



Victorian Jewel

A Facet of Owners' Personality

By J.M. Lacey

David and Mabry Brumbach manifest both charm and energy. Their flair for the creative is embodied in the minutest of details in their restored Victorian home. One cannot help but to be instantly drawn to historic grace upon climbing the first few steps at 912 Carpenter Street.

Both originally from the South — David from Georgia and Mabry from South Florida — they wanted to return to the area to be closer to family. Impressed with the coastal area, David felt Brunswick “had been undergoing a lot of renovation and the city itself was putting a lot of emphasis on this,” and they had “met a lot of eclectic people.” David explains they planned to reside in the historic district if they could

find something they would really want to hold onto for awhile. They wanted a home they could live in and felt that many of the residences for sale in the area had too many formal sitting areas. They found their Victorian on Carpenter during their last day of viewings. “[The house] was really laid out well for us. The way the bedrooms related to each other and the rooms that are here and how they function within each other. That was one of the primary reasons we decided to take this house.”

The Brumbachs purchased their Victorian home in 2002 and eventually sold their residence in Chicago. The blend of home and owner has been a perfect match.



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