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## Home Improvement

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Home Improvement. The term conjures up visions of a new kitchen or wood floors or an elegant new bathroom. But for me, home improvement means improving my environment. Home improvement is more than improving where I live; it is improving how I live.

Everyone admires a home with a lush green lawn, a beautiful garden and attractive landscaping. Our yards bring a sense of enjoyment, relaxation and pride that can be seen by everyone. Our backyards are for relaxation, barbecuing with family and enjoying a few moments of peace.

Improving your backyard is part of home improvement. Adding bird feeders, nest boxes and birdbaths is easy and is certain to repay your investment by bringing the simple joys of nature to your home. Songbirds come in a dazzling array of colors—red, blue, yellow, gray, black—and a range of species that bring captivating song and activity to your yard. At-

tracting birds is easy and certain to improve your backyard experience.

Bird feeders, nest boxes and birdbaths come in a wide variety of styles, materials and colors certain to fit your yard and your budget. Your Wild Bird Center store offers classic styles of tube feeders and hopper feeders along with exquisite feeders and houses designed by craftsmen and certain to improve your home.

Whether you are a seasoned bird feeder or just starting out, improving your backyard is easy. New materials, new styles and new features can improve your experience and the look of your yard too. Your Wild Bird Center provides expert advice to help you select just the right products and styles to fit your needs. Bird feeding is an inexpensive way to improve your home and provide years of fun and relaxation. Start your next home improvement project at the Wild Bird Center!



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