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**S**ome South Floridians want their bars to be a showcase for their liquor collections. Jaime Blomquist worked with architect Bruce Celenski to create an elegant way to show off the client's scotch collection in his Coral Ridge residence.

The job required an inventory and measurement of the collection before cabinets could be designed and inserted into the wall to save space in the great room. Lights were installed inside to illuminate the display at night. Glass doors were added to reduce dust. The doors on the base cabinet were scored to provide design interest, and granite was selected for the countertop.

"We do a bar in every house, and wine rooms are really hot right now," Blomquist says. "Some wine rooms are walk-in like a glass box. Everyone wants to show off beautiful bottles and talk about where they got them."



The client's scotch collection takes center stage in this Coral Ridge home. The cabinets, inserted into the walls to save space, are framed to make the collection look like pieces of art.

