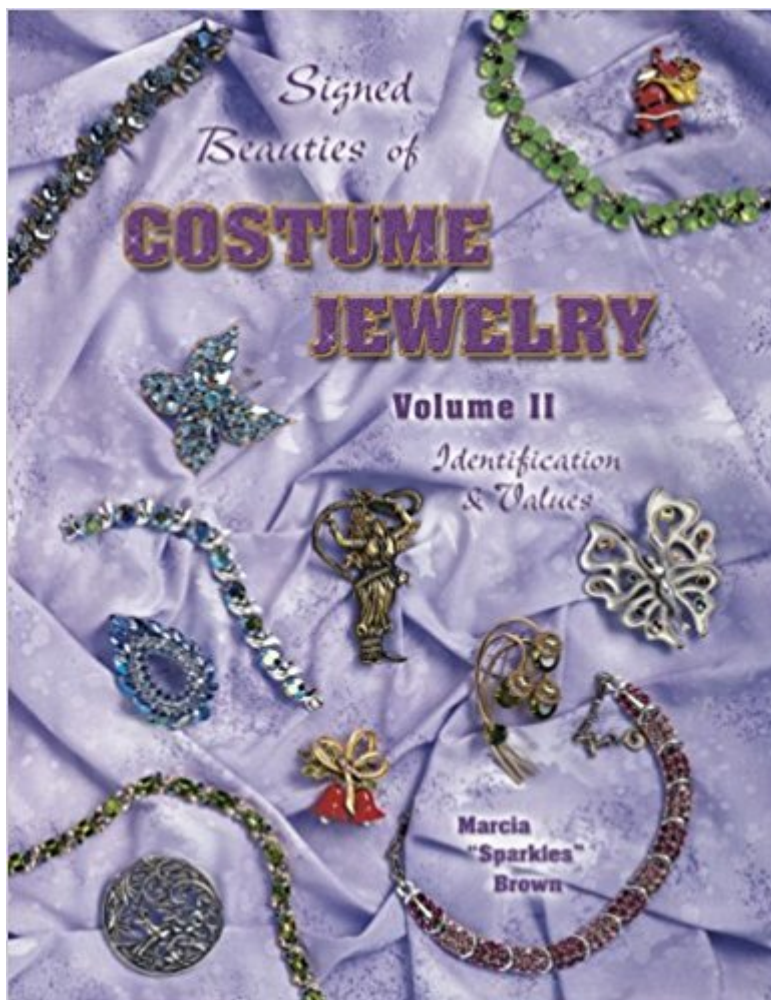


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Signed Beauties Of Costume Jewelry, Vol. 2, Identification & Values



Synopsis

This book will teach any collector to identify the company that produced that enchanting piece of costume jewelry. Arranged alphabetically for the reader's convenience, the book highlights jewelry from 24 companies that is easily found and affordable. Home party plan Emmons, Sarah Ann Coventry, and Judy Lee; door-to-door Avon including Elizabeth Taylor and Kenneth Jay Lane designs; Monet, Napier, BSK, Art, Marvella, Western Germany, Gerry, Park Lane, B. David, Cathe, Dodds; the butterflies of La Roco; the whimsicals from JJ; and Les Bernard, Lisner, and Celebrity are all included in this beautiful book, which presents almost 400 full-color photographs. Tips on field identification and characteristics of the companies are included.

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Customer Reviews

This book truly "sparkles" (like the author's name) and would make an ideal gift for costume jewelry fans. Thousands of jewelry items are illustrated in hundreds of color photographs and are complemented by captions that include descriptions and values.

Marcia Brown published her first book, *Unsigned Beauties of Costume Jewelry*, in 2000. She is the host and co-writer of the award-winning Venture Entertainment books-on-tape series *Hidden Treasures: A Collector's Guide to Antique & Vintage Jewelry*. She is a frequent contributor to the *Vintage Fashion & Costume Jewelry* newsletter. An antique and vintage jewelry historian, lecturer, and collector, Brown also provides private consultations for many dealers, mall owners, and

collectors.

This book is a great start to a novice collector like me. It covers the lower end of the spectrum that you are likely to find at yard sales and flea markets.

Expected more from the book. Would have liked to see more detail information and prices for jewelry sold by Avon for example, other than a page saying this is Avon.

This is another fine book for my collection. I re-sell jewelry as I find it. The book has colorful photos, pricing and more. It is a big help.

There are other books with better pictures and collections.

Beautiful Full Color Photos of hundreds of pieces of jewelry. Such a pleasure to look through & enjoy all the wonderful pieces shown!

This is a great book for collectors of costume jewelry. It has a lot of good pictures as well to help identify pieces you might have.

I recommend all Marcia Sparkles Brown jewelry books, they have great color illustrations, price guide at each description. Great enjoyable book.

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