

Carol Tobin
jewelry





Growing up, family milestones were celebrated with gifts of jewelry. It was precious; it was love. I am, in a way, reaching back into my own history and the re-creation of those emotional bonds.

I search for wisdom and study the cultural aesthetic of those who have come before me to create timeless pieces and authentic beauty. Obsessive attention is paid to every element as I refine and execute a piece to find the hidden harmonies. What I've learned, however, is that my designs are about the women who wear them. They make the jewelry come alive with their beauty, womanhood, empowerment and self-confidence.

Carol



202 - La Parisienne

Inspired by Coco Chanel, La Parisienne combines faceted black Spinel beads with white Swarovski pearls and 22K gold vermeil accents. Wear it long or wind it up into a several strand necklace. Length: 33"

\$850



207 - Cotton Candy

A refined ode to polished and faceted rose Quartz, twinkling 22K gold vermeil wavy discs and pink freshwater cultured pearls dance amongst Quartz in this sweet candy colored dream. Length: 34"

\$500



254 - Coco

"A woman needs ropes and ropes of pearls"
– Coco Chanel. Don't you agree? Coco combines assorted freshwater cultured pearls with matching Swarovski pearls and 22K gold vermeil accents. Wear it long or doubled. Length: 26"

\$950





285 - Dream Catcher

Modern and dreamy, this statement strand of large polished milky white Quartz beads from Brazil, topped off by sterling silver accents, stands out while remaining neutral. Wear it peeking through the collar of a blouse or highlight your favorite little black dress. A versatile true stunner. Length: 21"

\$1900



Jacket by Nina McLemore



239 - First Kiss

Star crossed lovers, black Spinel and white Sapphires dance through moonlight in this set. Prepare yourself to fall in love with this piece every time you wear this aptly named necklace. Length: 20"

\$1900



276 - Afterglow

Mysterious and dramatic, this unique combination of handcrafted artisan glass and wrapped beaded beads, black Onyx, and frosted clear Quartz are crowned with an elegant sterling silver and Onyx clasp. Length: 19½"

\$1200



267 - Sweet Medley

A playful and opulent twist on the simplest black and cream, this combination of polished black Onyx and large Venetian beads adorned in abstract twirls reminiscent of confectionery decoration. Tibetan bone rondelles and gunmetal accents are polished off with an antique inspired sterling silver clasp. Length: 21"

\$600



281 - Animalia

Feel the call of the wild. This quiet nod to feline and zebra prints combines artisan glass beads and black Spinel with 22K gold vermeil accents. Length: 20"

\$850





284 - Aphrodite

A pearlescent multi-strand necklace of polished mystic Moonstone beads in off-white and pale grey, interspersed with tiny sterling silver and Pyrite nuggets creating a soft glow. Graceful and alluring, just like the goddess it's named after. Length: 32"

\$1150



280 - Seafoam

Celestial blue and green handcrafted artisan glass dance amidst freshwater cultured rice pearls in this sea goddess inspired piece. Wear it long or doubled. Length: 54"

\$1100



283 - Venus

This modern and versatile twist on the ultimate classic alternates smooth white Swarovski pearls with the natural edge of golden Pyrite nuggets, topped off with a playful sterling silver frog clasp. Enjoy wearing it like you would any string of pearls. Length: 20"

\$600



122 - Platinum Ice

A not-so-simple string of pearls alternates smooth platinum Swarovski pearls with natural golden Pyrite nuggets, topped off with a playful sterling silver frog clasp. This modern twist on the ultimate classic can be enjoyed alone or paired with Venus for a layered effect. Length: 20"

\$600



200 - Compassion

Rustic bone discs and traditional Tibetan beads accented with Turquoise and red Coral are made in Nepal by Tibetan women. Copper and Turquoise are used to represent the limitless sky and sea and inner healing and harmony. Vintage bronze and ribbed beads blend perfectly. Length: 20"

