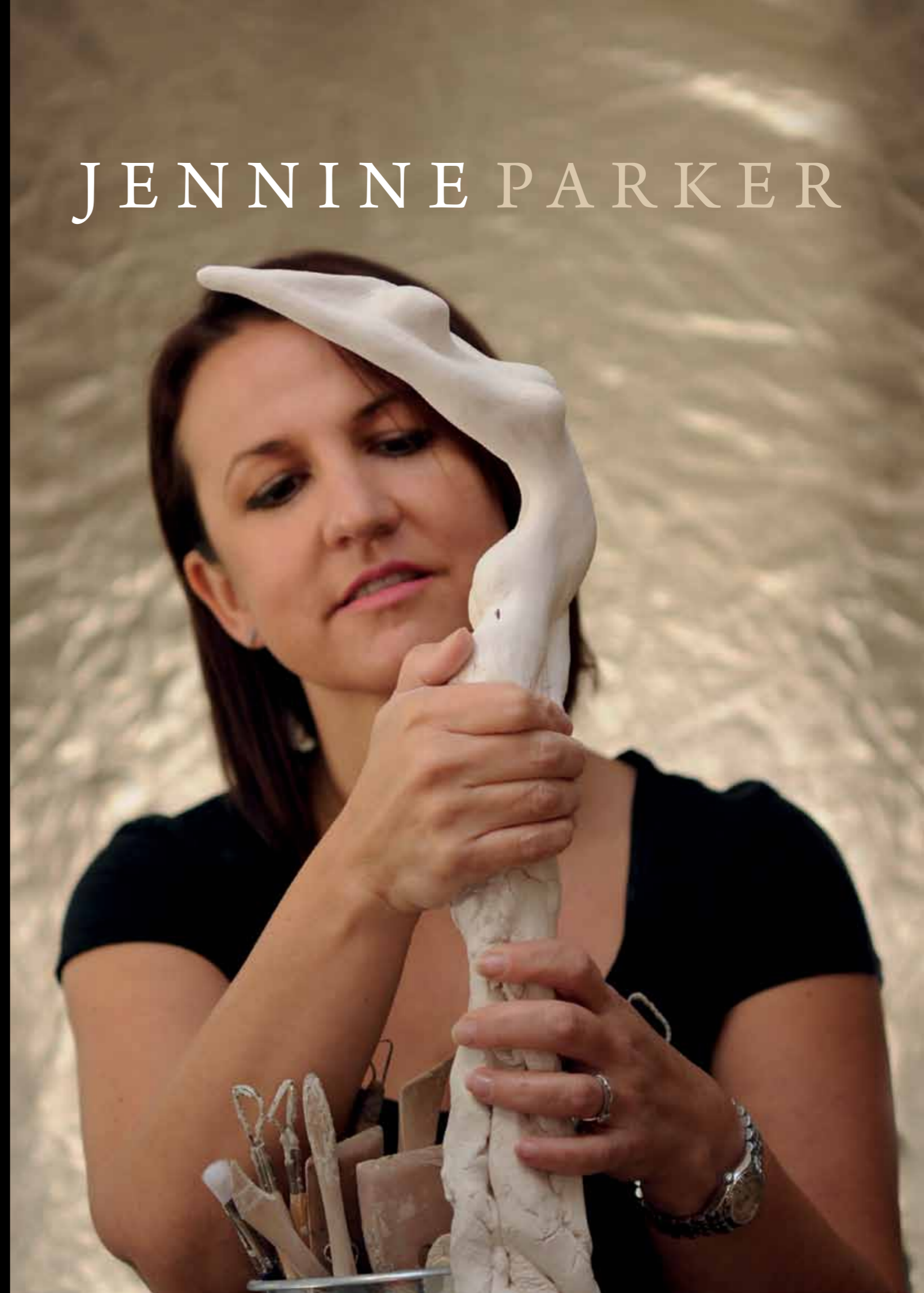


JENNINE PARKER





Sculpture is now widely collected across the UK, and an increasing number of contemporary artists are now producing some exciting and innovative work in three dimensions. In the midst of this trend, certain individuals stand out from the field, and one such figure is the hugely talented British sculptor Jennine Parker.

