

### WELCOME Style Seeken!

I'm a farmwife who loves Jesus and enjoys a good fashion tip, too. This little style guide ticks both boxes.

In it you will find some encouragement for your heart, and outfit formulas that are very easy to copy using items from your own closet, and some adorable tags to help keep it all organized.

Does a cute outfit change the world? No, but it sure can increase the fun and confidence quotients.

Seems to me looking your best is also a way to honor God.

So, let's dress our hearts with beautiful character traits and our bodies with attractive clothes and go out and be a light in the world.

What a privilege!

I hope you find this resource fun and useful. I enjoyed making it for you, Beautiful!

xoxo, Susan



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## COLOSSIANS and Me

Being a Bible study girl, I get as inspired by the newest Bible study releases from Lifeway as the latest Pottery Barn catalog. Give me the teacher's kit, complete with video sermons, a new journal, my Bible and a group of friends and I'm an excited girl.

That all sounds good, but I have learned that a person (me) can study the Bible, lead Bible studies, and talk a good talk. However, if all that study doesn't lead to letting God convict me, forgive me, and transform me, I might as well be studying Mandarin.

Ouch.

But what does this have to do with my winter fashion recommendations? More than you might imagine, friend. Stick with me on this one.

Turns out fashion and scripture have more in common than you might think. A few seasons ago, God began putting on my heart the idea for an indepth study of a single book of the Bible.

Not a video study where someone else explained what the scriptures were saying, and then directed my thinking in daily homework, but one where I let the Holy Spirit alone enlighten me.

I thought, "Oh, this will be interesting and fun. God wants me to write a Bible study!" I always enjoyed making lesson plans, coming up with creative activities to help my students learn the material being presented. This assignment would be just up my alley. Once a teacher, always a teacher.

Wrong.

When I sat down with my Bible, laptop and journals, thinking about learning the material to teach the material, I sensed Holy Spirit telling me, "Slow down, missy. This isn't about you teaching others. This is about ME teaching YOU."

Ok, then.

So, I spent 2 months studying the book of Colossians, only 4 chapters, over and over and over. The verses that appealed so much to me and led me to choose this letter to study were these...

Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds us all together in perfect harmony. And let the peace that comes from Christ rule in your hearts. For as members of one body you are called to live in peace. And always be thankful.

Colossians 3:12-14

Loving a cute outfit, I was drawn to the idea that God wants us dressed in designer clothes of the most beautiful kind. No rags for his kids!

So I haven't written the Bible study, but I have learned a bunch. What we put on each day is so much more than clothing.

Just imagine a world where all of God's daughters are clothed in the most gorgeous garments. No doubt about it, Our Father loves beautiful things-just look at the world He created.

Mankind is the crown of creation, so how we show up matters. When we fill our hearts and minds with thoughts of mercy, kindness, gentleness, humility and patience, we are going to look different.

We will be BEAUTIFUL-a beauty that comes from the inside out and reflects our friend and Savior, Jesus. Our actions will be different.

So as we jump into the fun of putting outfits together let's keep in mind what we are putting on our hearts and our thoughts and our tongues.

Whether you wear clothes from expensive designers, JCrew, Target or Goodwill, it doesn't really matter. What does matter is whether or not we are reflecting the love of Jesus.

The world is watching and when they look, we want them to see beauty of a life changing kind.

I love clothes.

I love following Fashionistas.

I love pinning outfits on Pinterest.

Susan Shull





On the following pages, I am going to share some of the outfits from my Pinterest boards that I hope to recreate this winter. My goal is to inspire you to have some fun with your fashion choices,too! Wear what you have!

Remember - being authentically IOU/is always the best way to dress!











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FLATS.









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...but every now and again it is time for an update! If you happen to be in that season where you are looking for something new, I do have some recommendations based on the classic looks included in this book!

Check out the affiliate links on the following pages and hopefully, they will help you find something new and special to add in as you are mixing and matching!

## SOME OF MY WINTER FASHION FAVORITES

Simplee Women's Oversized

Cropped Sweater Lantern Long

Sleeve Loose Knit Pullover Sweater

Waist Belts for Jeans

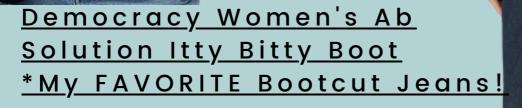
Gingham lightweight cotton shirt in signature fit



## SOME OF MY WINTER FASHION FAVORITES

Original schoolboy blazer

\*Hot Tip\* Watch for the
sales on this one!



Classic cotton cardigan sweater



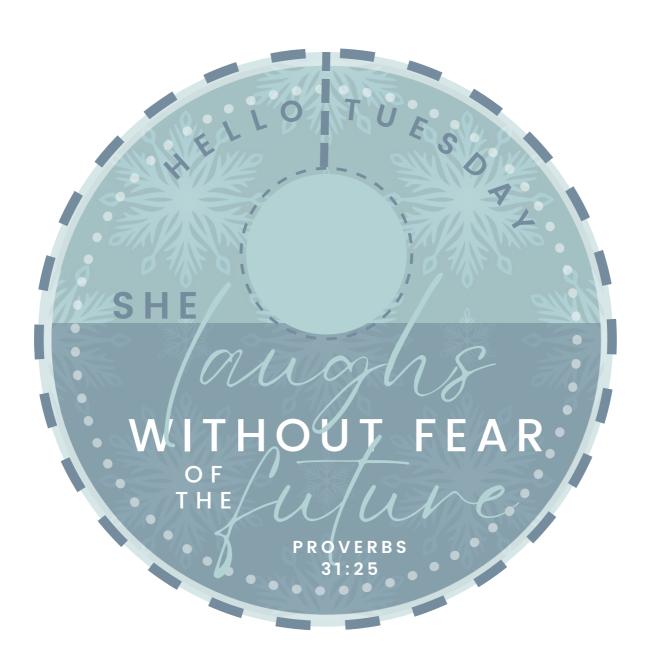
Take these suggested outfits as inspiration!

Each weekend, look through this book and go shopping in your closet!

Put together entire outfits down to the accessories and underpieces.

Place an entire outfit on ONE single hanger and cut out the hang tags on the following pages. Add a tag to each hanger and you'll be all ready to go before you even wake up!















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