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PERFECT PERIDOT

Peridot, the August birthstone, was once popular with the Egyptians and ancient Romans. The stone's green shimmer does not change, even in artificial light, which led to its nickname -- "emerald of the evening." While peridot faded in popularity after the Medieval and Baroque eras, the stone came back strong in the late 20th century, when a large deposit of peridot was found in Pakistan.

Even if you're not an August baby, peridot is sure to please anyone who enjoys beautiful gems. The stone's vivid green color coupled with hints of gold make peridot a perfect compliment to summer clothing and events. Summer still abounds as do opportunities to wear your fine jewelry.

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