

COLORADO

DENVER, CO BLACKSMITH SHOP



Originally belonging to a Swedish blacksmith, this remarkable remodel by Design Platform forges ahead completely free of drywall, consisting entirely of existing brick, lumber, and birch veneer. The tall ceilings created a natural fit for a sleeping loft, and original Marvel brand kitchen cabinets bring the 1950s feel fully to life. Handmade decorative lath wall panels cover gaps in the brick wall, which used to house swinging barn doors (now outfitted as sliding privacy screens).

RATE: \$\$\$\$ • HOUSE: SLEEPS 13 • DISTANCE FROM DENVER: 0 MILES • SOURCE: [homeaway.com](#), property #p377014

DENVER, CO SUNLIT LOHI DUPLEX



Carefully renovated to update the original 1888 single-family house into a duplex, the end product of this local luxury loft blends old and new in a style that honors both. The 2,400-square-foot open plan features high ceilings and tall windows that soak the modern kitchen, front sitting room, and master bedroom in our 300 days of sunshine. Radiant heat in the winter and a swamp cooler in the summer keep the poured concrete floors throughout temperately cool year round. And feel free to bring Fido—for a small fee, the built-in kennel on the main floor connects to a separate outdoor dog run to accommodate your furry four-legged friend.

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DENVER, CO OPEN LOFT SPACE



Looking to reinvent your idea of a staycation? The previous permutations for this storied Barnum loft space include serving as a church, Masonic temple, and Mexican restaurant. Featured on HGTV and Apartment Therapy, we love the huge polymer soffit, eclectic decor, and salvaged baubles. From tickling the ivories on the upright piano or going for the high score on the skee-ball machine, fun never goes out of style.

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