

# Budget-friendly DIY PROJECT GUIDE



transform your space  
and lifestyle without  
breaking the bank!

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What's  
inside!

this guide is packed with creative; low-cost diq projects to help you achieve brilliantly sustainable designs that reflect your style and purpose.



## DIY Wall Art: Personalize Your Space

1. painted canvases: use leftover paint or acrylics to create abstract art or scripture-inspired pieces.
2. framed fabric: stretch thrifted fabric with bold patterns over a wooden frame for instant décor.
3. upcycled frames: repaint old frames and fill them with pressed flowers; photos; or motivational quotes.

### Budget Tip:

find inexpensive frames and canvases at thrift stores or dollar stores.



## Furniture Flips: *Renew Old Finds*

1. painted furniture: a fresh coat of chalk paint can revive a dresser; table; or chair.
2. reupholstered seating: use fabric remnants or thrifted curtains to re-cover chairs or ottomans.
3. decoupage décor: add interest by gluing patterned paper to tabletops or drawers and sealing it with mod podge.





## *Budget Tip:*

look for free or low-cost furniture on platforms like facebook marketplace or local buy-nothing groups.



# Lighting Makeover: Brighten on a Budget

1. lampshade redo: transform an old lampshade with fabric; paint; or even woven rope for a boho look.



## Budget Tip:

shop for secondhand lighting at thrift stores and update it with a new look.

2. jar lights: use mason jars and battery-operated string lights to create cozy, affordable lighting.

3. pendant diys: upcycle a basket into a trendy pendant light fixture.

## *Budget Tip:*

look for crates and baskets at flea markets or secondhand shops.

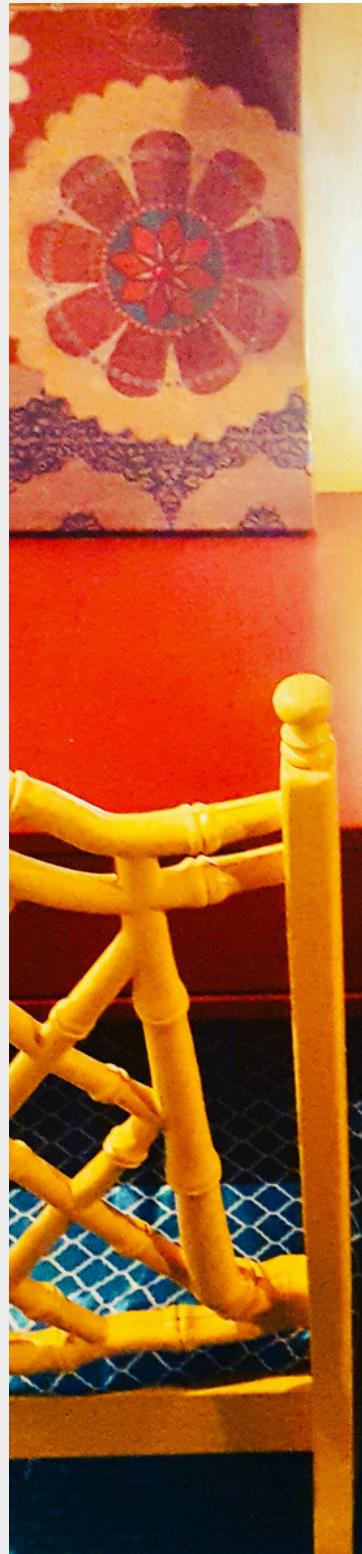
## *Storage Solutions: Stylish and Functional*

1. **crate shelves:** paint or stain wooden crates and stack them for modular shelving.
2. **baskets & bins:** repurpose baskets with a quick paint job or use them as wall-mounted storage.
3. **decorative jars:** clean and label old jars for chic kitchen or craft storage.



# Thrifted Décor: *Small Updates, Big Impact*

1. vase makeover: repaint or wrap thrifted vases in twine for a fresh look.
2. mirror frame revamp: transform an outdated mirror frame with metallic spray paint.
3. seasonal wreaths: create a custom wreath with faux florals; ribbon; and a grapevine base.





## *Budget Tip:*

keep an eye out for off-season sales and bulk craft supplies.





## Repurpose with Purpose: Functional Upcycling

1. ladder shelving: lean a thrifted ladder against a wall and use it to hang blankets or display books.
2. drawer trays: turn old drawers into serving trays by adding handles and painting or lining the bottom.
3. pallet projects: use pallets to build planters; coffee tables; or outdoor seating.

### Budget Tip:

ask local businesses for free pallets or old items they're discarding.



Remember, DIY isn't just about saving money—it's about using your creativity to reflect God's provision and purpose in your life. Let your projects tell a story of transformation and resourcefulness, just as He transforms us.

Ready to Begin?

*Let's turn your dreams into a brilliant reality!*



*Be Brilliant!*

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