

ANDREW NYCE DESIGNS

Andrew Nyce Designs crafts unique, custom rings that embody the bonds of love.
Let Andrew Nyce help you create an expression of your love.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL



Andrew Nyce Designs offers handcrafted Damascus Stainless Steel wedding bands and ring sets, engagement rings, commitment rings and men's rings.

Damascus Stainless Steel rings are created by complex processes involving forging, twisting, rolling and bonding metal alloys together so that they are intimately and intricately entwined. The parallel between the interdependent relationship of the metals and two individuals is evident.

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ABOUT US

To me, metalsmithing is more than just the technique of working metals into a desired shape. It is the skillful blending of art and science to create a lasting symbol of one person's love for another.

Andrew Nyce Designs

Andrew Nyce knows metals. Trained as a Metallurgist and Materials scientist, Andrew carried out research and development on high-performance metals and ceramics for 43 years. In 2002, he formed Andrew Nyce Designs and embarked on a new career that married his passion for metals with his interest in jewelry-making and metalsmithing.

Andrew Nyce Designs crafts unique, custom-designed wedding, commitment, engagement, and men's rings in Mokume Gane and Damascus Stainless Steel. It was natural for Andrew to gravitate toward these unusual and complex materials.

"I am intrigued by the history and beauty of Mokume Gane and Damascus Stainless Steel. Each of these materials has beauty in their patterns, colors and the play of shadow and light that speaks to me and motivates me each day. No two pieces of jewelry are ever exactly the same."

Andrew Nyce

Andrew's career as a goldsmith and jewelry designer did not follow a traditional path. For most of his professional career, Andrew worked with exotic materials in the realm of science and engineering. Andrew holds B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Metallurgy and Materials Science. And he founded and managed a highly successful advanced materials consulting R&D firm. Through the years, he occasionally created art and jewelry from these high-tech materials but never pursued it as an artistic endeavour.

At the start of the new millennium, two years before selling his business, Andrew began taking jewelry-making classes at the Maine College of Art. Upon selling his company in 2002, Andrew pushed headlong into jewelry-making with the same dedicated approach that he brought to his former career. In the jewelry studio, Andrew found that he was able to balance his artistic side with his scientific side.

Along with additional coursework at the Maine College of Art, Andrew has immersed himself in carefully selected intensive jewelry workshops that focus on design and technique. He also has undertaken hundreds of hours of private lessons with master goldsmiths and teachers including Tim McCreight, Pauline Warg, Jean Paterak, Ann Hollerbach, Paulette Werger, Blaine Lewis, Kate Wolf, Phil Piorier, Steve Midgett, and James Binnion.

Adhering to a motto of continuous learning and scientific discovery, Andrew has embarked on several collaborative research projects designed to advance the state of the art of jewelry-making for practicing jewelers. These projects have provided Andrew with knowledge and experience that make him a better goldsmith. Along with his co-authors, Andrew was presented with a collaborative research award from the Santa Fe Symposium on jewelry manufacturing technology in both 2005 and 2007.

Vladimir Shuper

Vladimir Shuper brings a new dimension to Andrew Nyce Designs with his 32 years as a Master Goldsmith. Vladimir joined Andrew Nyce Designs as a senior Master Goldsmith with responsibility for fabrication and stone setting of custom designed rings. Vladimir works with Andrew Nyce on new Damascus and Mokume ring and jewelry designs. Vladimir is proficient in all phases of fabricating jewelry using all types of precious metals and gemstone settings. His skill set includes laser welding and stone setting.

Vladimir worked as a bench jeweler in Moscow, Russia for 12 years. After moving to Portland, Maine and holding several positions as a bench jeweler, Vladimir took a position with Brown Goldsmiths in Freeport, Maine; he remained there for 18 years. In 2010, he joined Jewelry Trade Technical Services in Portland. At JTTS, Vladimir worked on a variety of custom jewelry projects including stone setting and fabricating Mokume Gane and Damascus rings for Andrew Nyce Designs.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL THE TECHNIQUE

The term "Damascus steel" can be used to describe a secret, ancient process of making swords or the modern process of forging jewelry or knives using a layering technique. Either way, Damascus steel also refers to the swirling pattern revealed when etching the final product. The intricacy and beauty of the final configuration, along with the strength and durability achieved through the layering method, make Damascus steel an excellent choice for developing timeless pieces of jewelry.

