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Assignment: Study the biological and natural attributes of the Lilac-Breasted Roller, re-imagine it as a human, and design them a home. December 2021

This design incorporates key characteristics of the Lilac-Breasted Roller:

Circular floor plan - reflects the males' protective flight patterns, circling their nests

Central courtyard - symbolizes the tree hollows they use for nesting

Three bedrooms - accommodates the average clutch size of 2–4 birds

Ground-floor patio - represents their diet of ground-dwelling insects

Second-floor balcony - serves as a lookout point, echoing the habit of perching high in trees to scout for food