



GEHRY RESIDENCE

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FRANK OWEN GEHRY, BORN FRANK OWEN GOLDBERG IS A CANADIAN-BORN AMERICAN ARCHITECT, RESIDING IN LOS ANGELES. HE WAS CREATIVE AT A YOUNG AGE, BUILDING IMAGINARY HOMES AND CITIES FROM ITEMS FOUND IN HIS GRANDFATHER'S HARDWARE STORE. FRANK WENT TO HARVARD AND AFTER THAT WENT TO CALIFORNIA AND MADE A NAME FOR HIMSELF WITH A CARDBOARD LINE NAMED "EASY EDGES". HE IS BEST KNOWN FOR HIS CHOICES OF UNUSUAL MATERIALS AND UNUSUAL FORMS WHEN HE CREATES A STRUCTURE



THE GEHRY RESIDENCE IS A PERSONAL REDEFINED HOME THAT FRANK GEHRY AND HIS WIFE BOUGHT AND REMODELLED. THE HOME IS LOCATED IN SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA. THE PROJECT YEAR WAS 1978. WHEN GEHRY FIRST MOVED INTO THE HOME HE KNEW HE HAD TO REDESIGN THE HOUSE. FRANK GEHRY DESIGNS USUALLY SYMBOLIZE DECONSTRUCTIVISM AND THIS IS WHAT HE WANTED TO PORTRAY IN THIS HOUSE. HE KEPT MOST OF THE HOUSE INTACT AND ADDED ON HIS OWN PIECES GIVING THE HOME A NEW AND UNIQUE STYLE.

