SECRETS TO GREAT CURB APPEAL



▲ CREATE A SENSE OF SYMMETRY

Flanking the front door with shutters ties the entry to the rest of the facade and establishes it as the house's focal point. The custom door was built with plenty of windows to help compensate for the removal of an original transom. Jeremy antiqued the door and stained it a warm dark brown so it would pop against the neutral color of the shingles.



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▲ FORGE A NEW PATH Jeremy and David added two bluestone paths—one leading from the front door to the street and a second, perpendicular path (pictured above) connecting the entry and driveway. "The idea was that one walkway is used by guests and the other by David every day," Jeremy says. He created a less formal, graphic look by leaving spaces between the stones and filling them with sod. 51

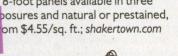
GET THE LOOK



Siding paint: Zinc (14-20) and Shutter and fence paint: Arrowroot (29-32); prattandlambert.com

Front gate: Gate Style #25, clear, dry, vertical-grain Western red cedar with interlocking mortise-and-tenon joinery, custom configuration and finishes, from \$1,200; prowellwoodworks.com

Shingle siding: Craftsman Cedar Shingle Panel, Keyway Style, clear, vertical-grain Western red cedar, 8-foot panels available in three osures and natural or prestained,



Door shutters:

OP. LAUREY W. GLENN, STYLING: MATTHEW GLEASON (2); PAINT AND SHINGLES: RALPH ANDERSON, STYLING: CAROLINE CUNNINGHAM; GATE: COURTESY PROWELL WOODWORKS; SHUTTER. COURTESY TIMBERLANE