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## Did You Know?

This season's newest fashion trend is the mix matching of multiple rings. Designed in a multitude of colored metals, featured with or without diamonds and colored gemstones, wearing a variety of different styles on multiple fingers is sure to create a trendy, high fashion statement.

### June Birthstones

**Pearl.** Pure white pearls have for thousands of years been viewed as a statement of taste and refinement, as well as a symbol of perfect purity. Pearls are often given to celebrate the birth of a child and are thought to bring a happy marriage to those of June birth. **Alexandrite.** June's alternate birthstone is famous for its ability to change color, appearing green by day and red at night. It is a rare and expensive gemstone, symbolic of joy and good fortune.

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## Turn Runway Fashion Into Everyday Wear



**W**hether you are dressed in a black evening gown or in your favorite pair of blue jeans, the jewelry trending on spring runways and donned by celebrities on red carpets are not only fit for an elegant evening, but can also work well with an everyday wardrobe.

Celebrities have long influenced our jewelry selections, and while today's average women can't always afford to wear designs from the likes of Harry Winston or Fred Leighton, their designs have provided inspiration for a more unique and inexpensive alternative for an everyday wardrobe.

Colorful, affordable gemstones glittering on earlobes offer a basic, yet personalized

statement, and today are stealing the show from the popular diamond stud. Oversized drop earrings and ear cuffs of any metal will add an edginess to your everyday, go-to ensemble.

That 10 carat diamond and emerald necklace we all drooled over can easily be replaced with an affordable, colored gem and diamond station necklace or a simple lariat with dangling drops in yellow, white or rose gold.

And, don't forget the bold fashion statement ring or popular cuff to accent from wrist down. Whether karat gold or sterling silver, encrusted with pavé diamonds or giant center stones, these are all spring fashion must-haves.

BIRTHSTONES OF  
THE MONTH:

Pearl



Alexandrite



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