\$450



199 - Beautiful Blessing

A study in soft contrasts, this necklace joins polished creamy bone with 22K hand hammered gold vermeil spheres. Tibetan wood beads are hand carved with Buddha's face and decorated with hints of red lacquer and gold. The necklace is hand knotted with Italian leather cord. Length: 23½"

\$700



191 - Sonoran Sky

Refined and sensuous Turquoise is elegantly highlighted by the hand-hammered 22K gold vermeil elements. Length: 18½"

\$900



277 - Symphony

Classic while remaining a statement, this combination of unique frosted black and white Quartz "leaves" has striking bronze accents shining throughout, as well as 24K gold Japanese seed beads and 22K gold vermeil. Length: 19½"

\$1950



263 - Fawn

The natural allure of bone and ecru muted tones finds itself in harmony. Creamy bone spheres and hand-crafted artisan glass are accented with black Spinel and sterling silver. A rich yet subtle piece. Length: 19½"

\$1150



275 - Desert Rose

The high desert's alluring palette reflects the golden sun in this quietly stunning combination of frosted natural druzy Agate with 22K gold vermeil hand-hammered spheres and twisted gold rings floating between. Length: 28"

\$750



272 - Sedona

Channel your inner desert mystique while wearing this refined combination of Turquoise and unique 22K gold vermeil focal beads. Wear it with a crisp white shirt and denim to echo classic southwestern chic. Length: 21"

\$800



278 - Apricot Wine

These polished crystal Quartz hexagon beads from Brazil are a rare natural shade of peachy amber. This tonal piece is completed by handcrafted artisan glass focal beads and hand-hammered sterling silver spheres and ribbed saucers. Length: 19"

\$1200



102 - Clarity

A glowing combination of tumbled and polished Quartz and 22K gold vermeil focal beads and highlights. Quartz is celebrated for its ability to amplify spiritual healing. A timeless classic, this necklace works for any occasion.

Length: 19"

\$800



270 - Radiance

Bursting with light, this sparkling statement piece echoes the sun's rays with its golden hues. Handcrafted artisan glass elements of gold, white and silver are joined with polished white Coral accents and 22K gold vermeil. This one is sure to lift your spirits! Length: 19"

\$2400





213 - Opulence

Richly detailed gold and silver handcrafted artisan globes float between charcoal edged wavy rings, in this opulent necklace inspired by the planets and stars. Length: 19"

\$1500



268 - Gold Rush

Flakes of 24K gold shimmer through layers of transparent polished Quartz petals in this gold rush dream, echoing gold nuggets gleaming from crystal clear waters of the West. Wear it on a white high collar or directly on your skin for the subtlest glow. Length: 21"

\$1100



246 - Chocolate Mist

Warm and mysterious, the richest chocolate Moonstone faceted discs enchant next to mystic aqua and gold artisan focal beads, gold Japanese seed beads and 22K gold vermeil highlights. Length: 19"

\$1200



265 - Blush

Versatile and playful, a single strand of frosted rose Quartz discs from Brazil is strikingly combined with 22K gold vermeil uniquely designed accents. Length: 18"

\$1400



271 - Lucky Charm

Sometimes, we just can't pick a favorite color. This chromatic and joyous burst of Venetian focal beads remains sophisticated by combining with polished Quartz, and a sterling silver and Carnelian clasp. Guaranteed to put a smile on your face. Length: 19½"

\$650



135 - Jade Nouveau

The perfect art deco combination of green and gold. Venetian artisan glass beads and 22K gold vermeil satin saucers float in a strand of lustrous green Onyx, elegantly finished with a Jade and sterling silver clasp. Length: 20½"

\$850



273 - Santorini



274 - Golden Glow

Sail to the clear aquamarine sea of the Greek Islands (or dress like you are) while wearing this lively combination of handcrafted artisan "ice cubes" with glowing focal beads. Available in aqua or radiant yellow. Length: 20"

