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The Problem Solvers



B1218 Plain in Polished
Nickel Silver



B1513 Hammertone in
Satin Nickel

ADEX Awards

Design Journal Magazine, the international trade publication for interior designers, architects and facility managers is the proud sponsor of the ADEX Awards. They have announced that Bates and Bates has won two prestigious awards for 2011. Platinum, the highest award, was presented to our P1218 in polished nickel. The Silver award, was presented to our B1513 in satin nickel.

These two sinks were introduced in our latest catalog. ADEX stands for Awards for Design Excellence and is the largest and most prestigious awards program for product design of furniture, fixtures and finishes marketed to the design trade.

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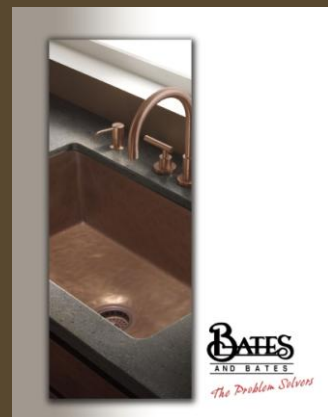
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Clarita Vessel Lavatory

Our next featured lavatory is our Clarita Vessel lavatory. This basin has an interesting story. Our partners in Mexico have a daughter named Clara. We designed a basin and named it after her. Unfortunately, this lavatory did not sell very well and it was discontinued.



Clarita Wild Bronze

Obviously, Clara was disappointed. As vessel lavatories began to appear on the market; we created a new vitreous china vessel. Clara, still disappointed about her discontinuation; asked us to please name our new lavatory after her. How could we refuse. To

make sure there was no confusion; we named the basin Clarita. Clara is now married and has a young son, Jacob. Jacob is a big hockey fan.



Clara and Jacob

The Clarita featured here, is glazed with our special, Wild Bronze glaze. This glaze was originally derived for artists to apply to their

artistic creations. We modified the glaze to bond with our proprietary vitreous china body. No two basins are exactly alike. The mark of Hand Craftsmanship.