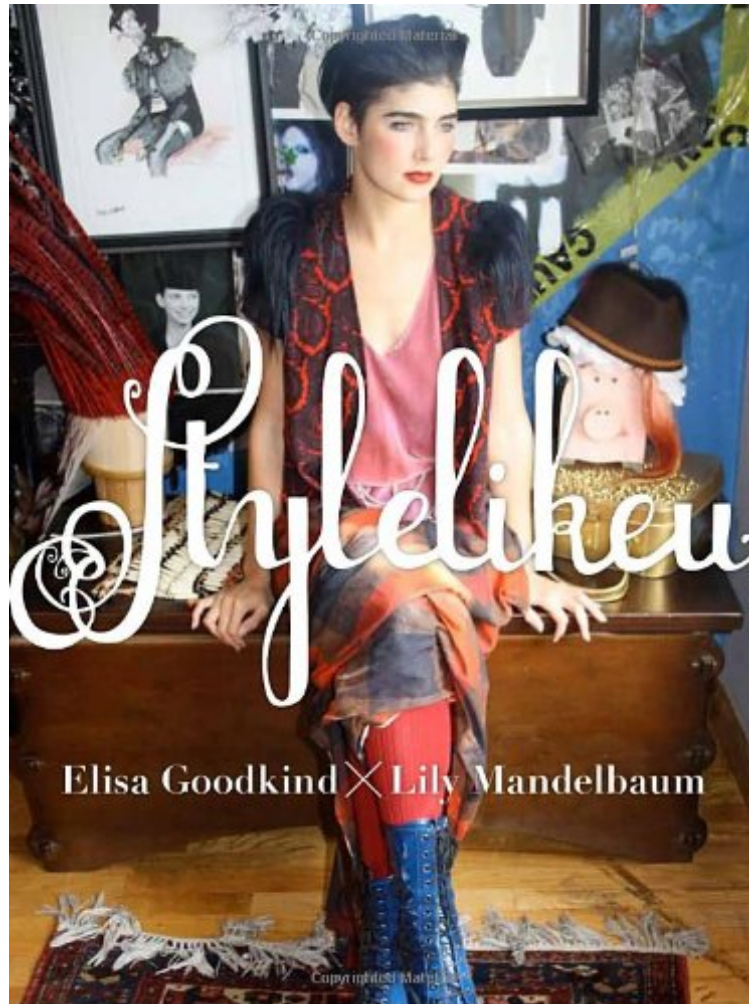


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Elisa Goodkind, Lily Mandelbaum : Stylelikeu before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Stylelikeu:

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. If you love the site, you'll love the book. By Karen Adrian Firstly, I want to say that I have zero affiliation with the publishers or with the authors or anyone involved in the site, I'm just a fan who thoroughly enjoys peering into other people's stylish homes and closets! That being said, this is a great book! It offers a nice variety of some of their coolest profiles and is great to flip through for all types of inspiration from wardrobe to interior design. It's really great to see an honest portrait of contemporary living that isn't staged by a high priced design firm in some ridiculously expensive and unattainable homes. These are real people (although some very quirky, granted!), in their real homes, the way they really live. And it's wonderful. The actual size and feel of the book are so nicely done as well. It's substantial without being oversized, and is a nice sized volume overall. The cover is a

nice heavy printed almost linen like surface which is gorgeous. I proudly keep this book out with a few others I love for people to flip through when they visit and invariably this one always draws the most attention! And excellent buy for anyone who loves style and fashion and appreciates individualism, this book explores all of those subjects beautifully! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. This book is how I wish fashion magazines looked. Vastly different people with vastly different styles. By Bree I love all the different styles in this book. It is the perfect book to make you wanna dress up. I wish there were more books like this. 2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Lone Dissenter By butterflylovah I have to say I was more than a little shocked when I received this book today and cracked open the cover. I really enjoy the StylelikeU website. I find it very inspiring. Not everyone featured meshes with my own aesthetics or personal style but it's great to get some new perspectives and be inspired by things you wouldn't normally put together. I was just disappointed at some of the photo choices in this book - some of them focus on very banal details or the photos are dark /or low quality. Maybe it's just a matter of personal preference but if I had my druthers there would be more photos of people like Elisa Palomino and less photos of dirty boots on a shelf.

Stylelikeu, created by mother-daughter team Elisa Goodkind and Lily Mandelbaum, goes way beyond the now ubiquitous and static poses of street-fashion bloggers The Sartorialist, Face Hunter, and all the rest, and instead, brings us into the homes and more importantly the closets of the most stylish people on the streets of New York, Los Angeles, London, and more. Not interested in celebrities and the stylists who dress them, Elisa and Lily have an uncanny knack for finding and gaining the trust of people who march to the beat of their own, very chic, drummer. Often spending up to three hours with the most daring and original dressers they can find, Stylelikeu photographs each fashionable person in several different looks of the subjects choosing. To probe deeper into each subject's personal style, they conduct intimate interviews on their ambitions, influences, and dreams, making each portrait so much more than yet another street photograph. From the most personal pieces in their subjects' wardrobes, to the favorite books on their shelves, to the most precious objects in their houses, Stylelikeu goes far beyond mere appearances to showcase how creativity is fostered and manifested by living in the most stylish way of all: true to oneself. Trumpeted in the press for Elisa and Lily's departure from the top-down nature of mass-market fashion, where the editors of popular fashion magazines tell consumers what is stylish, Stylelikeu represents the vanguard of a new, DIY, fashion-media paradigm. It is a bold and inspirational experiment, documenting fashion at its source: the individual. A few of the 1000+ comments left by fans of the Stylelikeu website: Was just talking about how he NEEDED to be on this site. So amazing. I find her absolutely mesmerizing. She is so full of life and charm. She has a wonderfully contagious spirit. She is such an inspiration and I would love to be like her someday. I love that you guys feature such a diverse group of people all ages, races, sizes, budgets. It shows how everyone can have style. I don't have any words to describe how amazing those two girls are! They are the true inspiration for all the girls in this entire universe!

Full of beautiful images of sartorial inspiration, including collages of hands garnished with jaw-dropping gems, club kids posing in their bedrooms and little old ladies who refuse to hang up the treads and pants. T Style, New York Times What started as Stylelikeu co-founder Lily Mandelbaum's personal scrapbook is now an inspirational tome that is much more enthralling than any editorial we've ever seen. StyleList The photos are a mix of close-ups of shoes, accessories and tattoos and full-page spreads on a given fashionista in different outfits. The best part is that you could actually dress like these people. Chicago Tribune About the Author Elisa Goodkind is a native New Yorker. She first entered the fashion industry as Fashion Editor at Glamour and Self magazines. She has also worked extensively as a professional stylist and her work has been published in Interview, In Style, Vanity Fair, Vanity Fair Italy, Uomo Vogue, Marie Claire, Tatler, Harpers Bazaar Spain, Stiletto, Elle France, Gotham, Glamour, and City. Lily Mandelbaum, Elisa Goodkind's daughter, is currently an undergraduate filmmaking and anthropology major at NYU's Gallatin School of Individualized Study. After taking a life-changing trip to Nairobi's Kibera slum in 2009, Mandelbaum completed a documentary film that depicts the struggles faced by slum orphans. She hopes the attention generated by the film will help create opportunities for these children to become educated and attain a brighter future.