

Priyal Bhardwaj's Rangtaari Celebrates the Sari with Handcrafted Summer Hues

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New Delhi – Priyal Bhardwaj, the designer-politician behind Label PB, continues her sartorial ode to the sari with her latest collection, Rangtaari. This edit celebrates the natural beauty of the nine-yard, blending artisanal heritage with contemporary sensibilities.

Craft Meets Contemplation

Rangtaari draws inspiration from **ancient batik techniques**, honouring the slowness of handwork. The collection brings to life the **rustle of looms**, **the aroma of melting wax**, **and the cadence of brushes meeting fabric**, creating pieces that are both vibrant and quietly meditative—a reflection of the **modern woman's poise and individuality**.

Motifs and Themes

Each sari features hand-painted florals, botanical symbols, and organic lines that echo the rhythms of nature. Some pieces even narrate stories from the Ramayana and Mahabharata, ensuring that no two saris are alike and giving every wearer a motif uniquely her own.

Colour Palette

The palette evokes Indian summers and understated joy:

- Sun-washed Terracotta grounding, sun-kissed, earthen tones
- Mango Yellow vibrant and celebratory
- Indigo Blue deep, meditative, timeless
- Blush Pink/Lilac soft, feminine, ethereal
- Forest Green lush, verdant, serene

Fabrics and Silhouettes

Rangtaari showcases handloom cotton and silk blends, chosen for both tactile comfort and visual richness. Each sari drapes effortlessly, highlighting artisanal detailing and painterly motifs.

Looking Ahead

Bhardwaj confirms that Rangtaari is only the **first chapter**. The next phase promises **bolder colours and traditional batik compositions**, maintaining the rhythm of wax and dye while exploring **more fearless and free expressions** of

craft.

For enthusiasts of heritage Indian textiles with a modern narrative, Rangtaari offers a contemplative yet celebratory vision of the sari, seamlessly merging artistry, storytelling, and wearable elegance.

? **Style Takeaway:** Hand-painted motifs, sun-drenched palettes, and artisanal batik techniques make Rangtaari a **timeless summer edit**, perfect for women who value heritage, craft, and individuality.

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