
Pearls Are Perfect Gems For Jewellery

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In the Ancient China people believed the pearls would help to improve sexual energy, enhance sight, and heal the diseases of the ears. According to the legend, the pearls appear from the early dew which was considered to be the tears of the goodness of love. The pearls could give its bearers the foreseeing gift, save from the risky deals and from the evil eye.

The oysters emit the calcite and the mussels emit the aragonite. On the outside surface there is a zone where the calcareous is being produced in a form of the little scales which then are formed into the nacre. In this way the shell consists from the three layers which grow and develop constantly and simultaneously to the growth of an oyster or a mussel.

When the shell is damaged, the epithelium is capable of re-producing all three layers in the correct order. The valve folds of the shell are connected by a strong muscle which when being relaxed opens the shell in order to obtain the food from the water.

Any univalve or bivalve shellfish is capable to produce a pearl, but the types of the molluscs used in our food rarely have even a smallest pearl. Two types of the shellfish produce particularly many pearls- pearl oysters Pinctada and pearl mussels. Only these two types provide enough pearls to make the search for them a successful business. From the ancient times the Persian Gulf, the shores of the southern Arabian, Manaar bay on the northern-west of the Ceylon were the places for the pearls production. It is still true even nowadays, the major share of the pearls on the markets come for the Persian Gulf.

The Red See used to be a place for the massive pearl production, but nowadays the pearls became a rarity in this area. Australia (North and the North-West) is nowadays rapidly becoming a new very rich zone for the pearls production. Other place rich with the pearls are Mergui Archipelago, South Burma, islands Tahiti, other Pacific islands, New Guinea, Kalimantan, Mexican Gulf, shores of Venezuela, California bay and the Western shore of the South America. Japan also has pearls, but there the artificial pearls manufacturing is more popular.

The Romans used to find the pearls in the rivers of England; one of such pearls from the river Conway is now embedded into British royal jewellery. The pearls from the Irish Mountain Rivers used to be highly valued in Europe. Nowadays only in the rivers of Bavaria and Northern America the pearls are still systematically fished for.

The pearls consist of many minerals which however are not shaped into a single crystal, but are rather a conjunction of many little crystals. Therefore, the pearl can have many different and often quite sophisticated shapes.

The shape of the pearl depends upon its position in shell. When some foreign item gets inside, it will be covered by the nacre and this makes a bubbly pearl. The particles can get inside through the space between the valve and if one specially makes the holes in the valves. Those could be sand, little pieces of the shells or insets.

If a particle gets insider via a hole in a valve, that might lead to the creation of rather a big bubbly pearl. The colours of the pearls found in the nature are mostly white; less often one can find the pearls with the rose, blue or green

colouration.

The best pearls in the terms of shape are in the bodies of the shellfish. A particle makes a dent in the mantle tissue. The dent will deepen and will have a spherical shape. The annual rate of the pearl forming is 2,30 mm in the first year and after that 0,38 each year and is mostly constant over the years. The pearl might not have a round form if the particle was oddly shaped or if the dent happened to close to the mantle and was also constrained by the outside pressure.

The pearls from the Persian Gulf are usually called Eastern pearls. There are different categories of pearls based-round, baroque, bubbly, seed, drop. The round pearls are mostly valued. The pearls of the especially big size are often called paragon pearls.

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Wedding Pearls: What Makes Them Great Wedding Jewelry Choices?

By Matthew Stanton

Every girl dreams of the perfect wedding. And why not? One's wedding day is one of the most memorable days of one's life. It is also a day witnessed by most, if not all, of the most important people in your lives. It is both a formal function that marks a transition, as well as a celebration for the unity of hearts. It comes as no surprise, then, that one wedding day often requires months to prepare. This is because there are a lot of details to consider for a wedding event.

There is the venue, the reception, the decor, the invitations, the guests. And then there is the one aspect of the wedding day that focuses on the bride, her wedding clothing ensemble. The bride's wedding ensemble focuses on the gown, the shoes and the jewelry. The gown is the gist of her whole ensemble, and her wedding jewelry is the one that will make it stand out all the more.

In terms of picking for the wedding jewelry, the bride's first consideration is always the jewelry material that would best look with her outfit. The term wedding jewelry does not stop with the bride, though. It can also refer to the items that the participants of a wedding ceremony are to wear. In the case that the bride wants to provide for the jewelry pieces of her bridesmaids, she can do so in consideration of the type of gown they are wearing and in some cases, the personality of each of her bridesmaids.

However, the wedding day is the bride's day, as well as the groom's, and the most careful considerations in picking out the jewelry should be focused on the most fitting for the bride. One of the most popular types of jewelry that a bride dons on her wedding day is the wedding pearls.

When I hear the word pearls, I always think about them in terms of being gathered from the sea, protected by a clam-like shell. I think I base this vision on the number of animated movies I have watched when I was younger, portraying pearls in that light.

When I do see pearls, the first word that I can describe them with is elegant. There is something simple yet very elegant about the nature of pearls. This is the type of jewelry that will probably turn an already classy dress into a couture one. For the wedding day, the wedding pearls can be sufficient to make the bride glow as she walks down the aisle. I have said before that the pearls are one of the most popular wedding jewelry materials there is, and I would like to explore the reasons why.

The heirloom.

Your wedding day is where your mother and father give you in the care of the man you love, and there are usually cases where one of your parents passes on an item to you that have been with the family for generations. With regards to jewelry, the wedding pearls are one of the most common heirlooms. This is probably one of the reasons why pearls are popular pieces that a lot of brides wear with their gowns.

The simply elegant factor.

Pearls are subtle in their beauty, that is what makes them perfect in enhancing what they ought to enhance. In the case of the bride, they would be perfect in making her and her gown look even more beautiful. Pearls have this simply elegant factor that makes them great complements as jewelry.

Wedding pearls may not be fancy in nature, but they more than make up for it by the subtle beauty that they add to your look as you walk down the aisle.

Matthew Stanton writes an article about Wedding Pearls which will give you ideas how this elegant jewelry will highlight your looks on your wedding day. Simply visit this website at http://www.silverlandjewelry.com/pearl_jewelry_sets.html

How to definitions of your Black Pearls

By shecypearljewelry

When mentioning black pearls, people tend to imagine those pearls which in real black. But in pearls industry, black pearls are kind of pearls in a wide range color. In fact, there are few pearls that are as real black as we know. Normally, black pearls can be green, grey, blue, black, peacock, Champagne and red.

Various pearl overtones also make black pearls in magical appearance, like metal, moon, rainbow etc.

The only pearl that owns real natural black body color is south sea pearl. Considering black south sea pearl is so special and is only growing in sea area of French Polynesia, people give these south sea pearl of natural black an exclusive name Tahitian Pearls.

There are also treated black pearls. Freshwater, Akoya pearls are born to be pink, white or even lavender. But they have smaller diameter which can be fitted in some special jewelry design. Black south sea pearls, on the other hand, (Tahitian pearls) are normally larger than 8mm. So if we want to make a piece of jewelry that only use small size and want to apply black pearls in the design. Jeweler will choose treated black pearls. The beautiful overtone of pearls also become more charming after being treated as black pearls because black is a good background color that can better set off pearls metal-like overtone.

Furthermore, treated black pearls make mysterious black pearl jewelry more tangible. Treated black freshwater or akoya pearls fulfill jewelry designers originality in some kind of tangible way for jewelry lover.

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