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CHRISTIE'S NEW YORK MAGNIFICENT JEWELS

TOTAL: \$34,960,000
97% SOLD BY VALUE | 94% SOLD BY LOT
132% HAMMER ABOVE LOW ESTIMATE

GLOBAL PARTICIPATION FROM 40 COUNTRIES AND FIVE CONTINENTS



'THE PERFECT PALETTE'
COLLECTIVELY ACHIEVES: \$8,370,000

Fancy Vivid Blue Diamond Ring of 2.13 carats
PRICE REALIZED: \$2,670,000

Fancy Vivid Orange Diamond Ring of 2.34 carats
PRICE REALIZED: \$2,190,000

Fancy Vivid Purplish Pink Diamond Ring of 2.17 carats
PRICE REALIZED: \$3,510,000

New York – Christie's New York April 13 auction of **Magnificent Jewels** achieves a total of **\$34,960,000** with **97%** sold by value, **94%** sold by value, and **132%** hammer above low estimate. There was global participation with registered bidders from 40 countries across five continents.

The auction was led by 'The Perfect Palette,' a trio of sensational colored diamonds being offered as separate lots, which collectively achieved \$8,370,000. Each stone surpassed initial estimates with the fancy vivid purplish pink diamond ring of 2.17 carats selling for \$3,510,000; the fancy vivid blue diamond ring of 2.13 carats realizing \$2,670,000; and the fancy vivid orange diamond ring of 2.34 carats achieving \$2,190,000.

Additionally, impressive prices were realized for significant white diamonds led by a pear brilliant-cut diamond ring of 38.04 carats, D color, flawless clarity, Type IIa that sold for \$3,030,000; an emerald-cut diamond of 14.50 carats, D color, IF clarity, Type IIa that achieved double its low estimate selling for \$1,410,000; an impressive diamond bracelet that realized \$1,170,000; and a pair of diamond earrings offered at no reserve which achieved \$894,000. Colored gemstones performed with exceptional results including an exquisite Burmese ruby ring by F.J. Cooper, a prominent Philadelphia jeweler that sold for \$1,650,000; and a Colombian emerald ring by Cartier, which realized \$225,000.

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Specially featured in the sale was a Bvlgari diamond and onyx 'Serpenti' wristwatch which sold for \$50,000. The elegant timepiece was donated by Bvlgari with proceeds designated for The Elizabeth Taylor AIDS Foundation (ETAF). Working tirelessly on the AIDS crisis through the 1980s, Elizabeth Taylor established The Elizabeth Taylor AIDS Foundation in 1991 to reach her vision of an AIDS-free world. ETAF's work ensures that HIV prevention education and access to treatment is available through domestic and international initiatives. ETAF's initiative HIV Is Not A Crime advocates for the modernization of criminal laws and penalties affecting people living with HIV.

"You cannot have passion of any kind unless you have compassion." – Elizabeth Taylor

BVLGARI DIAMOND AND ONYX 'SERPENTI' WRISTWATCH
PRICE REALIZED: \$50,000

Proceeds from this lot are designated for The Elizabeth Taylor AIDS Foundation ([ETAF](#)).
Elizabeth Taylor Portrait: Credit ©Douglas Kirkland.

The [Jewels Online sale](#) continues through April 20 and features a broad selection of fine jewels and iconic designs by Bvlgari, Cartier, David Webb, Elsa Peretti for Tiffany & Co., JAR, and Van Cleef & Arpels.

CHRISTIE'S MAGNIFICENT JEWELS | 13 APRIL 2021 | NOTABLE RESULTS



DIAMOND RING
OF 38.04 CARATS, D COLOR, FLAWLESS
PRICE REALIZED: \$3,030,000



F.J. COOPER
BURMA RUBY AND GOLD RING
PRICE REALIZED: \$1,650,000



RENÉ BOIVIN
ART DECO DIAMOND NECKLACE
PRICE REALIZED: \$225,000



VAN CLEEF & ARPELS
SET OF RUBY AND DIAMOND JEWELRY
PRICE REALIZED: \$162,500



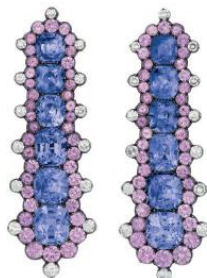
CARTIER
DIAMOND, ONYX AND EMERALD
'PANTHÈRE' CLIP BROOCH
PRICE REALIZED: \$387,500



THE BUHL-MANN DIAMOND RING
OF 19.47 CARATS, I COLOR, SI₂ CLARITY
PRICE REALIZED: \$337,500



FANCY INTENSE ORANGY PINK DIAMOND
OF 6.56 CARATS, VVS₁ CLARITY
PRICE REALIZED: \$894,000



JAR
SAPPHIRE, PINK SAPPHIRE AND
DIAMOND EARRINGS
PRICE REALIZED: \$312,500



DIAMOND BRACELET
PRICE REALIZED: \$1,170,000



DIAMOND EARRINGS
PRICE REALIZED: \$894,000
Offered without reserve



FANCY VIVID YELLOW DIAMOND RING
OF 25.55 CARATS, VS1 CLARITY
PRICE REALIZED: \$1,650,000



DIAMOND EARRINGS
PRICE REALIZED: \$362,500



DIAMOND RING
OF 14.50 CARATS, D COLOR, IF
TYPE IIA
PRICE REALIZED: \$1,410,000



FANCY VIVID PURPLISH PINK
DIAMOND RING OF 3.02 CARATS
PRICE REALIZED: \$1,350,000
Offered without reserve



CARTIER
COLOMBIAN EMERALD
AND DIAMOND RING
PRICE REALIZED: \$225,000

CHRISTIE'S JEWELS ONLINE CONTINUES THROUGH 20 APRIL 2021 | ONLINE HIGHLIGHTS



BVLGARI
DIAMOND BROOCH
\$5,000-7,000



ELSA PERETTI, TIFFANY & CO.
BLACK JADE BRACELET
\$3,000-5,000



ELSA PERETTI, TIFFANY & CO.
COLORED DIAMOND AND GOLD BOTTLE
PENDANT NECKLACE
\$3,000-5,000



TIFFANY & CO. ANGELA CUMMINGS
MULTI-GEM BRACELET
\$10,000-15,000



DAVID WEBB
DIAMOND AND LAPIS LAZULI BROOCH
\$5,000-7,000



VAN CLEEF & ARPELS
MULTI-GEM 'MAGIC ALHAMBRA'
EARRINGS
\$3,000-5,000



**CULTURED PEARL AND DIAMOND
NECKLACE AND EARRINGS**
\$7,000-10,000



**VAN CLEEF & ARPELS
DIAMOND, SAPPHIRE AND TURQUOISE
BRACELET**
\$12,000-18,000



**CORUM
DIAMOND AND MULTI-GEM WATCH**
\$10,000-15,000

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