



MaryAnne's style

BIGGEST SPLURGE: My Chanel handbag. I love buying a couple of quality bags and using them to death.
BEST BARGAIN: I picked up a terrific detailed suede trench coat for \$150 in Canada.
BIGGEST FASHION DISASTER: In the '80s, my dad bought me aqua ankle boots. I thought they were so cool.
MOST CHERISHED CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Going to the beach with my brother. We're still close friends.
HOW DO YOU RELAX? Long walks.
FAVOURITE FOOD? Schnitzel.
STYLE ICON: Audrey Hepburn. I think she's perfect.
FAVOURITE FRAGRANCE: Coco Chanel. It's the only perfume I've ever worn.
FAVOURITE COLOUR: Pink, of course.
WHAT ARE YOU READING? I've just finished Elliot Periman's *Seven Types Of Ambiguity*. Loved it.
FAVOURITE DESIGNER: Valentino.
FAVOURITE CD: Nina Simone's *Gold*.
FAVOURITE NAMES: I like really feminine names such as Ruby and Isabella. For a boy, James.
WHOSE HOUSE WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO VISIT? Karl Lagerfeld. He's apparently got really cool homes and I love his style.
WHAT DON'T YOU LEAVE HOME WITHOUT? My keys ... although I'm famous for locking myself out!
FAVOURITE GADGET: My iPod, definitely.
FAVOURITE ACTOR: Cate Blanchett.
MIDDLE NAME: Sophia.
HEELS OR FLATS? I'm always wearing high heels. The only flat shoes I wear are my slippers. Perhaps it's because I'm little and I need the height.

- Bessie Recep



MaryAnne's dining set was won by her father in a card game. ABOVE: Every girl's dream - handbags and heels. FAR RIGHT: The slippers worn by celebs such as Nicole Kidman and Cate Blanchett.

