



Built to last

Natural Stone was one of the first building materials employed to construct dwellings of distinction in Australia. Few Australians appreciate how much natural stone we have at our disposal. We are particularly fortunate to have substantial resources of sandstone, bluestone and granite.


The majority of the available sandstone is classic in regard to its appearance and composition.

The beau grey sandstone quarried and supplied by Stonehouse Creations for use in this exclusive residential development is decidedly different. Beau grey sandstone is a fine to medium grained sandstone with a lithic quartz arenite matrix.

This durable stone can be finished in a variety of ways, the surface can even be polished.

Beau grey sandstone is ideal for a wide variety of internal and external projects. Specifiers admire the stones uniform colour characteristics that enrich its potential as a contemporary building material.

The stone was employed extensively in the construction of 3 private houses built on 5 blocks of land. Over 260 square metres of stone was used as cladding, 100 square metres was utilised to build walls and a further quantity of stone was employed to form steps.

Readers can view additional examples of installed Beau Grey Sandstone in our interview with James Charwood which commences on page 64 

SPECIFICATIONS

Project:
Private Dwellings

Architect:
BDA

Landscape Architects:
FORM

Stone:
Beau Grey Sandstone

Supplier:
Stonehouse Creations

Builder:
James Wilder

Location:
Oyster Cove, Gold Coast,
Queensland