The Country Club Hills Garden Club has awarded the Beauty Spot for September to Jerry and Barbara

Buckingham of 10001 Spring Lake Terrace.

The Buckingham's pristine white house is perfectly placed in its surroundings. It sits atop a green hill, evenly mowed, and so straight along the clean white driveway that it looks to have been "constructed" using a chalk line.

There are two tiers of deep green bushes along the house front, one of which we recognized as Cherry Laurel. A single smallish tree stands at midpoint between the bushes.

To the right of the house a Crepe Myrtle with Fuchsia blooms lends a bright note of color to the landscape; while down the hill a bit there is a cluster of Roses and Black-eyed Susans.

Was it Frank Lloyd Wright who coined the phrase, "Less is more?" We feel this to be so true of the Buckingham palace - beautiful!

Congratulations to Jerry and Barbara! We thank them for creating such a lovely addition to Country Club Hills.

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