

Look good for less

Spring into a new dress

Brighten up your wardrobe with pretty frocks that cost just \$80 or less



Great news!
This dress comes in plus sizes.

Update your look

With a pattern resembling abstract brushstrokes, this dress fits lovely as a painting. A shirred Empire waist puts a slimming focus on your torso and highlights the flattering sweetheart neckline.

Dress, M by Marc Bouwer, \$60, sizes XS-3X; qvc.com. Necklace, \$22, and bracelet, \$20, M. Haskell; at select Macy's stores. Shoes, Predictions, \$20, sizes 5-10, 11, 12, at Payless Shoesource.

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Wrap it up

Need a dressier look? This crisp, polished-cotton style in a gorgeous shade of robin's egg is ideal for church or Easter dinner. The faux-wrap bodice won't gap, and stitched-in pleats stay neat. The cinched waist and full skirt give you an hourglass shape, regardless of your body type.

Dress, \$60, sizes 4-18 and 2P-16P, chadwicks.com. Earrings, \$6, and necklace, \$13, at Old Navy. Bracelet, M. Haskell, \$18, 212-764-3332.

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Embrace romance

Who can resist a dress this sweet? Rows of colorful flowers create a pretty pattern, and the pleated bodice and skirt offer comfort while hiding figure flaws. A bolero-style sweater adds a jaunty final touch.

Dress, \$60-\$70, and sweater, \$30, Jessica London, sizes 14-26, onestopplus.com. Earrings, M. Haskell, \$12, 212-764-3332. Necklaces, \$28 each, robertrose.com; Bracelet, \$16, shopthebook.net; Bag, Rosetti, \$52, at Sears. Shoes, \$79, sizes 4-11, 7-9W, naturalizer.com.

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