

AN ELEGANT AFFAIR

With pure glamour back in fashion, it's no wonder Forties style is suddenly so alluring again. The modern twist? Slim tweeds, slick accessories and a dash of sparkle. Photographed by Carter Smith

LOOKING TO THE PAST: DRIES VAN NOTEN REINVENTS THE SUNDAY-BEST COAT WITH THIS REFINED SLIM-FIT STYLE

Wool-tweed coat, *opposite*, £660.

Sequined silk-tulle skirt, £1,265.

Both by Dries Van Noten, at Liberty and Koh Samui. Leather gloves, £92, at Prada. Ankle-strap sandals, £120, at Russell & Bromley

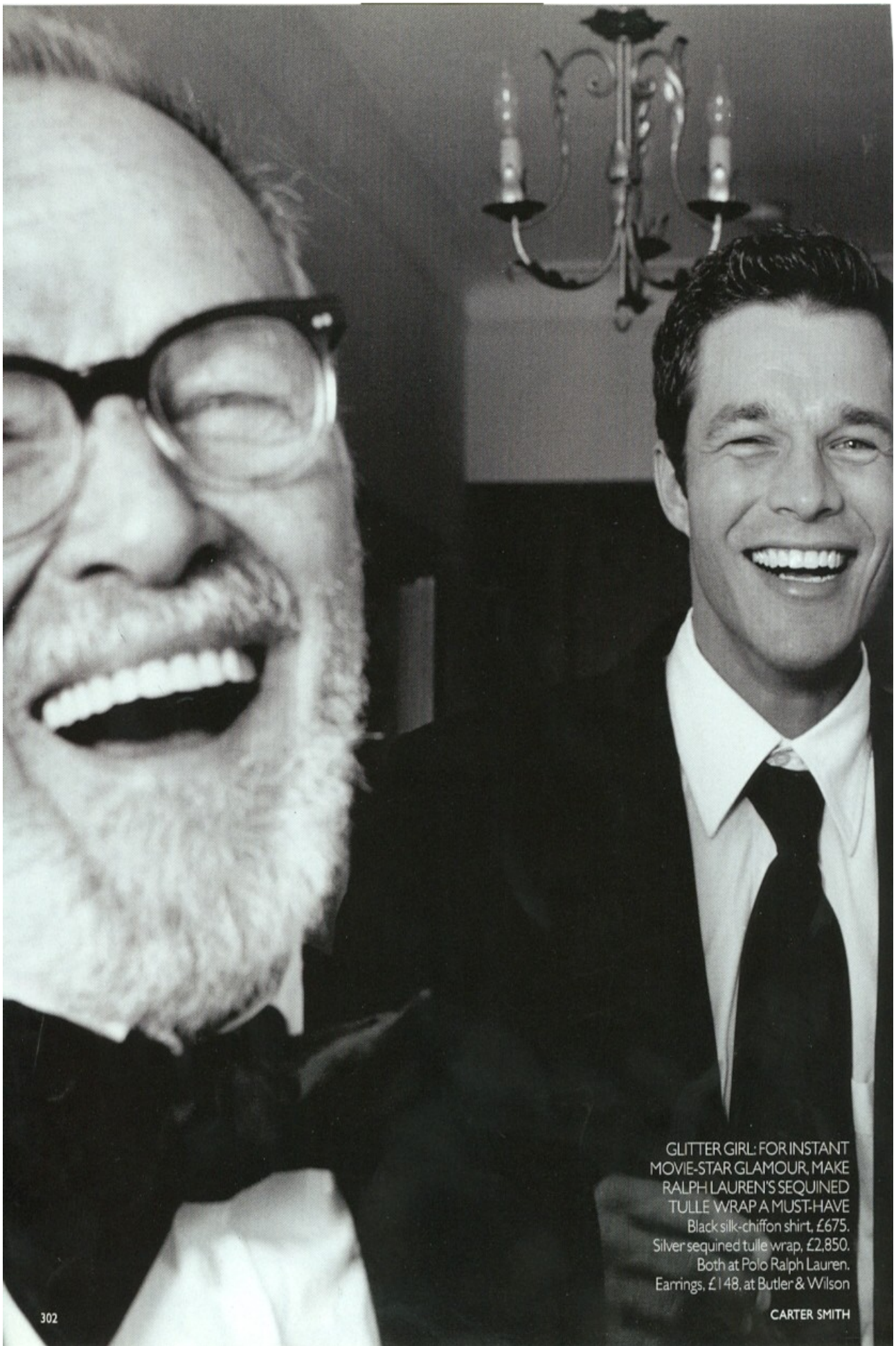
PERFECT PAIR: DOLCE & GABBANA

MAKES PRIM LOOK SO PRETTY

Purple silk-chiffon dress, *this page*, from £1,200, at Dolce & Gabbana.

Cubic Zirconia and silver-gilt earrings, £148, at Butler & Wilson





GLITTER GIRL: FOR INSTANT
MOVIE-STAR GLAMOUR, MAKE
RALPH LAUREN'S SEQUINED
TULLE WRAP A MUST-HAVE
Black silk-chiffon shirt, £675.
Silver sequined tulle wrap, £2,850.
Both at Polo Ralph Lauren.
Earrings, £148, at Butler & Wilson