



Celebrating 50 Years

Innovation / Experience / Integrity

A History of Innovation in the Tile Industry

For 50 years, FinPan, Inc. has been bringing innovative building products to the tile industry. FinPan has been at the forefront of manufacturing leading edge products that have changed the way tile installations are performed. With a commitment to quality and sound installation processes, FinPan has proven to offer contractors and homeowners alike, products that are simple to install, save labor and provide years of dependable performance in managing water in wet areas.

FinPan was established in 1975 to mass produce the first concrete backer board on the market, WonderBoard®. Our founder, Theodore Clear, invented and patented the continuous manufacturing process for a board that changed the way tile installations were done. Today, FinPan offers our original Util-A-Crete® and ProTEC™ Concrete Backer Boards along with the PreFormed® line of prefabricated waterproof shower pans, Niches, seats, curb overlays, slopes and more. In fact, FinPan was the first company to introduce the one-piece prefabricated foam Niche back in 1999. FinPan also offers TI-ProBoard Structural Ribbed Self-Supporting Boards for tiling decks. TI-ProBoard attaches directly to deck joists and is recognized in the Tile Council of North America Handbook. One of our newest products, ClearPath Curbless Shower System, has changed the way contractors can build a zero-entry shower without modifications to the floor system.

FinPan's 50-year journey as a leading manufacturer in the tile industry is a testament to the legacy of Ted and Mary Lou Clear. Today, FinPan is led by third generation family members Ryan Schaffer and Jason Clear. With a wide range of quality products, state-of-the-art production facilities and a customer focused approach, FinPan continues to shape the industry through innovation and an eye for the future. As the construction industry continues to evolve, FinPan remains at the forefront, providing waterproofing solutions that meet the needs of the industry.

To see how you can become part of our ongoing journey, contact us for more information on how and your team can become a distributor.

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A History of Innovation

Since 1975 when we invented the continuous manufacturing process for concrete backerboard to introducing the original one-piece PreFormed Niche in 1999, we've had a long history of product innovations that have helped change the way tile installations are performed.

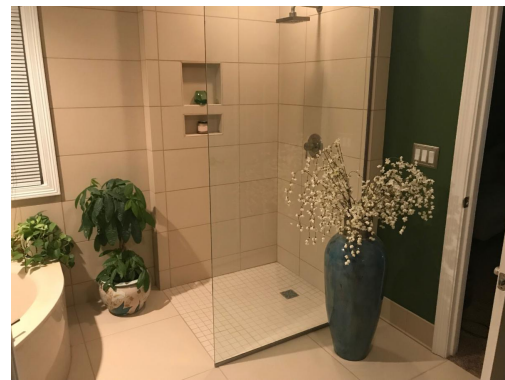


Where It All Started

Here's a picture, circa 1975, of the original production crew and the first pallet of Util-A-Crete that rolled off the line. That's Ted Clear himself, second to the left, standing with the original production crew.

Util-A-Crete and ProTEC Concrete Backerboard are offered in lengths other than traditional 60". Boards are also available in 48", 64" and 96" specifically designed to fit on 16" o.c. framing. Along with our polyurethane approved joint and fastener treatment, we make installations faster and with less jobsite waste.

Both Util-A-Crete and ProTEC are also one of the easiest boards on the market to cut. Simply "Score-&-Snap" with a utility knife and straight edge. Our fiberglass mesh with enhanced mesh count on the edges cuts easily



Curbless Appeal

We now have over a decade of success and experience with the ClearPath Curbless Shower System. ClearPath changed the way barrier-free shower pans could be constructed and is another innovative product introduced to the market by FinPan.

ClearPath is an innovative way to achieve a barrier-free entry without modifications to the floor joists. The foundation of the system is TI-ProBoard. TI-ProBoard is a composite structural underlayment that offers the ability to install ClearPath directly on top of the floor joists.

Once installed, simply float a mudbed on top of TI-ProBoard to the surrounding floor area. Let cure and come back over it with the WaterArmor® Waterproofing Sheet Membrane to lock water out.

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Intersect"*

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