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★ *Antique Appeal*

✦ The trend for classic pieces that look as though a rich has looked kindly on you in her will, will never go out of style.

✦ Cluster rings, chandelier earrings, a narrow eternity bracelet made from tiny precious stones... these don't need to have been made in the last century to feel vintage.

✦ The trick here is to focus on one beautiful item at a time. Unless the Queen is your sartorial hero, then less is more: choose a fabulous pair of earrings and forgo a necklace altogether. Edit well and you will still look modern.

Soraya Young, 46, is an IT company director
 'I own at least 20 Annina Vogel pieces [anninavogel.co.uk]. I buy for myself but also for my daughters and now they've started buying her jewellery too. It's so individual and special, plus there's a sense of memory and history to everything. My favourite has to be a beautiful flower diamond ring. It really gets you noticed!'



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★ *Love & Peace*

✦ Hippie trippy symbols are back (remember those CND pendants you used to buy?). It's just that this time, there is more real gold.

✦ Anything from the word 'love' scripted out and hung from a delicate chain, to a sapphire and diamond 'evil eye' (meant to ward off bad spirits) or a simple heart and arrow looks good when made in precious materials.

✦ This trend is for fun; hang charms from one bracelet or layer several little necklaces together like they do in India.

Alice Troutman, 30, runs up-and-coming fashion label Narcissa (narcissa.eu)
 'My love of jewellery was sparked by a 1990s dark blue, sapphire ring from my grandmother, while my current favourite piece is an 'evil eye' pendant by Vanessa Kandiyoti [vanessakandiyoti.com] and I love everything by Zina S Spurling [zinas-spurling.com].'



★ *Stacking*

✦ Why wear just one ring, when six will do the job so much better? Ditto a bangle. Wear enough bracelets to that others can hear you coming.

✦ Stacking rings are about the mismatched sparkle. Choose rings with tiny stones and wear them with others, including a knuckleduster in the middle.

✦ Use this trend to inject colour into your jewellery selection.

Jessamy Callagher, 38, is a lawyer in the City
 'I'm not a necklace person so the Annoushka stacking rings appeal to me. The colours are amazing. I recently bought myself a beautiful antique-looking amethyst ring. To me, it's a real 'future heirloom' piece and something to be passed down to my daughter. At work I have to be quite conservative, but at the weekends I'm much more bohemian.'