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Bamboo is Beautiful

This fast-growing grass makes a beautiful, eco-alternative material for many things you use every day. Companies like the Seattle, Washington-based Teragren make bamboo flooring by gluing together thin strips of bamboo with non-toxic adhesives. The result looks strikingly like hardwood and is quite durable. In fact, it's strong enough for furniture, such as the collection at Crate & Barrel.