

## Broadway Silver - an alternative to jewellery

If you're struggling to find the right gift have a look at the Broadway Silversmiths range, which features all manner of fine quality hallmarked sterling silver products in both modern and traditional designs - with everything from salt and pepper condiment sets to useful bottle stops. All the pieces are handmade by expert craftsmen in the company's workshops and many items are still produced from the original Victorian dies made by the founder, William Benjamin Broadway.

### Christmas all wrapped up...

A precious gift deserves to be wrapped in style and we are delighted to be able to offer this service at Berridges on all your purchases, all you will have to do is find space under the tree.

### Extended opening in the run up to Christmas

If you can't get all your Christmas shopping done during regular retail hours, you'll be pleased to know that Berridges will once again be offering extended opening in the run up to Christmas, to include late night shopping on Thursday 7th, 14th and 21st December and Sunday opening on 10th and 17th December (11am until 4pm.) And, even if you leave your shopping until the very last minute, there's no need to panic as we're also open from 9am until 1pm on Christmas Eve! Being a small, independent firm of jewellers we pride ourselves in offering a friendly, professional service and as much advice as you need in choosing the right gift - all you have to do is ask...



### Country Leek Flan

**Louise from the restaurant offers another outstanding recipe for you to try at home.**

#### Pastry

200g/7oz Plain flour (sifted)  
Pinch of salt  
1 egg  
1-2 tablespoons water  
100g/3 oz butter, cut into small pieces

#### Filling

450g/1lb leeks  
175g/6oz streaky bacon  
1 tablespoon oil  
Salt and pepper  
Pinch of curry powder  
225g/8oz pork sausages sliced  
2 eggs  
250ml/8fl oz soured cream

#### Method

Preheat oven to gas mark 6 (200c, 400f)

Place flour, egg, salt, water and butter in bowl and mix until dough is formed

Leave in fridge for 2 hours

Dice bacon and brown in the oil

Slice leeks and add to the bacon with salt, pepper and curry powder

Cook gently for 10 minutes

Roll out pastry to line 9" flan tin. Prick the base several times with a fork

Remove rind from sausage and lay slices over the pastry base

Spread with the leek filling

Beat eggs and soured cream and seasoning to taste, pour over filling

Bake for 50-60 minutes

*Enjoy!*

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## JEWELLERS

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### A warm welcome

to Berridges' autumn/winter newsletter. Having enjoyed one of the hottest summers on record, we are all now looking forward to the cold, crisp days, which lay ahead - preparing for Christmas and December's many social gatherings.

The shop always has a magical atmosphere at this time of year. With the smell of freshly baked mince pies wafting down from the upstairs restaurant and our shop window dazzling with jewellery for the festive season.

Christmas and New Year is a time to go glamorous and there's no shortage of striking pieces to inspire you in the shop. Necklaces will always be a popular choice of gift and we have an ever-increasing range to choose from, with something for all tastes and budgets.

### Trends for autumn/winter

Rings, pendants, brooches and earrings continue to be set with a spectrum of candy coloured stones and dazzling diamonds which work wonderfully with the season's glamorous party dresses and separates. As far as styles go, opt for pretty drop earrings with coordinating pendants - a wow-factor combination which oozes femininity. Another must-have for autumn/winter is gold, particularly rose gold, which is made by mixing pure yellow gold with a proportion of copper to create a subtle, delicate shade that the lady in your life will adore.

To really make a statement this Christmas, look no further than the highly exclusive German designer Buchwald. This company incorporates unique coloured gems, pearls, corals and diamonds into its jewellery, which is characterised by classically modern designs that keep pace with the trends of the times.

We spend many days sourcing fine pieces and are sure you will be inspired by our ranges. All that remains to say is have a very merry Christmas and a happy, healthy new year and we look forward to seeing you in the coming weeks.

*Christopher and Angela Hardman*



### Georg Jensen relaunches 1960s Cufflinks

In 1963 Magnus Steffensen designed a fun collection of cufflinks in sterling silver, which have recently been relaunched by Georg Jensen. Square in their format they come in two versions. The Mosaic collection with enamel squares and the Domino collection with enamel dots, are sure to please and are priced at £175 per pair.



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# What's on your Christmas wish list?

## GEORG JENSEN

For something chic, contemporary and typically Scandinavian in style have a look at our Georg Jensen range; in particular the new Zephyr collection by designer Regitze Overgaard. Available as a pendant, necklace, earrings and ring, this sterling silver jewellery has an oval form that has been crafted to capture the movement of a small sail boat across water.

## FÖPE GIOIELLI

Among our favourites are the alluring designs by Italian firm Fope. Founded in 1929, this company's longevity is testament to its inspirationally designed, skilfully crafted yellow, red and white gold jewellery, which really encapsulates the Italian sense of style. The same can be said of Chiampesan - another Italian design house offering superbly crafted pieces to make you stand out from the crowd.



Thomas Sabo  
STERLING SILVER

Fashion nowadays offers greater freedom than ever before, the overall picture is determined by all kinds of different trends. The collections from Thomas Sabo are accordingly varied.

Jewellery from Thomas Sabo suits every kind of occasion and outfit - it goes just as well with business clothes as evening dress or leisure wear.

Each collection is attuned to all the others, items can be combined with each other and complemented by new pieces at a later date.



## The renaissance of vintage jewellery



There has been a massive resurgence of interest in antique jewellery in recent years, with people being drawn to its superior craftsmanship and wonderful character.

If you are looking for a beautiful and unusual piece of jewellery we have a superb range of antique jewellery including pieces from the Victorian, Edwardian and Art Deco era and all pieces are carefully selected by Christopher.