

LAMA HOURANI Jewelry Collections:

Lama Hourani's art-to-wear jewelry is inspired by the abundant natural bounty and rich cultural landscape of Jordan. Each of her collections is evocative of traditions and civilizations past, elements of which are recast as stunning contemporary amulets. Every piece echoes a world that predates the dawn of language, ethnicity and religion, while celebrating modern diversity.

The representations of Jordan's archaeological relics and primitive cave etchings adorning Lama's pieces are instantly familiar symbols of humanity's shared heritage. Likewise, the artist's embedding of precious and semi-precious stones in unusual fusions of gold, silver, brass and copper emerge as a transcendent language communicating original self-expression, peace and harmony between man and environment.

Each collection – Lamystique, Gypouin, Bedu Chronicle and Talisman ALAMA – reflects the designer's core creative philosophy: that every piece of jewelry must be art to wear. All pieces are original creations, handmade in her Amman, Jordan, workshop as either a masterpiece or part of a limited edition design. Lama's pieces are simultaneously playful and elegant... Hourani's designs are based on her longtime experience in the arts. Lama travels around the world to discover the unusual, inspirational gems that color her canvas of pure silver. Her choices are most influenced by the contrast and asymmetry that nature produces.

Lamystique

Lama's signature hollowed-out discs, in three sizes, bear her own interpretation of primitive cave drawings, hand-stenciled on silver, gold and gold-plated discs and are rendered in three styles:

- Lamystique Disc is styled as a pendant orbiting long necklaces and double wrap necklaces.
- Lamystique Infinity's two interlocking discs are a contemporary twist on the ancient infinity symbol.
- Lamystique Lock integrates a stenciled silver disc and bar that identify a piece of jewelry as a Lama Hourani original.
- Lamystique Time Disc merging the past and the future, depicts ancient symbols on a magnified mechanical gear, depicting the human development that links us to our past and present.
- LAMLOVE: In this flirtatious collection, the Lamystique disc has evolved as a heart with irregular edges, stenciled with cave symbols.

Gypouin Revue

This collection is playful, abstract and colorful, inspired by jewelry assembled by native Gypsy and Bedouin women from the simple materials found in their surroundings. A Gypsy/Bedouin performance incorporating random silver and gold elements with Lama's symbols on cubes, buttons and rosary beads ingredients mixed with all sort of stones.

Bedu Chronicle

These multi-layered chains of varying length and thickness embrace delicate, finely detailed charms representing the Bedouin superstition that magic boxes that might bring them rain, protect them from the evil eye or even bring them blessings.

Archeomystique

These archeological relics and surprises from the desert of Arabia recall the humanistic endeavor through out the centuries.

Geomystique

Geometrical shapes and forms combine ancient and contemporary architectural influences with modern shapes and historical symbols and other detailing in a play of contrast between mass and space and texture.

Talisman ALAMA

Lama's charms recite the folklore and mythology of the Mediterranean region: the tree for family, the turtle for perseverance, the apple for love, the fish for prosperity, the horseshoe for luck, the eye for protection, the Cross and/or Allah for blessings, the key for happiness, the dove for peace and the Egyptian key of life for health.

BEDU CHRONICLE Collection



Silver multi chain necklace set with turquoise, white pearls and charms
N-BC-4002



BEDU CHRONICLE Collection



Silver multi chain necklace set with black pearls and charms
N-BC-4103



LAMYSTIQUE Collection



Silver chain necklace set with intertwined hoops and centered with lamystique discs; lock with white pearl

N-L-4105



LAMYSTIQUE Collection



Silver chain necklace set with dangling lamystique discs and coins
N-L-06



BEDU CHRONICLE Collection



Silver wire knotting necklace set with turquoise and white pearls;
centered with dangling Fatimas' Palm

N-BC-404109



LAMYSTIQUE Collection



Silver and rose gold-plated link bracelet
BT-L-014

GEO-MYSTIQUE Collection



Silver and yellow gold-plated geometric link bracelet

BT-GM-015

