



# HOW TO BUILD A LEGACY FOR A LIFETIME

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For those people looking to build the home that has been on their wish list, family-owned Lindal Cedar Homes can deliver—literally—and have been doing so since 1945.

Internationally renowned, Lindal is the largest manufacturer of quality cedar homes around the world. For the past 14 years, Douglas Pocha has been the Lindal Cedar Homes dealer in Saskatchewan and commanded Manitoba along the way, building across Western Canada. Douglas' wife Barbara joined the family owned business, and assists customers for BC and Alberta out of their Calgary show home location. They can provide the necessary expertise to design,

supply and build your legacy and their many awards are evidence of that. In the 14 years in business, for several years consecutively, their company has been awarded as one of the Top Ten Dealers Worldwide, as well as being the Top Canadian Dealer and Top Dealer for all of western North America.

Lindal Cedar Homes has a reputation for building impressive, one-of-a-kind, unique custom homes, but they always build to suit your lifestyle and work within your budget. They've built smaller cottage-style homes, individual living units, lake resort vacation homes, acreage estate properties and rural acreage sites. They also offer commercial

projects such as hotels and resort facilities, golf clubhouses, community centres, convention centres, churches, commercial retail mall properties and office buildings. With their dealership, they are leaving a Lindal legacy, including several "Lindal sub-divisions" all across the west, in places such as Neis Beach and Lumsden, Saskatchewan; Sylvan Lake, Alberta; Kamloops, British Columbia; and now even in Costa Rica!

Nearly 60,000 homes have been built under the Lindal name so they can offer thousands of home plan selections. "All our homes are custom designed. Together with our Lindal staff of professionals, we work with you to create your design," says Barb.





The design of each Lindal—the placement of windows, depth of overhangs, many key features—responds to the site's natural conditions. The selection of sustainable building materials and finishes follow. Above all, homes are engineered according to the site and surroundings.

Lindal delivers uncompromising quality. Beautifully crafted of warm natural materials. Lindal's signature and success is the soaring volumes, open spaces and delicately articulated expanses of glass that inspire daily living like no other. Some credit the warm glow of cedar, mated with the massive strength of the post and beam frame, the enduring stability of the homes and the company that produces them. Others credit the quality and continuous refinement. Or is it the unmatched calm and comfort of the Lindal home style, in stark contrast to life itself?

Given the fact that, like snowflakes, no two Lindal homes are identical, the secret to the classic's longevity

may well be the flexibility of the Lindal post-and-beam building system and its ability to respond to virtually every site and every homeowner's vision in varied architectural styles without sacrificing its predictability and efficiency.

Lindal recently embarked on the Lindal Architect Collaborative, where nine world renowned architects, including those from the Frank Lloyd Wright School of Architecture, have created some incredible and unique designs for their Lindal customers. These include modular homes and additional dwelling units. "These newly designed modular properties are the answer to those people in the oil and gas industry, or perhaps those who may want to move their more elderly parents to their own property," says Barb.

To top it off, Lindal guarantees their properties with the Lifetime Structural Warranty on every Lindal home.

To build your home, on your budget, your way, contact Lindal Cedar Homes by phone, email, or drop by for a visit.



Doug and Barb Pocha, owners  
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