

## Barclay Butera for Castelle



### 11. The Back Porch

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One of the best things about living in a house—as opposed to a comparably sized apartment—is spending at-home time outside. To create this complete outdoor living space, Newport Beach, California, designer Barclay Butera chose coral, white, and blue powder-coated finishes for the furniture, then layered them with hard-wearing outdoor fabrics in a range of patterns.

**“There’s nothing wrong with buying an outdoor set, but add some personality,”** says the designer. Another trick: mixing real and faux outdoor plants. “Silk plants look so realistic now, and you don’t ever have to worry about watering them!” says Butera, which means more time actually lounging outside with a cocktail.

**Furnishings:** [Castelle](#). **Fabrics:** [Kravet](#). **Outdoor kitchen:** [Lynx](#). **TV:** [L.G.](#) **Rug:** [Jaipur Living](#). **Umbrella:** [California Umbrella](#). **Accessories:** [Napa Home & Garden](#).

### A Compact Kitchen

Thanks to this [Lynx](#) grill, pizza oven, and fridge, there’s no reason to go inside once the patio party starts.

