

Creating a Cathedral Ceiling

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QUESTION




Is it possible to create a room with a ceiling that follows the pitch of the roof?

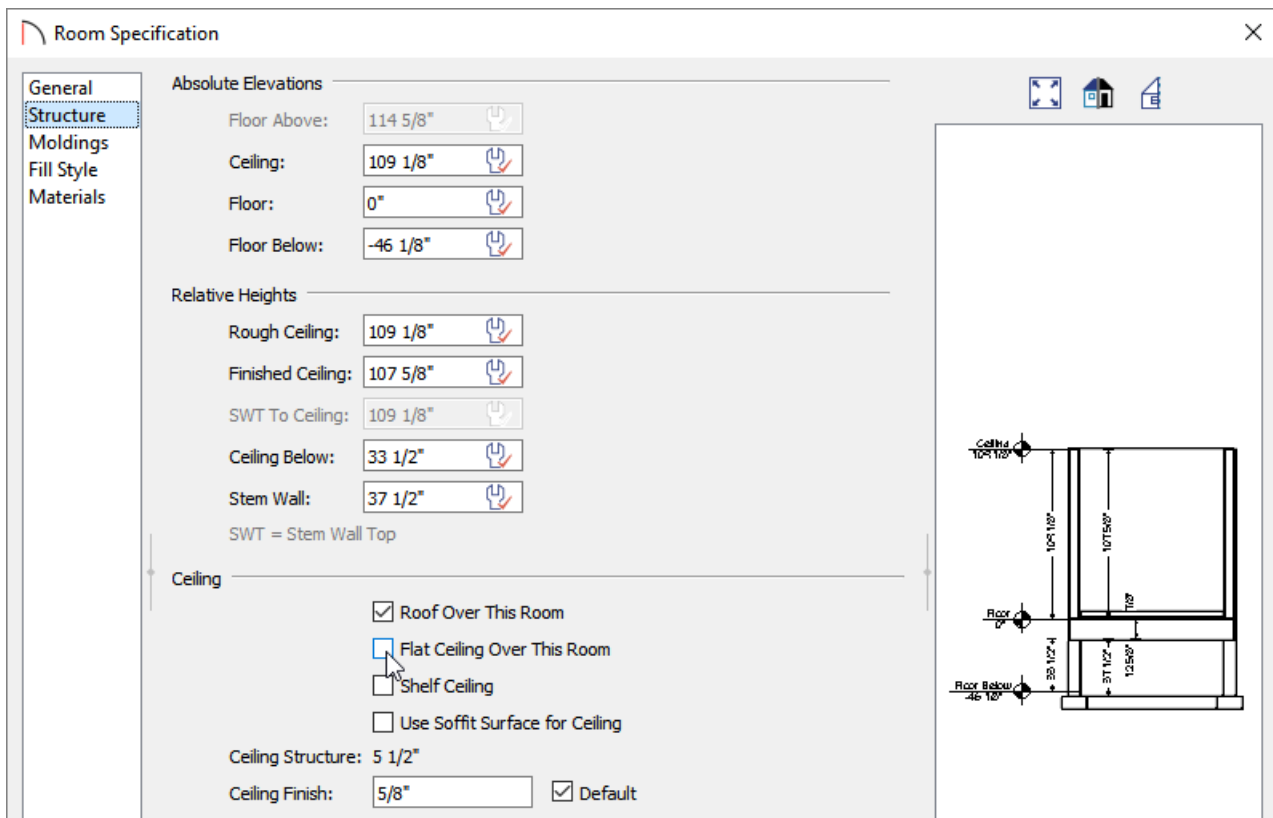



ANSWER

A ceiling that follows the underside of the roof is sometimes referred to as a cathedral ceiling, and can be created by disabling the flat ceiling setting within a room specification dialog.

To create a cathedral ceiling

1. Launch Home Designer and **Open**  the plan in which you would like to create a cathedral ceiling.
2. Using the **Select Objects**  tool, click inside of a room you want to have a cathedral ceiling, and select the **Open Object**  edit button.
3. On the **STRUCTURE** panel of the **Room Specification** dialog, uncheck **Flat Ceiling Over This Room**, then click **OK** to close the dialog and apply your change.



4. Create a **Camera**  view of your design to see that the view of that room will now show the underside of the roof, rather than a flat ceiling plane.

Note: In [Home Designer Pro](https://www.homedesignersoftware.com/products/home-designer-pro/) (<https://www.homedesignersoftware.com/products/home-designer-pro/>), you can create a vaulted ceiling using custom ceiling planes that do not match the pitch or shape of the roof above.

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