



# School of Graceful Lifestyles

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Registration



### Day One

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The essence of a Graceful Lifestyles Consultant  
Understanding and embracing your client's intentions  
Clearly communicating fees and budgets  
Universal and Green Design Principals  
A review of floor plans, scale, and dimensions



### Day Two

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Establishing a valuable relationship with vendors  
Awaken the senses through the Five Elements  
Selecting the centerpiece for a design scheme



### Day Three

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An explorative trip to the furniture mart  
Understanding regional influences on style  
Incorporating eco-friendly fabrics, wallcovering  
& flooring option - Graceful Green



### Day Four

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Infusing new life through remodeling  
Discovering the importance of color through paint  
Affect the energy loads of a house based on color placement  
Balance through accessories/lighting/window treatments



### Day Five

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Review and analysis of project presentations  
Conveying ideas through storyboards  
Creating Sacred Space  
Graduation Celebration!!



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## Questions and Answers

### **Are there Feng Shui requirements?**

While this course has been developed for every level of Feng Shui, basic principles will be woven into the language and design structure of the class.

### **Are there Interior Decorating requirements?**

The beauty of our program is that we tap into your innate aesthetic sense and desire to create rooms of beauty. No prior training in the decorating field is necessary.

### **How do I begin?**

Simply complete the attached registration form and return with an \$800 deposit or register and pay online at [www.gracefullifestyles.com](http://www.gracefullifestyles.com).

### **Will I be certified?**

Upon completion of the course, you will be a certified Graceful Lifestyles consultant opening the doors to the Interior Decorating field. You will receive a certificate suitable for framing as well as a free listing on our website.

### **Will there be ongoing support after completion?**

Yes. You are guided every step of the way. Personal supervision and teleconferencing is available to the graduates of the course.

### **Is the course tax deductible?**

Perhaps. The IRS permits you to deduct the course of your Graceful Lifestyles training under certain circumstances. Consult your tax advisor.

### **What is the profile of our typical student?**

There is none. Our students are both homemakers and professionals seeking to enhance their Interior Decorating skills.

### **Will it be a lecture format?**

This course will be a combination of lecture, small group activities, student presentations, and field trip. The highly interactive format keeps the day moving quickly.

### **Are there accommodations available?**

Yes. Graceful Lifestyles will provide lodging information. Our location is always convenient to those traveling..

### **What type of refreshments will be offered?**

Light refreshments will be offered during the course week..

### **What can I expect after completion of this course?**

You will have the basic decorating skills required to either start a new career as a Redesigner, incorporate them into your already existing professional practice, or to simply use for the benefit of family and friends.



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## Testimonials

*True teachers are kind, compassionate, tireless in their desire to share whatever wisdom they have acquired from their masters, never abuse or manipulate their students under any circumstances, never under any circumstances abandon them, serve not their own ends but the greatness of the teachings, and always remain humble. Real trust can and should grow toward someone whom you come to know, over time, embodies all these qualities. You will find that this trust becomes the ground of your life, there to support you through all the difficulties of life and death.*

*A Passage on teaching from "The Tibetan Book of Living and Dying"*

Graceful Lifestyles 5 day training class has blessed me with the tools to combine design and feng shui, both spiritually and with physical application. Thank you, God Bless..

Charisse, Student

"You have an incredible ability to look deep inside one's soul and recognize her True Self. We are all so blessed for your continual presence in our lives, mirroring our True Selves and our own inner beauty, and in doing so, encouraging us to look even deeper. I am so grateful for the two of you. May you continue to shine on...shine on!"

Stephanie, Student

"Hiring you to do our chiropractic office was one of the best business decisions we've ever made. I was amazed at the immediate impact the consultation and subsequent interior design changes had on the practice, our patient volume when up more than 20% in one month! At home the results have been even more profound. The family is working together better, the kids are thriving, and people comment about the immediate ease they feel upon entering my home."

Dr. Leonard McGill, Charleston, SC

The integration of feng shui and redesign sets this certification at the highest level of learning. I can now create beautiful and healing spaces for my clients.

Lou

"Thank you for your thank you...and the pleasure truly was mine. Your class and the printed material you handed out condensed and simplified the first steps in a complicated topic. I appreciate the focus it gave me."

Nancy Berman, Student

The Graceful Lifestyles 5 Day course was very intense. Mary Dennis and Marge Richards are thorough teachers, passing on priceless "in-trade" experiences.

Mary, Student

"I want to thank you again for coming out to my office at Union Planters Bank. After your visit to our office, it took us a couple of months to implement all of your suggestions, but once we did, the results proved true. The staff almost immediately got focused and avoided the previous distractions they used to allow. In April, the Deerfield Beach branch showed on the region report as number one. Your assistance and expertise in this endeavor has been greatly appreciated.

Dorothy Reilly, Union Planters Bank, Deerfield Beach, FL

"I am writing to you to tell you how much I really enjoy the sessions and also how nice everyone is. I think the two of you are great instructors and presenters. It is difficult sometimes to listen when someone is up in the front and their voice or body language does not keep the group interested. You seem to have that part very together. I walked out thinking I would like to take another class."

Lorena, Student

This class has truly changed my life and my mind set. It has only been five days spent with Marge and Mary Dennis, but this gift will last a lifetime. I came into this interested in traditional design, and have left with the knowledge and power to heal! I have such a positive attitude towards my future. You cannot put a price on what Feng Shui and these women have to offer. I thank them both from the bottom of my heart! Please know Marge and Mary Dennis that you HAVE INDEED changed someone's life. And so it is.....

Joleen, Student

The Graceful Lifestyles course for me was more than I ever could have imagined!! I became a sponge with all of your wonderful information. I felt energized each time one of you spoke. I loved the spiritual way that was used in every aspect of your teachings. I am forever grateful to be in your presence. May God bless both of you.

Ginny, Student