WANTED SOMETHING sculptural," says interior designer Jeff Andrews of how Variations, his collection of wood floor and wallcoverings, created in collaboration with Nashville designer Jamie Beckwith of Jamie Beckwith Collection, evolved. But as he started sketching, Andrews, who like Beckwith has a background in dance, found his ideas turning in a much more dynamic direction. "I am constantly looking at interiors in terms of how a room is choreographed and

how life will move through it," says Andrews.

The final result is a myriad of patterns created by raking, etching, engraving, and

carving the wood into pieces that can be puzzled together in endless configurations, limited only by the imagination. Each motif is named after an aspect of movement: "With Angles," explains Andrews, "you can mix and match the colors. Forms can be placed together randomly or they can be fit together to create a continuous line." While the wood tiles, which are applied with glue, are geared toward floors and walls, the applications are endless. He's currently installing another pattern on a ceiling in place of paneling. Talk about dancing to one's own tune. —Abigail Stone



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