

Our System-Built Method **Vs** Conventional Method

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Our patented building system is more efficient: faster to design, draft, engineer, manufacture and build | No design framework, expensive to engineer, components vary on every project, more opportunity for mistakes |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Our system is predictable: We know where every part goes before your home is shipped | Construction is worked out in the field which can lead shortcuts being taken and mistakes being made |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Precision manufactured and crafted under controlled conditions | Materials are sized and cut in the field limiting their accuracy and increasing the chance of improper modification |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Built of hand selected, premium grade, kiln dried, Western Red Cedar and young growth engineered wood | Material quality is inconsistent and lacks oversight and rigorous inspection |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing process reduces waste and on-site labor. | Fabrication work is done in the field creating excessive waste and increased labor costs |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Post and Beam system is stronger and more durable than a conventional home | Conventionally built homes are made of less substantial framing components |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> We can accurately price your home in a few hours, not days or weeks | Pricing is complex because the parts and materials used are not standardized |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Our system allows for expansive, open floor plans and walls of glass | Conventionally framed homes require more supporting structure, restricting design flexibility |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Our homes are Energy Efficient in design and materials, tuned to take advantage of site characteristics and control solar gain | Conventional homes are typically designed with standard sized overhangs and oriented to face the street without consideration of environmental factors |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The industry's ONLY Lifetime Structural Warranty | Most conventional homes are warrantied for 1 year |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Designs available from world renowned architects such as Dowling Studios, David Vandervort and Bates Masi | Accessing leading architects would be impractical, expensive and difficult to achieve |



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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An exclusive offering of homes designed in collaboration with, and endorsed by, the Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation | This option is not available from conventional home builders |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> You can “live” in your house virtually, before it’s built, giving you a comprehensive understanding of the design | Usually only provide floor plans and elevations. If 3D is offered it’s usually clunky and not realistic |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fixed price model that protects you from market increases and material shortages during construction (no escalation clauses) | Escalation clauses designed to protect the builder by passing on price increases to you. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> More buying power means better pricing (over 50,000 homes built on 6 continents) | Smaller material discounts for small custom builders |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wood is the ultimate green building material - We practice reforestation by planting trees to replace the wood we use. | Sustainable practices are builder dependent |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Quick Ship designs arrive on site in as little as 8 weeks | Quick ship models are not offered |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4 design levels available: pre-designed plans, modified plans, full custom architect designed plans, we work with your architect | Typically only offer pre-designed plans or semi-custom designs |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Can be delivered and constructed on difficult sites (we deliver by truck, rail, and even helicopter) | Large, pre-made components like trusses, require large trucks to deliver and can be difficult to move to the job site |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> You are provided a personal representative and liaison between you and your builder ensuring quality and reducing your risk of going over time and over budget | You are responsible for keeping the builder on time and on budget |

Whether you’re building an 800 square foot cabin or a 5,000+ square foot dream home, our system built process will provide you with a seamless design-build experience, lifetime peace-of-mind, and unparalleled luxury.