The origin of the name is as complex as the possible applications of the term. The surface patterns on Damascus sword blades and knives resemble turbulent damasc—the Arabic word for water. Another explanation is these swords were made by a man named Damasqui. The most likely source is geographical: the city of Damascus in Syria.

The Ancient Story

There are several theories on the origin of Damascus steel. It can be traced back to India and Sri Lanka (300-100 BC) where it was referred to as wootz steel. This highly purified metal and unique process slowly made its way to the Middle East between 900 AD and 1000 AD where the method was refined. Weaponry made of this steel was commonly produced and sold in Damascus, Syria—a successful international trading center of the time. As these arms spread throughout the area and the rest of the Fatimid Empire, the term Damascus steel was born.

French and English armies first encountered Damascus steel weapons during the crusades. These swords were said to have almost mythical qualities, such as the ability to cut through a knight's blade or even rock without losing its sharpness. European blacksmiths attempted to duplicate the legendary steel using a pattern welding technique. They even went so far as to etch their swords or decorate them with metallic overlays to match the look of Damascus steel. However, they were never successful in replicating the power and malleability of the superior steel. Metal smiths and artisans in the Middle East continued making Damascus steel swords and knives until 1750 AD, when the legendary process was unexplainably lost.

The Modern Story

Today, the term Damascus steel refers to the combination of two different kinds of steels that are welded and forged into a bar or rod with a multitude of layers. After patterning techniques are applied, the Damascus is etched to reveal the distinctive pattern of those layers; the signature swirling configuration made famous by those ancient weapons.

In Sweden, a new spin on the old Damascus steel process has been developed whereby alternating layers of two different kinds of stainless steel powders are hot isostatically pressed together. The resulting diffusion-bonded duplex steel billet is subjected to traditional steel processing techniques to form round billets which are subjected to the same techniques used by the early metalsmiths to produce Damascus Stainless Steel.

Andrew Nyce Designs is currently manufacturing its own uniquely patterned Damascus Stainless Steel which is made and processed in the U.S.

Although there are some similarities, the processes for making both Damascus rings and Damascus knife blades are quite different. For a finished Damascus ring, there are 25 to 30 operations including, initial bonding, hot deformation, selective material removal, followed by shaping and forming the ring itself. The process begins with sheets of stainless steel that are bonded under heat and pressure. The bonded material is then subject to deformation under heat and pressure. Patterning of the deformed metal involves the selective removal of material.

Reflections on Working With Damascus Stainless Steel

Andrew Nyce shares his thoughts on why he enjoys working with Damascus Stainless Steel:

"The natural beauty of etched Damascus patterns, their corrosion resistance, the fact that they are made from powders, and their similarity to Mokume patterns are the attributes that attracted me to Damascus Stainless Steel.

The modern day Damascus Stainless Steel used in my rings is made by hot isostatically pressing alternating layers of two different kinds of stainless steel powders. In my contract R&D business, I was involved in hot isostatically pressing metal powders. So, it was only natural for me to gravitate toward Damascus."

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL COLLECTIONS

Damascus Stainless Steel rings replicate the strength and subtle beauty of the ancient swords hand crafted by Syrian artisans over a thousand years ago. These rings are bold but not brash, enduring yet still complex.

Damascus patterns bring to mind steady trade winds propelling tall ships, the bright halo bursting from stars set in a dark sky, or the many rings counted on the base of a massive Redwood tree detailing its storied life. They remind us of mosaic tiles carefully encrusted into the floor of a luxurious Roman villa or the gaseous bands that encircle the Ring Nebula or the Eye of Jupiter.

