



South Sea Pearl Necklace with Vintage Clasp, NK-3520

This vintage pearl necklace with diamond clasp is destined to become one you reach for time and time again. The substantial South Sea pearls of which this necklace is composed add sophisticated drama to any jewelry wardrobe. The uniquely styled vintage clasp, however, ensures they earn their rightful place among your most coveted pieces. Shaped like an hourglass with wings hugging its curves, the 18k white gold clasp is accented with a dozen diamonds. Details: Vintage. Circa 1940. 18k white gold. Single cut diamonds; 0.14 carats. South Sea pearls.



Item #	nk3520
Metal	18k white gold
Circa	1940
Weight in grams	94.83
Special characteristics	The pearls are knotted on an 18k white gold hourglass pierced box style clasp measuring 23.5 x 15.0 x 5.0 mm.
Other notes	The clasp is vintage 1940; the pearls are new.
Condition	Very Good
Diamond cut or shape	single cut
Diamond carat weight	0.14
Diamond mm measurements	1.3 - 1.7
Diamond color	F - I
Diamond clarity	VVS2 - I1 (most are VS2)
Diamond # of stones	12
Number of pearls	34
Pearl shape	off round South Sea pearls
Pearl size	11.54 - 14.86
Pearl color	white
Pearl overtone	rose and silver
Other pearl info	The pearls have medium to high luster, with a moderately blemished complexion, poor roundness, good matching and acceptable nacre.
Necklace length	465.0 mm [18.14 in]

Important Jewelry Information

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The process of determining when a jewelry piece is made and the period it belongs to is not an exact science. The determination is based on design, materials, hallmarks, signatures, and the manufacturing method. Circa dates and period assignments are made to the best of our abilities.

All pearls are cultured unless noted as natural. All gemstones have been treated by accepted industry standards unless noted otherwise.

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