



Summer Aesthetics

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*F*ashion designer Josephine Sasso and caterer Peter Callahan have a marriage made in style heaven. Their combined client list reads like a Who's Who of socialites, artists, writers, and high-powered captains of industry. They are each, in their respective arts, renowned for their ability to attend to the personalized needs of their well-heeled clients.

Sasso, who was taught to sew in her childhood by her nanny, unveiled her first creation at the age of 10. Today, her continuously updated "Silhouette System," which is based on 50 styles of tops, pants, skirts, dresses and jackets, allows for effortless mixing and matching. Her classic silhouettes range from sexy sculpted tops to cigarette or palazzo pants, from ankle-grazing skirts to easy shift dresses.

Top: Summer raspberry pudding with wild blackberries served on a sterling silver cake stand. Bottom: Iced summer fruits served on a sterling silver compote dish. Also shown, a sterling silver loving cup and ice bucket from the Sasso family collection.