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The original, highly acclaimed, silk-covered edition of Vintage Black Glamour. Packed with rarely seen photographs of Black actors, models, writers and entertainers of the early part of the 20th century, many of whom have been sorely neglected—until now—it was judged by Oprah.com to be one of their top ten books to buy & keep.

Alongside profiles and the photographs of world-renowned Black stars such as Josephine Baker, Dorothy Dandridge and Diana Ross are less-known but hugely important artists such as opera singer Margaret Tynes, Cotton Club star Margot Webb, pioneering model Ophelia De Vore, and many, many more.

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## **Vintage Black Glamour Details**

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## From Reader Review Vintage Black Glamour for online ebook

### Aj says

Gorgeous photos and lots of information about both household names and lesser-known black female stars of the last century. Two stars off because the book is riddled with typos.

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### Monica says

Beautiful Book to Display... Loved looking at the gorgeous pictures and learning about lesser known Black Entertainers.

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### Winter Sophia Rose says

Breathtaking, & Mesmerizing!!! A Spellbinding Read!!! I Loved It!!!

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### CarolinaQT says

Perfection, from cover to cover.

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### Kim says

A gorgeous coffee table book that is so much more than simply beautiful images. It is a history of black starlets and icons, their biographies and images of a time lost. Along with well-known stars like Josephine Baker and Lena Horne, you'll find images and stories of less publicized women such as opera singer Margaret Tynes (the author's aunt) and Ophelia De Vore.

The stories told in Vintage Black Glamour took me back to my childhood summers spent in Virginia with my grandmother, with me rummaging through her old copies of Jet and Ebony, wishing I were as glamorous as Diana Ross and Diahann Carroll. And these stories, rarely told in mainstream media, are what we need in a time when celebrity seems to only have one face.

A must-have book. I am so glad I found it. Thank you for compiling these images and sharing these stories with us, Nichelle.

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### Nandi Crawford says

Great table top book on our sisters looking their very best.

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