

PARTNERS
WITH



A DIVISION OF HARDWOOD
LIFESTYLE COLLECTIONS



**GREEN
KNIGHTS™**

GUARDIANS OF YOUR
FAMILY AND HOME
ENVIRONMENT.

The image of the Green Knight is more than a symbol. It is a reflection of a principled lifestyle practiced by the members of both Jordan's & the CVW division of HLC. Environmental concerns for the welfare of the American family continue to increase in importance as many consumers sort through the abundant selection of both furniture & furnishings being offered for household use in today's marketplace.

New laws continue to be enacted for broader consumer protection. As a result, consumers are more cognizant of the emerging concerns for health & safety which factors into your decision at the time of purchase. These concerns are especially prevalent with the trend toward the utilization of composites in building materials, the increased use of synthetic vs. natural fibers, the universal appeal of hardwood floors, expanded millwork & cabinetry, and the fact that many off shore products provided by foreign manufacturers are not constrained by environmental regulations in a manner that is equitable to that which domestic producers are subjected.

Unlike many foreign manufacturing competitors, our production facilities do not tap into the sophisticated electric grid system to utilize power generated from fossil fuel (coal fired) plants. As a result, giant smokestacks belching black toxic waste and sulphur oxide emissions do not frequent our landscapes. Frequently, more power is required to cool industrial plants during the year than to heat the facility. Our craftsmen do not utilize air conditioners.

OUR FINISHES ARE EPA LOW VOC AND HAPS COMPLIANT. The term HAPS refers to hazardous air pollutants. Volatile Organic Compounds react with sunlight to form ground level ozone.

HLC members diligently research finishes to avoid products that do not meet the standards that afford maximum protection to our workers, retailers, homeowners & their families. Our finishes are Kitchen Cabinet and Manufacturers Association (KCMA) approved & FDA certified. Imported products containing lead have on numerous occasions failed these standards, posing a risk to the health of American consumers.

Members of the HLC use low formaldehyde plywood to satisfy the concerns of indoor air quality & maintain safe air environments for both private homes & commercial establishments. HLC products made by the Green Knight Guardians are compliant with the stringent California Air Resources Board (CARB) standards.

Oak, hickory, maple, beech, birch & cherry still dominate our forests in the north. Over the last 50 years, timber growth in America has generally exceeded removals.

We believe you can actively practice conservation & still be competitive.

We believe you can meet the environmental needs of the world community and still satisfy the desires of the astute American consumer.

We believe it is possible to be good stewards of nature and still utilize the natural resources that God has so abundantly granted us in the Americas.

We believe there is still room for continuous improvement but... we're pleased with our position and progress. Compared to imported goods you can enjoy your HLC products with pride... **and the best way to go with Green products is go with the red, white & blue products made under Old Glory.**