

vintage vixen

Create a vintage-inspired bridal look from head to toe with these six must-have pieces.

1 *the crystal bouquet* Looking for a “green” bouquet in the true sense of the word? Look no further than these exquisite French beaded roses with Austrian crystal rhinestone accents and gold beaded leaves. Unique and eco-friendly to boot, this bouquet won’t fade or lose its petals—so don’t go tossing it away! \$445, DESIGNED BY STELLA MAZZA FOR **KATONGIOVI CRYSTAL COLLECTION**, KATONGIOVI.COM.



2 *the sexy shift* This sassy little number, as shown in Oscar de la Renta’s Spring 2008 bridal collection, calls to mind some of the greatest style icons of the 1950s and 1960s, Jackie O and Grace Kelly included. In silk brocade with an exaggerated asymmetrical cowl neck, this sleek, sophisticated dress is thoroughly elegant and modern, with a stylish nod to the past. **OSCAR DE LA RENTA**, OSCARDELARENTA.COM.

3 *the peep-toe pump* Your wedding day is the perfect opportunity to splurge on a pair of designer shoes—especially when they’re as breathtaking as this chic pair. In ornate gold brocade with amber-coloured jewels on the toe, these stunning d’orsay pumps wouldn’t be out of place on the feet of Marie Antoinette herself. \$898, **MANOLO BLAHNIK** AT **BROWNS**, BROWNSSHOES.COM.



4 *the flirty headband* For those of you with non-traditional taste, a quirky headband is a great alternative to the tried and true tiara and veil combo. This retro style is the perfect complement to any hairdo from a casual chignon to loose, flowing locks. \$53, **OPHELIE HATS**, OPHELIEHATS.COM.



5 *the detailed handbag* Make a style statement with a girly handbag, like this hand-dyed satin pouch with silk flowers, and don’t be afraid of incorporating colour—a deep blush shade is absolute perfection. Bonus: this eco-chic bag is made from discarded vintage bags, which are given a new lease on life! \$325, **DRAMA QUEEN DESIGNS**, DRAMAQUEENDESIGNS.COM.



6 *the classic cameo* Cameos are a beautiful reminder of bygone eras, and this delicate bracelet is good for the environment, too! Crafted from recycled pieces of vintage jewellery, this unique piece is the perfect something old and something new. \$72, **VINTAGE BLING**, VINTAGEBLING.CA.



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