

Rough Diamonds

5 of the 24 Rough Diamonds Watches

Patek Philippe, a unique set featuring a bracelet watch, a ring, and a necklace, reference 3290

Designed by Gilbert Albert, made in 1962
Estimate CHF 30,000 – CHF 50,000

This extraordinary Patek Philippe ref. 3290 from 1962, stands as a testament to 1960s creativity, much like a hidden gem waiting to be unearthed. Designed by the legendary Gilbert Albert, it exudes raw elegance found within the labyrinthine depths of caves. Each piece is in yellow gold, decorated with enamel and set with pearls. Gilbert Albert, who won numerous design awards, particularly for his work with Patek Philippe in the 1960s, brought his unparalleled talent to fruition in this masterpiece.





Audemars Piguet, a car-shaped white gold, diamond and emerald-set wristwatch
Designed by Jacqueline Dimier, circa 1995
Estimate CHF 40,000 – CHF 80,000

Jacqueline Dimier, celebrated for her tenure as Head of Product Design at Audemars Piguet from 1975 to 1999, not only revolutionized the iconic Royal Oak model but also shaped the majority of the brand's pieces throughout the final three decades of the 20th century. This timepiece captures the essence of freedom woven into watch design and mirrors the bold creativity of Jacqueline Dimier's artistic vision.



Audemars Piguet Cobra 'Khanjar', a white gold bracelet watch with day and date
Circa 1985
Estimate CHF 50,000 – CHF 100,000

Imagine this: One year before the iconic Royal Oak shook the watch world, Audemars Piguet unleashed a timepiece with a fully integrated bracelet that screams uniqueness. They called it the "Cobra" for good reason – its mesh-like bracelet in white and yellow gold resembles the scales of a slithering serpent. With an imposing dial yet sleek build, thanks to its slim in-house automatic Day-Date caliber, this watch is a true standout. Moreover, this watch is adorned with a Khanjar logo on its case back, symbolizing exclusivity.



Vacheron Constantin Aton, a yellow gold and diamond-set bracelet watch, reference 72709/760
Designed by Daryoush Shafa, circa 1988
Estimate CHF 10,000 – CHF 20,000

With eight years of experience as a Product Designer and Strategic Marketing Manager at Vacheron Constantin, Daryoush Shafa brought forth a new era of daring innovation, breathing life into unconventional designs like the Harmony and the Diagonal collection. But the Aton shines with an unparalleled brilliance, its sunray-inspired design and trapezoidal dial capturing the imagination with an irresistible allure. It's not just a watch; it's a symphony of ingenuity and style, a testament to Shafa's relentless pursuit of aesthetic excellence.

Piaget, a yellow gold, coral and diamond-set bracelet watch, reference 12773 A18
Designed by Jean-Claude Gueit, circa 1975
Estimate CHF 5,000 – CHF 10,000

Crafted under the expertise of the renowned designer Jean-Claude Gueit, this coral-dial Piaget takes you on a captivating Caribbean journey. Gueit, known for his innovative designs and exceptional craftsmanship, brings a unique touch to this timepiece. His visionary approach to watch design has left an indelible mark on the industry, making this collaboration with Piaget a testament to his enduring influence. Its decorative diamonds sparkle reminiscent of stars over St. Barts. Equally captivating is the textured gold integrated bracelet, exemplifying the craftsmanship and design influence of the 1970s, particularly the artistry of Piaget.



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