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STYLE OF QUEEN ELIZABETH II

Elizabeth, the future Queen of England, was born in 1926, April 21, in London. The future queen received a good home education, mostly humanitarian. Since childhood, she loved horses and equestrian sport. As well as from childhood, unlike her more headstrong sister Margaret, she had a truly royal character. In the book, the biography of Elizabeth II Sarah Bradford mentioned that the future queen from childhood was a very serious child, who already had a certain understanding of the duties that fell on her as the heir to the throne, and a sense of duty.

To some extent, reading notes about Queen Elizabeth II, one may get the impression that she has a boring character: she has an excessive sense of duty, and she always believes that others should first of all think about the prestige of the monarchy and their responsibilities to country, it is conservative, does not accept the fact that family problems are brought to the public. Well, Elizabeth II has a truly royal character. And her character undoubtedly lays an imprint on her style.

In this report the history of Queen Elizabeth's style is uncovered.

The style of Queen Elizabeth can be divided into two stages. The first was distinguished by its conservatism, restraint and elegance. Mostly her wardrobe consisted of monochrome sheath-dresses, medium-length suits that always cover her knee, in the cold season - coats and cloaks, for formal events - floor-length dresses, 5 cm heels, three-quarter sleeves, closed shoes blunt cape, brooches, pearls, hats and gloves. Well, diamonds, where do without them. That is how the queen loved dressing when she was young. Over time, Elizabeth's preferences have changed, later she appeared in public in bright colors, such as fuchsia, lemon, blue, and violet. Behind the scenes her style is called "rainbow".

There is an assumption that the Queen of England should always be in sight in a huge crowd of spectators. They also say that Elizabeth chooses rich colors to cheer the British. Once she said: “If I wear a beige one, no one will recognize me”.

Today we will talk about the main attributes of the style of Elizabeth II and see what the outfit of the queen consists of [1].

Based on the protocol of royal etiquette, Elizabeth can put on a limited number of things. For example, if the dress, then just below the knee and straight cut. Perfectly represents such a style dress-case, as it will not swell in windy weather. Elizabeth prefers to complement his coat to match.

In addition, the Queen of England often wears a business suit, which consists of a jacket and a pencil skirt. In her youth, she preferred flying dresses made of silk, tulle and crepe. She had a special love for satin dresses and fashionable then, thanks to Christian Dior, the style of New Look. Her wardrobe was made up of elegant formal suits, evening sets in the style of Grace Kelly, fitted dresses and wide skirts [2].

Do you know that the classic black dress that we all love so much, members of the royal family are allowed to wear only during mourning. The rest - black color is not allowed. In addition, the queen is forbidden to wear cheap and denim things. The queen has several dresses that can be called legendary. One of them is considered her wedding dress [1].

The uncountable number of incredible caps was demonstrated by the queen for 66 years of her reign. Hats are exactly the accessory that always perfectly complements the image of Elizabeth and emphasizes her status. Practically each hat was made by special order and was chosen for the corresponding event.

Umbrellas of Elizabeth II. Since it is always very rainy in England, Elizabeth does not come out without an umbrella, which always ideally combines with her bows. In addition, the umbrella is always transparent, so that you can see the face of the queen, it differs only in colored stripes along the edge. The model is called Birdcage, and makes its brand Fulton.

Like a real lady, Elizabeth appears in public, in most cases, wearing gloves. This is due not only to the royal dress code, but also to security measures, as the queen shakes hundreds of hands every year at the next public exit. The length of the gloves depends on the length of the sleeve of the dress: the shorter the sleeve of the dress, the longer the gloves and vice versa. During the day, wear short silk, cloth or kid gloves. For an evening dress code fit gloves from more sophisticated fabrics.

Handbag should be small, do not hamper the movement of the queen. When choosing a handbag, Elizabeth is quite conservative, as she most often prefers models of handbags Diva and Traviata from the brand Launer. If the queen has moved the bag from the left hand to the right, her retinue realizes that the queen is ready to end the conversation. And if the royal handbag is on the table, dinner should be officially over.

According to the protocol, shoes should be inconspicuous, classic, with a closed cape and be sure to match the purse. Therefore, Elizabeth will choose only classic pumps with a square heel in height of 5 cm or brogues without a heel.

The final touch of the image of Queen Elizabeth is embellished with jewelry, in particular, she prefers brooches that deserve a separate material, since each has a separate history and reason for which she appeared in the queen's wardrobe.

The Queen of England is 92 years old. But she still steadily performs all the duties assigned to her and appears in public, always following her style. Now we know all the features of the Queen Elizabeth II style from brooches to hats [1].

In conclusion, the style of the Queen Elizabeth in fashion was described, revealing the development of the royal style, the process of evolutionary style in fashion was analysed, and also some features of the queen's dress and harmonious look were identified.

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