\$880

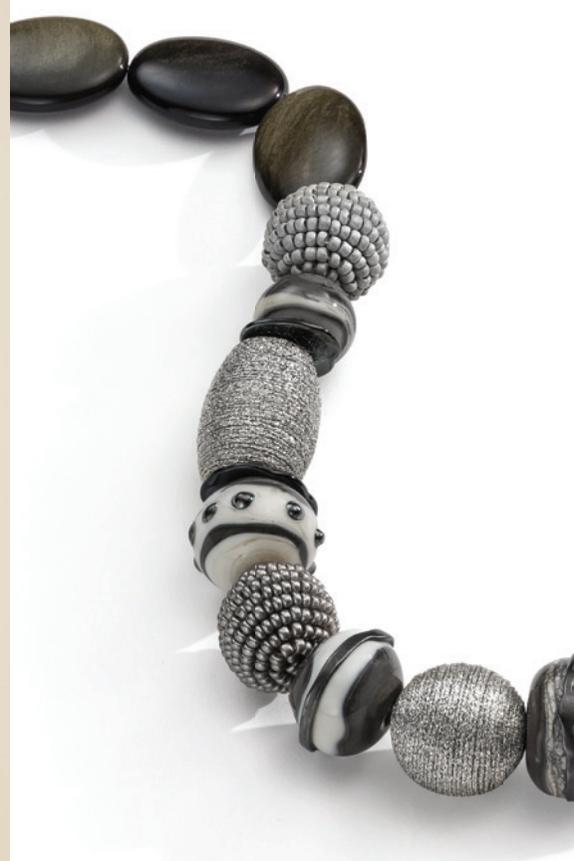


269 - The Sundae

Celestial white Mashan Jade spheres combined with black and white handcrafted Venetian artisan beads, topped off with a simple sterling silver clasp, is a playful nod to the beginning of spring. A wonderful compliment to warm weather crisp white or black fashions.

Length: 19"

\$1100



211 - Synergy

A subtle chorus of artisan-created beads, silver metallic-wrapped beads, handcrafted artisan glass, rainbow Obsidian and sterling silver. A warm textured harmony of greys, taupe and silver. Length: 19"

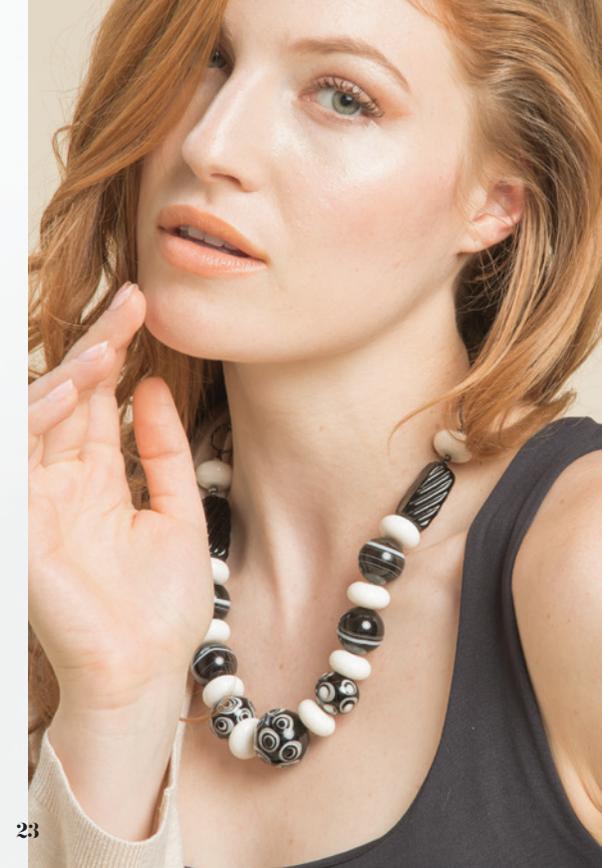
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264 - All That Jazz

