

Luke Stockley's work is a relative newcomer to AA Thornton. Like Dower and Hall that I featured in last month's article, Luke too was supported by the Princes Trust. His love of Vintage and Deco runs throughout his three collections and as fashions tend to run a full circle, Luke's intricate and fine designs will always create a stir.

The faces behind the designs

by Sally Thornton

Ten things to know about Luke Stockley

1. Luke has always had a love for beautiful jewellery. From an early age he admired the exquisite brands which gave him the drive to create his own designs.
2. At the tender age of 21 he successfully applied for a loan from The Princes Trust and it was this break that gave him the opportunity to start his own design business..



Luke Stockley



Art Deco Pendant Set

Pearl and Marcasite stud earrings £49

3. Luke takes his inspiration from the classical eras gone by. "I love the glamorous Art Deco period and have always taken a keen interest in the beautiful Hollywood stars and of course their gorgeous jewellery".



Art Deco Brooch



18ct white gold floral diamond cluster pendant with diamond points set into necklace £1,485



4. The assistance from the Princes Trust has never been forgotten by Luke and as a token of his gratitude he regularly sends pieces from his collections to both the Duchess of Cambridge and the Duchess of Cornwall.



Feather Brooch similar to that worn by Kate the duchess of Cambridge £125



Amethyst Drop Earrings



Onyx Drop Earrings

5. Celebrities such as Lily Allen and Scarlett Johansen have been seen wearing Luke's designs.

6. I'm a big fan of brooches and Luke's "Feather Brooch" looks great on a dark jacket.

Luke uses the finest Marcasites mined in the Jura Mountains in Switzerland.



Buckle Bangle £160

7. I was struck by Luke's Diamond Floral Leaf band rings set in 18ct gold – they are real show stoppers.

8. Like many designers Luke has a passion for travel, finding the new sites an inspiration for his designs.

8. Luke has always believed in the importance of attention to detail and goes out of his way to instil this into his small, but very dedicated team within his workshop.



Garnet Heart Pendant Set

10. Luke relocated from Mayfair to Hatton Garden last year, so even during his working day can take his lunch break by enjoying the diversity of the daily Leather Lane food market which is just round the corner.

18ct Gold diamond set floral rings from £1,685



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