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# MAGNIFICENT JEWELS & THE CALIFORNIA SUNSET DIAMONDS AND

### **JEWELS ONLINE**

Featuring a Dazzling Array of Rare Colored Diamonds, Important Colored Stones and Signed Jewels from Notable Collections





#### COLORED DIAMOND RING

Fancy deep pink round brilliant-cut diamond of 1.35 carats, 18k rose gold Estimate: \$100,000 - 150,000



#### A SENSATIONAL PAIR OF COLORED DIAMOND AND DIAMOND EARRINGS

Fancy vivid orange-yellow oval mixed-cut diamonds of 12.20 and 11.96 carats, oval brilliant-cut diamonds of 3.03 and 3.02 carats, marquise brilliant-cut diamonds of 0.73 and 0.73 carat, round diamonds, platinum and 18k rose gold Estimate: \$7,000,000-12,000,000

#### A SUPERB COLORED DIAMOND RING

Fancy vivid blue cushion modified brilliant-cut diamond of 3.49 carats, brushed platinum Estimate: \$4,500,000 - 5,500,000

**NEW YORK** — Christie's is pleased to announce <u>Magnificent Jewels</u>, a live sale that will take place at Rockefeller Center on December 6, and the concurrent <u>Jewels Online</u> which will be open for bidding from 28 November to 8 December.

Magnificent Jewels, Christie's final live jewelry auction of 2023, will offer striking colored diamonds in a dazzling array of hues, impressive white diamonds, and richly saturated colored stones. In addition to covetable gemstones, the sale features signed jewels from a variety of makers including Buccellati, Bulgari, Cartier, David Webb, Graff, Harry Winston, Jean Schlumberger, Oscar Heyman & Brothers, René Boivin, Tiffany & Co., Van Cleef & Arpels, and Verdura. Magnificent Jewels

will feature property from the Collection of Adolphus Andrews, Jr. and Emily Taylor Andrews, the Collection of Margaret Thompson Biddle, the Collection of Ivan and Genevieve Reitman, the Collection of Julian and Josephine Robertson, and Property from a Distinguished Palm Beach Collection including an impressive 42.97 carat **Graff Diamond Ring** (\$500,000 – 700,000).

The sale includes a 'Reclining Lion' brooch by René Boivin (\$300,000 – 500,000) from the Collection of Julian and Josephine Robertson. One of the houses most recognizable motifs, this particular brooch is set with variously shaped diamonds in multi-colored hues and an emerald mane, representing an opportunity for collectors to acquire an exceedingly rare and important example of this iconic design.

Leading the sale are the **California Sunset Diamonds**, featuring a rare pair of fancy vivid orange-yellow diamonds of 12.20 and 11.96 carats (\$7,000,000-12,000,000). Other important lots include a Kashmir sapphire ring of 8.91 carats, by Tiffany & Co. (\$700,000-1,000,000), a Burmese ruby and diamond ring of 7.31 carats (\$1,000,000-2,000,000) and a Colombian emerald ring of 9.13 carats (\$200,000-300,000).

Furthermore, the sale will showcase signed jewelry from the Collection of Margaret Thompson Biddle, which includes a **Cartier Emerald, Diamond, and Ruby Brooch** featuring carved emeralds, cabochon rubies, and diamonds circa 1945 (\$200,000-300,000) and a **Chaumet Art Deco Tiara** circa 1930 (\$50,000 – 70,000). Another highlight is from the Ivan & Genevieve Reitman: A Life in Pictures collection, a **Fancy Intense Yellow Diamond Ring** of 12.03 carats (\$100,000-150,000) and a Diamond Ring of 9.37 carats (\$250,000-\$350,000).

Sales will continue with Jewels Online, featuring a curated selection of fine jewelry, perfect for the holiday season. The sale will include cufflinks, diamond rings, and designs from renowned houses such as Buccellati, Cartier, David Webb, Harry Winston, Jean Schlumberger, Marina B, Tiffany & Co., Van Cleef & Arpels, Verdura, and more. With over 300 lots across various price points, many lots are offered without reserve. The sale will open for bidding from November 28 through December 8.

Highlights from the collection will be in Hong Kong from November 23 to November 27. The sales will be on view in New York from December 1 through December 5.

- 1 December, 10:00 AM 6:00 PM
- 2 December, 10:00 AM 5:00 PM
- 3 December, 10:00 AM 5:00 PM
- 4 December, 10:00 AM 6:00 PM
- 5 December, 10:00 AM 5:00 PM

#### Select Highlights | Magnificent Jewels | 6 December 2023



Property from a Distinguished Palm Beach Collection AN IMPRESSIVE GRAFF DIAMOND RING 42.97 carats, J color, SI1 clarity

Estimate: \$500,000 - 700,000

Property from the Collection of Adolphus Andrews, Jr. and Emily Taylor Andrews VAN CLEEF & ARPELS MULTI-GEM AND DIAMOND BRACELET

Circa 1970 Estimate: \$50,000-70,000



Property from the Collection of Margaret Thompson Biddle AN IMPORTANT CARTIER EMERALD, DIAMOND AND RUBY BROOCH Circa 1945

Circa 1945 Estimate: \$200,000 – 300,000



Important Jewels from an American Collector **DIAMOND NECKLACE**Estimate: \$120,000-180,000



AN IMPORTANT
BURMESE RUBY AND DIAMOND RING

7.31 carats Estimate: \$1,000,000 - 2,000,000



Property from a Private Family Collection TIFFANY & CO., LOUIS COMFORT TIFFANY MULTI-GEM PENDANT-NECKLACE

Circa 1915 Estimate: \$50,000-70,000



Property from the Collection of Julian and Josephine Robertson AN IMPORTANT RENÉ BOIVIN EMERALD, COLORED DIAMOND AND DIAMOND 'RECLINING LION' CLIP-BROOCH

Estimate: \$300,000-500,000



BULGARI COLOMBIAN EMERALD AND DIAMOND RING

30.31 carats Estimate: \$600,000-800,000



Property from the Estate of Mary Lloyd Robb AN IMPRESSIVE SEAMAN SCHEPPS ART DECO ROCK CRYSTAL, MULTI-GEM AND DIAMOND BRACELET

Circa 1935 Estimate: \$40,000-60,000

#### Select Highlights | Jewels Online | 28 November - 8 December 2023





DAVID WEBB SET OF WHITE ENAMEL AND GOLD JEWELRY

Estimate: \$12,000-18,000



DAVID WEBB PINK TOURMALINE, DIAMOND AND ENAMEL RING

Estimate: \$6,000-8,000



BUCCELLATI DIAMOND NECKLACE

Estimate: \$10,000-15,000



TAFFIN MULTI-GEM BROOCH

Estimate: \$8,000-12,000



DAVID WEBB ENAMEL AND GOLD EARRINGS

Estimate: \$12,000-18,000



TIFFANY & CO., JEAN SCHLUMBERGER CORAL AND LAPIS LAZULI DRESS SET

Estimate: \$5,000-7,000



COLORED DIAMOND AND DIAMOND TWIN-STONE RING

Estimate: \$50,000-70,000



CARTIER AMETHYST, TURQUOISE AND DIAMOND 'LES DELICES DE GOA' NECKLACE

Estimate: \$25,000-35,000



SCHLUMBERGER TURQUOISE EARRINGS

Estimate: \$15,000-20,000

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