Whether you choose the rugged elegance of the Essentials Collection or you opt for the more ornate Embraced Collection, the addition of precious metals such as Gold, Platinum, Palladium provides subtle or striking contrasts to the intricate patterns of the Stainless Steel band.

To begin creating your unique, heirloom quality ring or ring set, please review the catalog and select a preferred style by Collection and then determine your favorite Damascus pattern. Your choice of domed or flat profile is available for all Collections. Rings can have either a matte or polished surface finish.

[The Essentials Collection](#)

For those who prefer a classic, uncomplicated look, The Essentials Collection is the least elaborate design. The distinctive Damascus pattern is the star and can be seen throughout the ring, including the inside. The profile is typically domed across the top to maintain the rugged beauty of this collection. Options include adding a liner or gemstones.

[The Embraced Collection](#)

When enveloping Damascus Stainless Steel in a solid channel of Gold, Platinum or Palladium, the result is The Embraced Collection. A band as unique and eternal as your love cradled in precious metal makes this collection a favorite for wedding and commitment sets.

[The Grooved Collection](#)

We have taken our classic Damascus Steel band and dug a groove around the surface of the ring. In doing so, we have used the groove to divide the subtle beauty of the Damascus pattern and yet still enable enough cues to allow the wearer to visualize the entire pattern. This ring design should get you into the Groove.

[The Meridian Collection](#)

The Meridian Collection takes the concept of wrapped around your finger a step further. An inlaid band of precious metal intersects the surface of the ring to form a meridian which bisects the Damascus pattern. Options include adding a liner or gemstones.

[The Engagement Collection](#)

Our distinctive Damascus bands can be enhanced with a diamond setting for the perfect one-of-a-kind engagement ring or anniversary gift. Additionally, the Cathedral design adds a dynamic flair that results in a visually stunning engagement ring. Wedding or commitment bands can be created at the same time to match your engagement ring. Options include adding a liner or gemstones.

[The Men's Collection](#)

This ring is for the man who likes to make a bold statement. There are three styles to choose from: BOLD, JET, and JET Racer. An extra wide Damascus Stainless Steel band sets the Men's Collection apart. Rings made from this "metal of legends" are sophisticated, yet rugged and distinctly masculine. They radiate the power required to forge them and the strength that makes them so durable. These pieces are the perfect gift for Father's Day, academic or military graduation, promotions, political appointments, ordination, or other personal and professional milestones.

[The unLINER Collection](#)

The unLINER is formed by applying a high polish to the inner surface of the Damascus Steel band. It is a low cost alternative to having a precious metal liner and is available for all Essentials, Meridian, JET, JET Racer and Grooved Damascus wedding and men's rings.

To add your own personal sense of style, gemstones can be set into the surface of the ring.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL ESSENTIALS COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel is unadorned (i.e., no inner liner or edges) to provide a simple, yet elegant look. The distinctive Damascus pattern is visible from all sides of the ring, inside and out.



DAM-ES1

Essentials Starlight Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ES3

Essentials Wood Grain Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Wood Grain pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ES4

Essentials Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ES5

Essentials Thor Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Thor pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL ESSENTIALS COLLECTION

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DAM-ES6

Essentials Safari Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Safari pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ES8

Essentials Woodcut Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ES9

Essentials Remington Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL ESSENTIALS COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel is unadorned (i.e., no inner liner or edges) to provide a simple, yet elegant look. The distinctive Damascus pattern is visible from all sides of the ring, inside and out.



DAM-ESG1

Essentials Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Flush Set
Diamond

Stainless Steel band with Wood Grain pattern and a 0.11 carat square cut diamond flush set in a 950 Palladium bezel. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ESL1

Essentials Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious
Metal Liner

Stainless Steel band with Starlight pattern and a 950 Palladium liner. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-ES-UL1

Essentials Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with the
unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Thor pattern and the unLINER. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL ESSENTIALS COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel is unadorned (i.e., no inner liner or edges) to provide a simple, yet elegant look. The distinctive Damascus pattern is visible from all sides of the ring, inside and out.



