



**My Greek tragedy:** passing up anything by Athenian goldsmith Ilias Lalaounis. *Lalaounis 1970s Hammered Gold cuff bracelet*, Eric Originals & Antiques Ltd.



**I don't send emojis, I wear them,** keeping potent, protective ram's heads close to my heart. *Zolotas Ram's Head necklace*, M.S. Rau Antiques.



**My link bracelets follow a strict chain of command:** brunch wear, ballroom heirloom. This high-wattage find fits all three. *Cartier Vintage Diamond Panther bracelet*, Briony Raymond.



**I love the chase,** and anything by the famously elusive art jeweler Joel Rosenthal is my siren song. *JAR Lavender Jade and chrysoprase earrings*, 1stDibs.



**I've ditched the power suit.** A brooch by vanguard Suzanne Belperron—the Chanel of 20th-century jewelers—quiets my critics. *Vintage Pyramide brooch*, Belperron.



**A lady who lunches, I am not.** These glitzy pearls with turquoise and diamonds are for staying out until the street lamps go off. *For Future Reference Vintage 1900s Pearl bracelet*, Bloomingdale's South Coast Plaza.



Do I collect gold? How cute. No, this old soul is wise to the ancient power of jade. *Mahar Collection Nard 1970s Jade necklace*, Abask.

# What Kind of JEWELRY COLLECTOR Are You?

For ace treasure hunters and ingenues alike, the pleasure is as much in the seeking as it is in the wearing. Here, the **antique and vintage finds** behind today's hottest pursuits.

**I delight in a nimble design,** like this Cartier brooch pair that can be clipped together and worn as one. *Cartier Platinum Diamond Double Clips brooch*, Lauren DeYoung Jewelry.



**Hand-engraved metalwork is my love language,** the mystical motifs reading like shimmering sonnets. *Victorian French Seed Pearl Gold Buckle bangle*, Croghan's Jewel Box.



**I make my own luck,** locking in on coveted Van Cleef designs, like an Alhambra necklace made with hard stones like malachite or turquoise. *Vintage Alhambra necklace*, Van Cleef & Arpels.

**I forge my own path,** like third-generation jeweler Marina Bulgari, who left a family empire to build her own. *Marina B Citrine, onyx, and diamond ring*, 1stDibs.



**I'm a wild child sophisticate** for whom David Webb's iconic Kingdom collection, introduced in 1957, is ne plus ultra. *David Webb Zebra Enamel Diamond bracelet*, The Back Vault.



**I collect cameos the way Gen Zers rack up selfies—with feverish gusto** (this diamond-studded score is going on the 'Gram). *Antique Agate Cameo brooch*, FD Gallery.

