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## Shunyam Mundhava

A residence is designed for a joint family having four generations living together.

Solid floating cantilever walls detached from the main structural block are provided allowing light and ventilation from its sides, roof and floor. The walls being thick also help to cut the direct solar gain, while helping from inside to evenly reflect the entering indirect light.

Light weight structural elements like stair, pergolas, canopies, skylights made in steel, glass and wood are complementing to the main structure.

Most of the built in furniture is used as dividers and screens between various spaces, while avoiding unnecessary walls. Doors are used as translucent screens to celebrate the use of natural and artificial light during day and nights.

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