

mommy fashion

Belina Boutique
10215 Old Georgetown Road
Bethesda, MD 20814
301-897-2929
<http://www.belinaboutique.com>

Belina offers a sophisticated and thoughtful selection of boutique clothing. You will find a unique offering of designer labels. The shop consistently scores high marks with Bethesda locals. Prices are commiserate with the offering and can be high.

Bloomingdales
<http://www.bloomingdales.com/>
Numerous local stores for DC Metro fashionistas.

Daisy Too

4940 St. Elmo Avenue
Bethesda, MD 20814
301-656-2280

Welcome to a fresh retail face in Bethesda, MD. While the price points are high, the über cool fashion collections and shoes are worth the visit. End of the season sales should not be missed.

Filene's Basement

<http://www.filenesbasement.com>

Lots of bargains can be found at this mid-priced fashion house. Check the website for local stores.

Gossip on 23rd
566 23rd Street South
Arlington, VA
703-920-1498

<http://www.gossipon23rd.com>

This online store offers crazy cute clothes for...A REASONABLE PRICE! Yes unlike most of the über cool boutiques anywhere near DC, Gossip on 23rd prides itself on accessible price points. The online store makes its easy to buy your favorites without making the trip to Crystal City.

H&M

Check website for DC Metro locations
www.hm.com/us

Think European Old Navy. H&M has a great selection of accessories. Noteworthy, the store has a wonderful selection of infant, toddler and children's clothing. There is definitely a "posh tot" feel to the kids wear.

Hysteria

125 S. Fairfax Street
Alexandria VA 22314
703-548-1615
www.shophysteria.com

Mommyista alert - This is a crazy cute boutique that offers jewelry, dresses and accessories oh my! Tucked away in a historic Lode Town Alexandria townhouse, this delectable store is worth the trip. Noteworthy, check out their sister shoe store Shoe Hive.

JCrew

<http://www.jcrew.com>

Not just the preppy offering of the days of old, JCrew has grown up. The store now boasts casual chic that even appeals to Michelle Obama. Daytime cool can easily transition into nighttime casual.

Lord & Taylor

<http://www.lordandtaylor.com>

Fantastic local store that has recently stepped up its retail game. Sign up for coupons for the best deals.

Kohl's

Check website for DC Metro locations

www.kohls.com

What a great surprise. Awesome kids clothes, Carter's gear is often marked down to outlet prices. Search the sale racks early and often. For ladies, Simply Vera offers some great style and savings. Noteworthy, Kohl's credit card holder receive numerous coupons and sale notices throughout the year.

Loehmanns

<http://www.loehmanns.com/>

While this DC Metro mainstay provides a nice selection for locals, a thoughtful eye is required to grab a true bargain. Be prepared to stay a while.

Macy's

Check website for DC Metro locations

www.macys.com

The Macy's INC line scores high marks with fashionistas. Note, the store always seems to be a bit low on help, but a self-help gal will walk away with a bargain in hand. Noteworthy, Macy's is ALWAYS running a sale. Sign up on line to be notified about discounts and coupons.

Marshall's

Check website for DC Metro locations

www.marshallsonline.com

Great discount destination for family gear, home needs, shoes, knick-knacks and more. Shop early and often. The good stuff tends to go quickly. The best part is the shoes!!

Neiman Marcus

Check website for local stores

<http://www.neimanmarcus.com>

For inspiration and the occasional splurge, nothing beats Neiman Marcus. Simply the best…

Nordstrom

Check website for DC Metro locations

www.nordstrom.com

Nordstrom is simply the best! Oh how I long for the day when Nordstrom was a mandatory stop for many of my wardrobe needs. Their shoe selection is amazing. Surprisingly, prices are moderate for some clothing and women's shoes. The staff is always very accommodating. If up-scale chic is what you are after, there is no shortage of high-end wares. They have a great selection of Spanx under garments. Last note, sign up for the Nordstrom newsletter to be notified about upcoming sales.

Not My Daughter's Jeans

www.notyourdaughtersjeans.com

Ask women across America what their number one problem area is, and the response will overwhelmingly be "my belly!" What woman doesn't want to look slimmer and sexier in their jeans? Look no further, Not Your Daughter's Jeans® are here to flatten your tummy, lift your butt and allow you to wear one size smaller. Women with real curves everywhere are discovering that these three little things are just the ticket to look and feel their best. Not Your Daughter's Jeans® challenges women to try them on and not look and feel their personal best. Jeans can be found @ Nordstrom and Zappos. Check the website for more information.

Old Navy

Check website for DC Metro locations

www.oldnavy.com

Great for kid's clothes and pjs for all ages.

Shopbop.Com (Online Store)

Online Store

www.shopbop.com

Shop by brand, category and even trend on this awesome online fashion hub. Style mavens will love the endless selection of designer duds at great prices.

Shop It To Me (Online Store)

<http://www.shopittome.com>

Think of Shop It To Me as your free personal online shopper. Select your favorite apparel brands (such as Theory, Prada, Armani, Ella Moss, Juicy Couture, Seven Jeans, DKNY, or BCBG) and sizes. They will scour the websites of leading retailers like Nordstrom, Saks Fifth Avenue, Bloomingdales, Banana Republic, Gap, Zappos and Bluefly and send you a Salemail™ - a daily or weekly email summary of which new items go on sale in your size.

Target

<http://www.target.com/>

Yes I said Target for women's fashion. I have it on good authority that Target is a perfectly respectable spot to shop for fashion bargains. They are great for some fun items like Gilligan & O'Malley underwear, Liz Lange maternity as well as some ladies casual wear. You will also find ASSETS® by Sara Blakely® a.k.a Spanx for \$10.00. Of course we can't forget the 1,000 other things that Target carries to make life just a little easier.

Zappos

On The Web

www.zappos.com

Oh my...you have to check out Zappos. If you are looking for the most fabulous assortment of women's, men's and kids' clothes, shoes and accessories you have found a home. Zappos has an insane assortment of everything including: Ugg boots, Kate Spade glasses, infant wear, Crocs and loads more. They have diverse wears that range from running shoes to couture. High end finds include Stuart Weitzman shoes, Lucky Brand jeans, Carolina Herrera eyewear as well as Dolce & Gabbana products. Whether you are working with a big or small budget, Zappos has something for you. They marry an incredible assortment of products with world class customer service, free shipping, 24/7 customer service line and free returns.