A truly one of a kind piece. Rare vintage banded black Agate beads are accented by handcrafted artisan glass spheres and polished white Coral rondelles, as well as a gunmetal chain and a sterling silver clasp. Length: 20½"

\$950





137 - Silver Eclipse

Bold and artful combination of Venetian hand blown glass shapes and textures, rich ebony spheres and hand-hammered sterling silver accents. Length: 19½"

\$600



172 - Galaxy

Exquisite masterpiece of hand blown clear patterned "ice cubes" combined with handcrafted glass spheres. Each sphere is unique, color and decoration is in subtle but rich greys, black and metallic. All are individual pieces of art. Sophisticated gunmetal accents. Length: 19"

\$1250



131 - Stella

A luscious combination of highly polished black Onyx rounds, hand-hammered 22K gold vermeil rounds and radiant torpedo – shaped Venetian beads. Each Venetian bead is black with gold veining and flecks of warm and subtle terracotta tones. Each bead is a work of art, unique and classic. Length: 20”

\$850



169 - Gold Ice

A luxurious universe of charcoal, slate, ebony and gold, this necklace is a brilliant blend of uniquely designed hand-blown glass orbs, 22K gold vermeil rounds, gold bi-cones and polished black Onyx. Length: 19”

\$850



225 - Midnight Accent

Dark as a Venetian night sky, the ink stained polished black Onyx discs in this piece draw the eye to the striking red, silver and gold focal bead. Length: 20”

\$500





125 - Harmony

Far from the pearls of generations past, this modern combination of lustrous Swarovski pearls of ebony, grey and ivory adorns this timeless and graceful lady with 22K gold vermeil filigree accents. Length: 21" & 40"

\$1100



145 - Duel Crossing

A luxurious necklace composed of polished rough cut Quartz stones in smoky shades of stormy grey. Each stone has great depth, revealing natural metallic inclusions, highlighted by the 22K gold vermeil open filigree rounds framing them. Length: 19½" & 22"

\$1125



196 - Cloud Atlas

Discover the sculptural beauty of rough cut frosted Quartz combined with handcrafted dark grey and gold glass beads. This piece has a very light and airy feel while still maintaining a prominent and bold presence. An effortlessly versatile piece. Length: 19"

\$900



204 - Silver Falls

This multi-strand combination of Japanese gunmetal seed beads punctuated with satin 22K gold vermeil "beans" can be worn long or wrapped around the neck to create an enhancing collar. Length: 33"

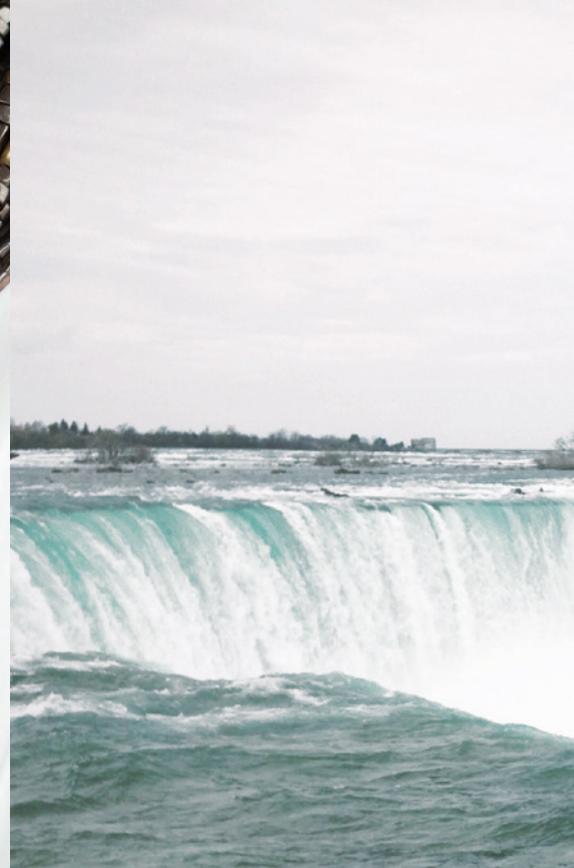
\$750



245 - Gold Cascade

Brushed 22K gold vermeil beads cascade down in this African inspired layered piece. A study in contrast, beads of gold are highlighted with gunmetal Japanese seed beads, creating a striking yet warm combination. Length: 27"

