

SPOTLIGHT

Piedmont's **26 Sea View Avenue** is an architecture gem, once commissioned by billionaire **Stephen D. Bechtel Jr**, who led and co-owned Bechtel Corporation, the largest construction company in the United States. Designed in 1958 by **Gardner Dailey** — he is credited along with **William Wurster** with bringing modern architecture to Northern California — this mid-century modern classic was carefully restored and updated by architect **Mary Ann Schicketanz**.



Located on an unusually large 2.75-acre lot, the house features Dailey's signature modern moves — clean architectural lines, expansive use of glass and the relaxed flow of interior into exterior spaces.



Manicured gardens with mature trees create a serene setting for resort-like outdoor amenities such as a heated pool, cabana and tennis court.



The luxurious primary bedroom includes a sitting area that overlooks the garden and pool.



In the primary suite, the well-appointed bathroom features the same superior craftsmanship and finishes, as can be found throughout the house.



Offered at \$19,850,000, the 8,705-square-foot home has six bedrooms, five full baths and five partial baths, three fireplaces and generously sized gathering spaces — like this expanded and updated kitchen.