Summer Chic

Warmer weather is an excuse for a wardrobe update. This season, we ask some in-the-know boutique-keepers for their best recommendations.

By Jennifer Bradley Franklin





Wayuu Good Luck cuff, \$258, by Mercedes Salazar "Any outfit accented by this cuff takes on an entirely new personality. It's eclectic, tribal and glamorous—the ultimate style trifecta."







Style is more of a lifestyle for Atlanta's Wendy Rossiter Estes, the striking blonde who co-helms Layla Grayce (laylagrayce.com). This high-end, curated online retailer specializes in women's attire, accessories and home decor. "My style is contemporary and casual, and my outfits always include accessories with interesting embellishments," she says, adding, "It's also important to me to fill my wardrobe with quality pieces that reflect who I am, yet remain timeless." Business-with both Layla Grayce and her exclusive home decor retailer, Zinc Door-is booming, due in large part to staying true to the chic, effortless aesthetic that comes straight from her own style. She shares some of her favorite items from the site to kick-start your summer wardrobe.





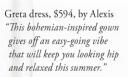
Here, more fashionistas running Atlanta's chic stores reveal their favorite items hitting their

boutiques this season.



"Espadrilles scream Saint-Tropez-chic, even though these are Spanish and from the oldest espadrille maker in the world! These are fab because they're a little less expected and equally perfect for day or night."

~ ANN MASHBURN, OWNER, ANN MASHBURN, WESTSIDE, ANNMASHBURN.COM



~ EMILY DEES BOULDEN, OWNER, SWANK, BUCKHEAD, SWANKATLANTA.COM





~ JULIE ARRENDALE, STORE DIRECTOR, TOOTSIES, BUCKHEAD, TOOTSIES.COM/ ATLANTA



Fifer voile lace dress, \$295, by Calypso St. Barth "Our Fifer dress is ideal to take from day to night. Just swap your flat sandals and tote for wedges and a clutch. If you really want to jazz things up, try adding a fabulous pair of earrings!"

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