valley Retreat, Utah

Harte Brownlee & Associates



The living room of Deer Valley Retreat features Harte's signature use of miniature chairs. Photography by Roger Wade.







The red dining chairs surprise with unexpected pops of animal print. Photography by Roger Wade.



Sheldon Harte.

Designed by Sheldon Harte of <u>Harte Brownlee & Associates</u>, the Deer Valley Retreat in Utah deftly combines antique pieces with rustic details. The living room boasts stunning views of the Wasatch Mountain range, and exemplifies his mastery of color, pattern and texture. Harte's signature use of miniature chairs take their place opposite the sofa. Luxurious fabrics, both timeless and durable, make their mark throughout the house. In the dining room, rustic furniture pieces are complemented by red dining chairs backed with bold animal prints. Eight encaustic paintings made with beeswax by Craig Allen that explore the theme of life and dreams are showcased in the family room. If you stand close enough to any one of them, you can even catch a pleasant whiff of honey. This home's interior spaces provide the ultimate sanctuary, especially in the winter months.