

Case Study 4 – Miller



Location: Melksham, Wiltshire
Kitchen Style: Solid Ash
Appliances: Various
Worktops: Special Laminate

Mr & Mrs Miller live in a rural area on the outskirts of Melksham. Their property is a lovely cottage situated off of a private lane, with stunning country views from the kitchen window. The kitchen they had was making the room very dark, and they wanted the new kitchen to really add light into the room.



We were recommended to Mr & Mrs Miller by a client we had previously installed a kitchen for. The main reason for a new kitchen was to make the room a lot lighter, as well as refresh the room in general.

We initially spoke on the phone to gauge what kind of kitchen was required - a light, simple door was the main request. Following this, we presented a selection of doors on our initial visit. The ranged from the plain, modern Gullwing Oak, to a Cream Shaker and a Maple Shaker. The initial choice was the plain modern door, but as the design developed and the clients looked further through the brochures, a solid wood door was more favourable.

Design wise, the basic areas of the kitchen were to remain similar to the old kitchen, but making more practical use of the space available. In one corner, the client had a freestanding fridge freezer which was eating into worktops space. As the client had requested a range style cooker, the fridge freezer moved into the Utility. In the new design, this allowed us to create enough space for the cooker, whilst providing more worktop space and a wall mounted microwave (Bosch).

To gain more practical storage, we suggested a tall pullout larder. This was something the client had seen in another kitchen of ours, and really wanted to incorporate this in their design. Of course, we happily obliged. We also used pullout mechanisms either side of the range cooker, and in one of the corner units.

As a final design feature, we designed in a breakfront sink area lining up with the window.