\$950



161 - Symmetry

Stunning balance of polished Quartz and a spectacular Venetian centerpiece with velvety white, black and subtle gold veining. Polished black beaded beads and 22K gold vermeil highlight this versatile classic. Length: 19½"

\$750



221 - Golden Eye

A little gold goes a long way, so does a little bit more! Composed of gold and silver artisan glass joined with 22K gold vermeil spheres creates mystery and radiance and a vibrant glow on the skin. Length: 18"

\$1500



242 - Green Goddess

Fresh and warming, this piece frames faceted green Amethyst nuggets from Brazil with 22K gold vermeil and iridescent sea green highlights. A unique combination in a classic shape. Length: 12"

\$1850



244 - Indulgence

Geometric and modern, this elegant design combines the opulence of faceted natural bi-color Quartz of warm Citrine and smoky Topaz. A regal necklace for the boldest of women. Length: 19"

\$1800





282 - Petals in Bloom

The ice may be melting for spring, but you can still keep a frosted touch. A glowing combination, this piece showcases transparent Quartz petals with gold flakes that float between pale grey freshwater cultured pearls and 22K gold vermeil accents. Length: 17½"

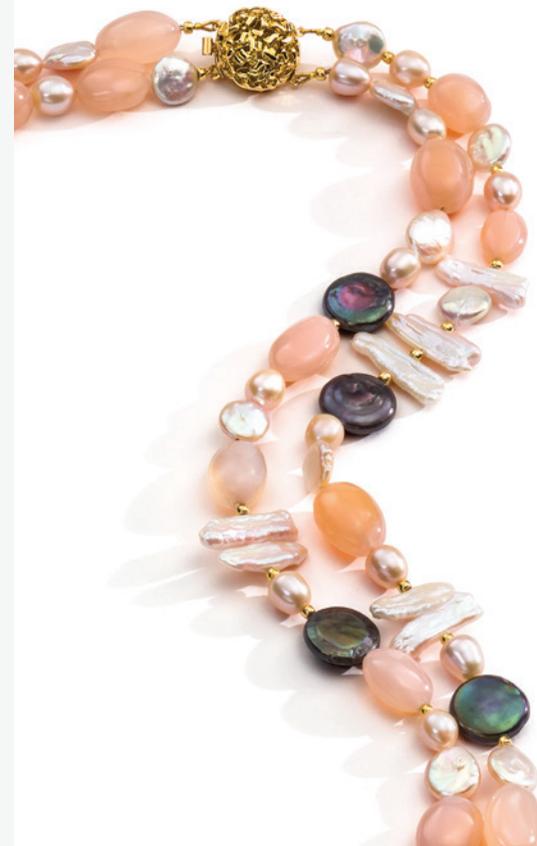
\$650



166 - Milky Way

Alluring and classic, freshwater cultured pearls take center stage in this necklace. The unexpected creamy coin shaped pearls float amongst lustrous faceted black Spinel and gold nuggets in this starry double strand that can be worn as a multiple coil. Length: 34"

\$850



203 - Cotton Candy 2

Lush composition of polished pink Chalcedony, 22K gold over sterling silver elements contrasted with pink and smoky grey fresh water cultured pearl accents. Length: 30"

\$550



243 - Black Magic

A majestic pairing of finely cut polished black Tourmaline, of powerful volcanic origins, and luminous blue grey artisan glass highlights. For the women looking for a quiet statement piece. Length: 18½"

