

African Heritage House



The African Heritage House overlooking the Nairobi National Park is described by the prestigious *Architectural Digest* as "an architecture rising from the serene Kenyan plain like an outcropping of earth, a vision of usefulness informed by the African genius for decoration." Designed by American Alan Donovan, co-founder of the African Heritage Pan African Galleries, the house is a combination of the mud architectures from across Africa. Visits may be arranged to the house through travel agencies, hotels or telephone direct: 0721 - 518 389 or 045 22476. Email: ahalan@ africaonline.co.ke



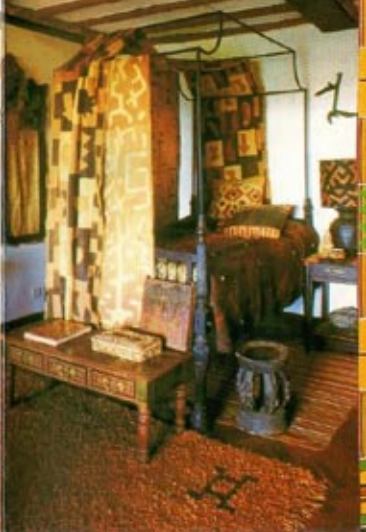
Above: Guest bedroom with Lamu style ceiling. Below: Living room.

Photos: Deidi van Schaeuwen.



Top: Painted walls in roof room. Above: Natural stones surround the guest bath.

Below: Mombasa bed with Bakuba cloth tapestries from Congo.

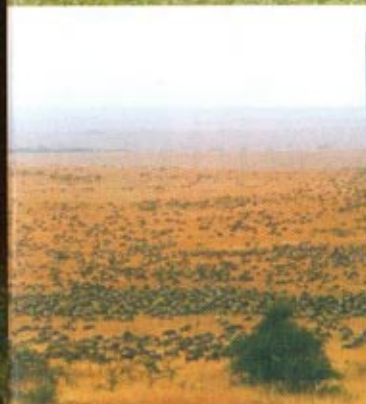
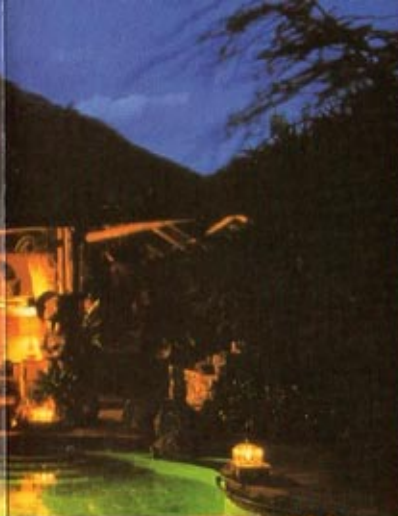
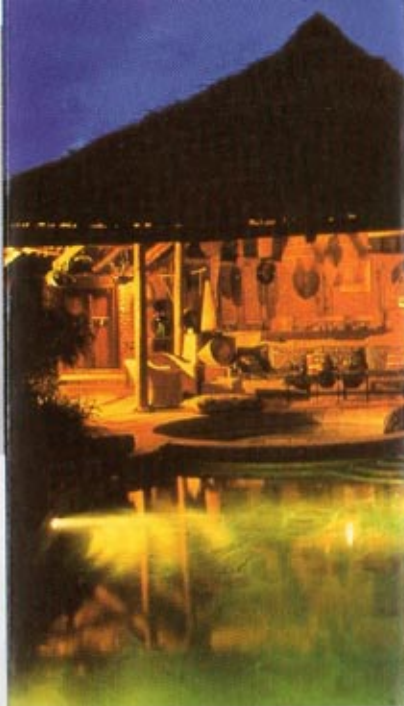


... "the most photographed house in Africa"



Photo: Henrik

Kenya's African Heritage Festival, a galaxy of authentic costumes, fashions, masks and textiles was founded by Alan Donovan in 1976. Now produced by Kenyan designer Makana Mwiraria, it has traveled around the world promoting African tourism and culture. Performances may be arranged at the African Heritage House or other venues. Tel: 020 890528/0722 952853.



Above: Through the Kenya Wildlife Service, Friends of the Nairobi National Park (FoNNaP), and other associations, there are programmes to save the the big cats and also preserve the age old migration corridor to the park. (photo of migration from African Heritage House, 1994) Photos: AD

Above: The pool house at night.
 Right : Pool house interior.
 Below Right: Roof top dining area over-
 looking the national park.
 Left: signed copies of Alan Donovan's
 memoirs, *My Journey Through African
 Heritage*, and other books featuring the
 house are available.

Photos: Deidí von Schaewen.

African Heritage House
 Breakfasts, lunches, dinners at pool or
 on roof top. Overnight stays may be
 arranged. Group visits by the original
 Kenya steam train may be organized
 with Kenya Railways. Helipad available.



My Journey Through
AFRICAN HERITAGE



ALAN DONOVAN

Map to African Heritage House

