Granite countertops

It's the natural choice.

Welcome Home.
Choosing the proper material for a countertop is a big decision and requires that many considerations be taken into account. Appearance, strength, durability, sustainability and, of course, price are key factors in making a choice that will leave the consumer satisfied and, ultimately, proud. Some common options on the market today are plastic laminates, ceramic tile, stainless steel, concrete, natural stones (marble, granite, slate, soapstone) and wood. Each material has its advantages; however, granite seems to have more advantages that make it adaptable to the kitchen.

Granite is an igneous, magma-formed rock that is generally made up of quartz, feldspar and mica. These minerals combine in varying percentages that account for the color, veining and crystallization patterns that make each granite deposit and therefore customized countertop - unique. Other minerals, such as magnetite, pyrite, garnet and hematite can occur in much smaller amounts, and as such, it is these different combinations that create the wide range of granite varieties that are available throughout the world.

Once you have decided to install granite countertops in your home or business, you need to find the right people to help you through the process from start to finish.

You need a professional who knows what is required for installation, is familiar with granite and how it works, and knows how to gather the information and measurements to fabricate the piece correctly. Halquist owns and operates nine quarries throughout the Midwest. Our expertise is in processing raw materials and creating a product to a customer's specifications and imagination.

The dedication to providing our customers with the best stuff made on Earth is what transcends the ordinary into a body of work that inspires the soul. After you've had the opportunity to discover the many options that are available to you, we can help you take the next step in creating a kitchen or bathroom of your dreams.
EDGING OPTIONS

Edges come in all shapes and sizes. Below are our standard available edges that you may request for your countertops.

ARIS | EDGE PROFILE
BEVEL | EDGE PROFILE
CHISELED | EDGE PROFILE
EASED | EDGE PROFILE
FULL BULLNOSE | EDGE PROFILE
HALF BULLNOSE | EDGE PROFILE
OGEE | EDGE PROFILE
TRIPLE PENCIL | EDGE PROFILE
INTRODUCING HSQUARTZ®
NATURE INSPIRED DESIGNS.

PLUS HUNDREDS OF OTHER COLORS...
HALQUIST STONE HAS ONE OF THE LARGEST SELECTIONS OF QUARTZ IN THE AREA!

With 11 different manufacturers of quartz available, Halquist has a vast array of colors, styles and motifs that you are sure to find for your perfect design. Whether for the kitchen, bathroom or any space you can envision, there is a quartz surface that meets the highest standards of quality while inspiring creativity.

ADVANTAGES OF QUARTZ STONE

Delivering uncompromising performance...quartz surfaces are the ultimate combination of nature and technology. Non-porous, scratch resistant and highly resistant to stains, quartz retains its beauty without sealants or waxes and is almost maintenance free. Ideal for any interior space, due to the materials outstanding durability, quartz can be installed in thinner forms to save weight, or in larger sections to reduce the amount of joints on a surface. This enables even further money-saving features that customers happily applaud.

- ECO FRIENDLY PRODUCT WITH ZERO EFFECTS ON THE ENVIRONMENT
- USE OF RECYCLE MATERIAL
- REQUIRES NO SEALING WHEN CUT
- NO CONDITIONING OR POLISHING
- STONES CONSISTS OF ANTI-BACTERIAL ENHANCEMENTS
- EASY TO CLEAN (MILD SOAP AND WARM WATER)
- PRODUCT COMES WITH EITHER A 10 OR 15 YEAR WARRANTY DEPENDING ON MANUFACTURER
Because natural stone is made from nature, variations should and can be expected. Even though colors in this brochure are as close to the actual blend as possible, photographic and printing techniques - and actual viewing conditions - can alter perception of color.

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