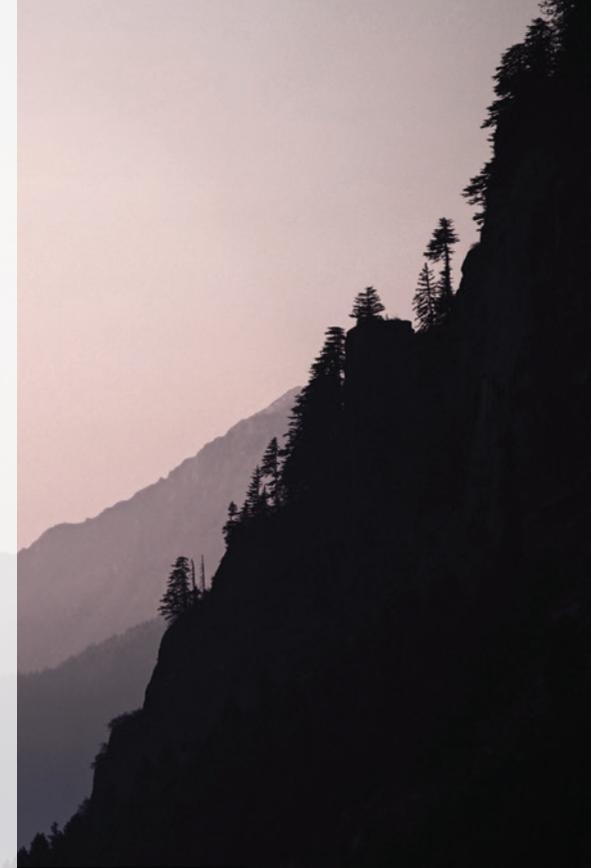
\$1900



193 - Night Sky

A dramatic and starry joining of unique handcrafted artisan glass, sterling silver hand-hammered leaves and accented with mystical golden Obsidian gems. Obsidian is known to bring protection to the wearer and clarity to the soul. Length: 19"

\$850



216 - Copper Radiance

Glowing and opulent creation of a stunning Venetian focal bead highlighted with artisan-created black and copper glass discs, handcrafted copper metallic – wrapped spheres and soft edged black Jasper. Rich and subtle. Length: 19½"

\$800



232 - Infinity

Exquisitely cut green Amethysts combine with embellished artisan glass spheres with gunmetal and bronze highlights in this monochromatic piece, resulting in a quiet expression of opulent classical elements. Length: 20½"

\$1920



230 - Caramel Luster

The deep, rich hues of Caramel Luster make it a seasonless piece. Polished smoky Topaz nuggets are framed by café au lait freshwater cultured pearls and a sprinkling of gold. Length: 34"

\$600



134 - Simone

Known for awakening the inner spirit, Labradorite is often called "frozen fire". Elegantly simple, this necklace fuses the beauty of the iridescent blues with 22K gold vermeil hand-hammered spheres. Luscious and versatile.

\$1000



214 - Evening Shadow

The incandescence of the subtly colorful Labradorite is combined with handcrafted artisan glass, gold metallic-wrapped beads and sterling silver. An inspired treasure. Length: 19".