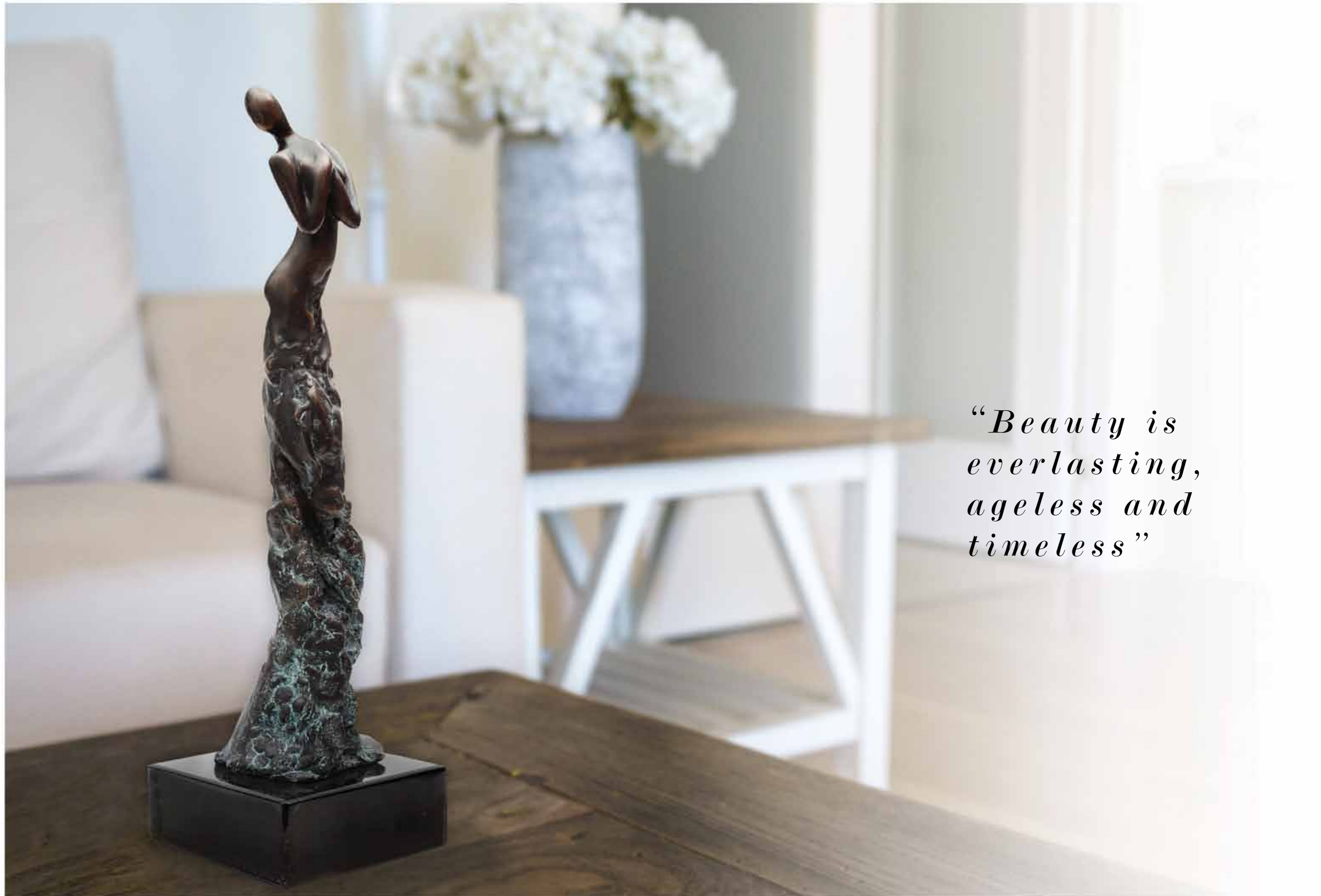
The stories behind Jennine's arresting bronze figures are firmly rooted in her own life; for her, sculpture is not a new departure, but relates back to her childhood. It has given her the freedom to express her personal experience in the world of dancing and gymnastics. She is also inspired by her love of nature as she explains:

*“I see shapes in everything around me, from patterns in knotted wood to shapes that inanimate objects make. I take lots of photographs of weathered stones and walls which can inspire the textured finish to a piece of my work.”*

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bronze resin sculpture  
edition of 195  
size 5" x 14"  
£425





*“Beauty is everlasting, ageless and timeless”*

*Jennine hand builds each piece using a wet or an oil based clay, usually working with a block that she carves into. However, when using oil based clay, she creates a wire frame to give herself the flexibility to create the desired shape. She then builds the sculpture onto the frame from tiny pieces of clay, smoothing over as the layers build up and adding detail and shape as she goes. Once the piece is completed, it is sent off to the foundry to be produced in bronze using the classic lost wax process. This results in a wonderful transition from clay to bronze which is the final evolution of the creative process.*





*divine*

bronze resin sculpture  
edition of 195  
size 5" x 13"  
£425





*“A key influence throughout my life has been one of the twentieth century’s greatest artists, Alberto Giacometti; his stunning pieces convey immense energy and a truly radiant presence, I also get great joy from Rodin, Henry Moore, Barbara Hepworth and Peter Hayes to name but a few. All of these artists have given us their own unique interpretation of the figure in a way that has spoken to us and left their stamp on the world of figurative sculpture. Following in their footsteps has inspired me to work, as they did, towards a genuine personal statement in my work.”*





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*“Beauty prevails  
over the outward  
appearance”*

