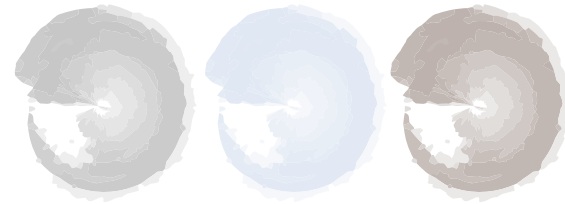


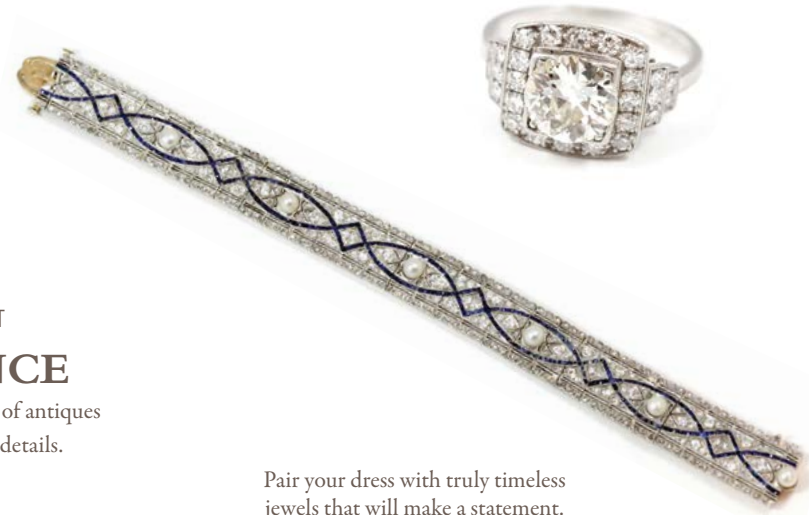


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COLOR FORECAST

We will see a lot of cream, taupe, soft blue, soft gray and ivory - less brash colors.

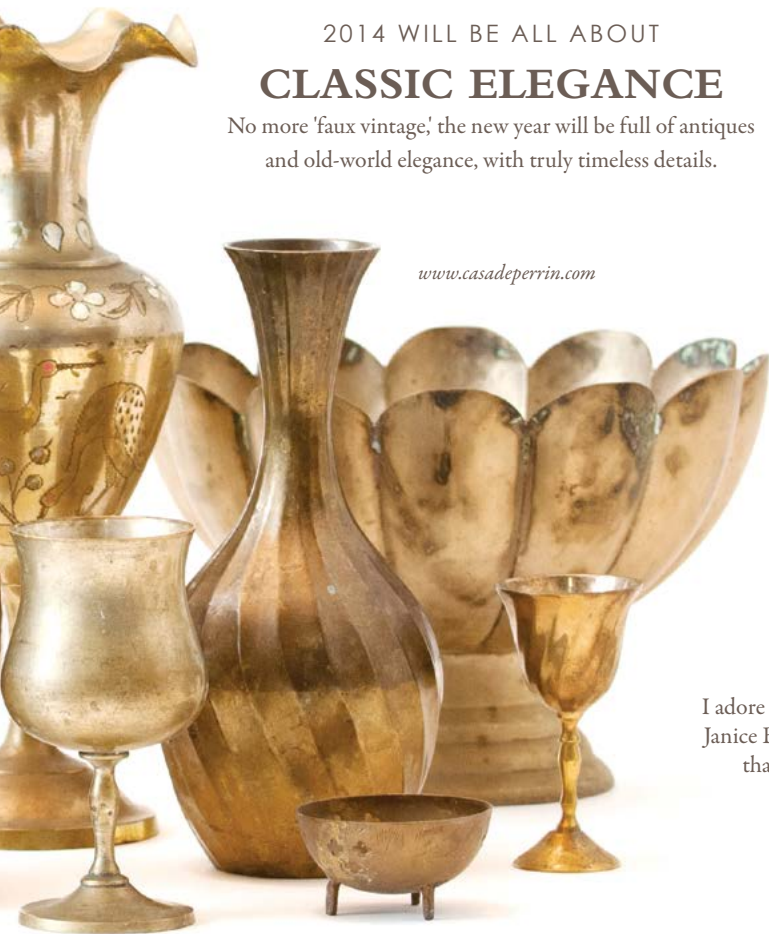


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Without a detailed timeline, 'to do' list and 'to bring' list, your event is doomed to failure. You must be prepared, organized and on task if you want to have a great wedding! Remember, God is in the details!