\$1300



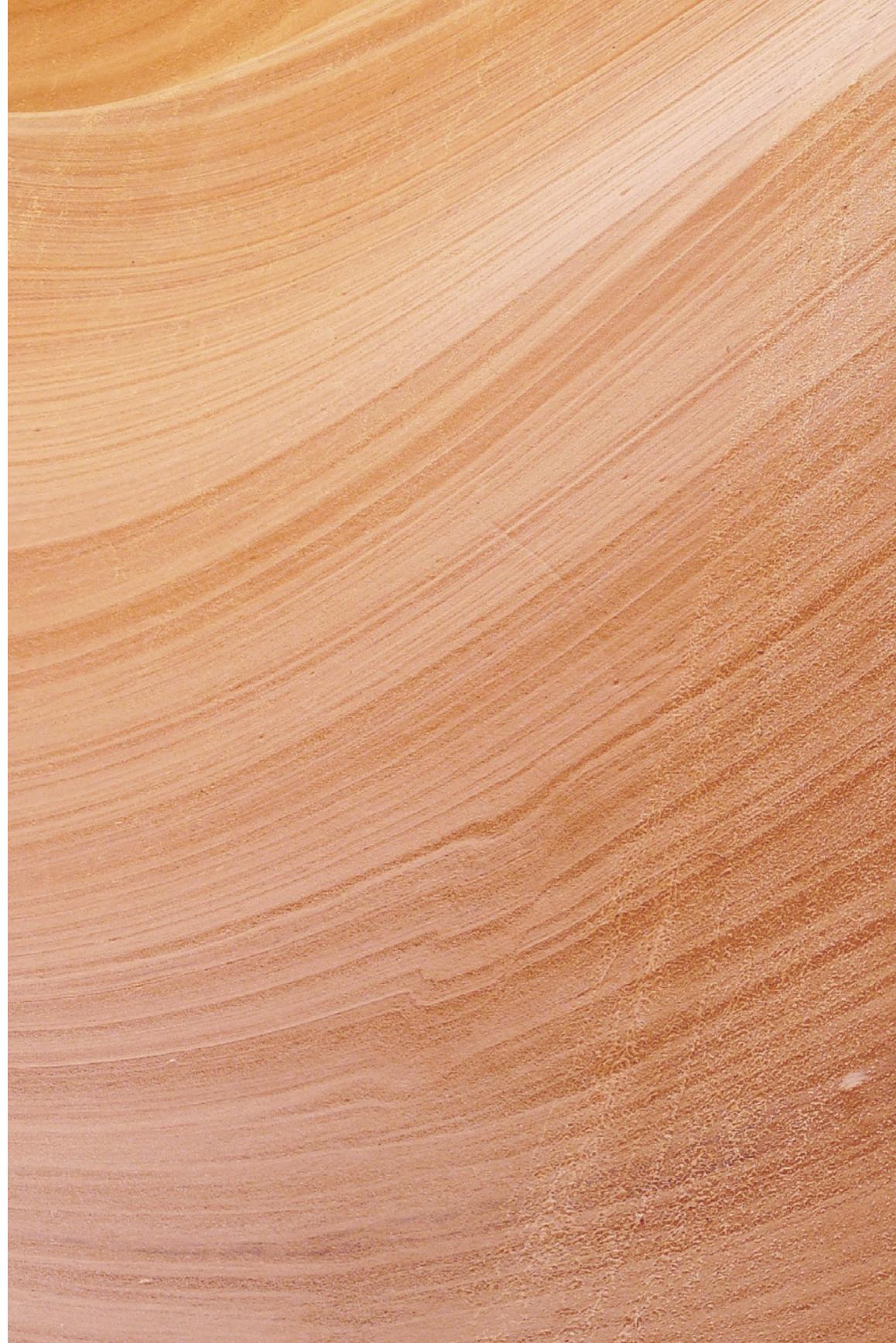
206 - Sienna

Opulent combination of 22K gold vermeil elements, golden Tiger's Eye, smoky Topaz and sunny Citrine. Radiates warmth. Length: 30"

\$675



Carol Tobin has been a leader in the architectural design field in New York City for decades as a founding member of Tobin Parnes Design. Long captivated with materials and form, Carol's vision transcends her architectural background, embracing a new medium, that of handcrafted jewelry. The eternal student, she is dedicated to research in her unique craft, and is continuously inspired by the infinite artistry and techniques from around the world. She finds beauty in everything, from the lines of a building, to the detailed gold work of ancient civilizations, to nature itself. Carol is the living embodiment of her designs, mixing the cosmopolitan lifestyle of New York with the eclectic nature of her inspirations.





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Every necklace is handcrafted as a unique aesthetic expression from globally sourced elements. While we may not be able to replicate a design to the exact we are always happy to create a custom design based on the preferred piece. Please contact us to preorder a custom necklace.

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