DAM-ES-HP1

Essentials Halfpipe Damascus Steel Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern and a Halfpipe ring profile.

Concave ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL EMBRACED COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel is set in a solid channel of Gold, Platinum or Palladium. The channel draws attention to the Damascus Stainless Steel band by embracing it either in warm, vibrant colors (Yellow or Red Gold) or cool, distinguished colors (White Gold, Platinum or Palladium).



DAM-EM1

Embraced Starlight Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious Metal Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern set in an 18K Royal Yellow Gold channel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Polished surface finish.



DAM-EM4

Embraced Wood Grain Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious Metal Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Wood Grain pattern set in a 18K Palladium White Gold channel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-EM5

Embraced Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious Metal Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern set in an 18K Palladium White Gold channel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Polished surface finish.



DAM-EM6

Embraced Remington Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious Metal Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern set in an 18K Royal Yellow Gold channel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Polished surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL EMBRACED COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel is set in a solid channel of Gold, Platinum or Palladium. The channel draws attention to the Damascus Stainless Steel band by embracing it either in warm, vibrant colors (Yellow or Red Gold) or cool, distinguished colors (White Gold, Platinum or Palladium).



DAM-EM10

Embraced Safari Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with
Precious Metal Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Safari pattern set in an 18K
Royal Yellow Gold channel.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface
finish.



DAM-EM11

Embraced Woodcut Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with
Precious Metal Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern set in a seamless
18K Royal Yellow Gold channel.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Polished surface
finish.



DAM-EMRE1

Embraced Starlight Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with
Precious Metal Channel and Raised Edges

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern and 950 Palladium
liner and rounded raised edges.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL GROOVED COLLECTION

We have taken our classic Damascus band and etched a groove into the surface of the ring, dividing the subtle beauty of the Damascus pattern.



DAM-GR1

Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Single Groove and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern, a single groove down the center of the ring, and the unLINER.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.



DAM-GR2

Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Dual Grooves and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, two grooves down the center of the ring, and the unLINER.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.



DAM-GRG1

Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Single Groove, Flush Set Diamond, and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern, a single groove down the center of the ring, a 0.05 carat round diamond flush set in the groove, and the unLINER.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MERIDIAN COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel with an inlaid band of Gold, Platinum or Palladium that intersects the surface of the ring forming a meridian which bisects the Damascus pattern.



DAM-MER1

Meridian Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious Metal
Inlaid Band

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern. An inlaid band of 18K Yellow Gold encircles the ring, bisecting the Damascus pattern. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Inlaid band with matte finish.

Available in limited Damascus patterns.



DAM-MERU1

Meridian Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Ultra-Narrow
Precious Metal Inlaid Band

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern. An ultra-narrow inlaid band of 18K Royal Yellow Gold encircles the ring, bisecting the Damascus pattern. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Inlaid band with matte finish.



DAM-MERG1

Meridian Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with Precious Metal
Inlaid Band, Bezel Set Gemstones and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern. An inlaid band of 18K Yellow Gold encircles the ring and contains a 0.1 carat round center diamond and two 0.03 carat satellite diamonds set in 18K Royal Yellow Gold bezels.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Polished inner surface. Inlaid band with matte finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MERIDIAN COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel with an off-center inlaid band of Gold, Platinum or Palladium that intersects the surface of the ring forming a meridian which divides the Damascus pattern.



DAM-SI1

Outer Limits Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with
Off-Center Precious Metal Inlaid Band and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern, an off-center inlaid band of 18K Yellow Gold, and the unLINER.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.



DAM-SIG1

Outer Limits Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with
Off-Center Precious Metal Inlaid Band, Flush Set Diamond,
and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern, an off-center inlaid band of 18K Yellow Gold, a 0.05 carat (2mm) flush set square diamond, and the unLINER.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL ENGAGEMENT COLLECTION

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel crowned with a diamond and precious metal setting.



EDAM-EM2

Half Round Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Half Round Diamond Engagement Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern and black oxide coating, set in an 18K Royal Yellow Gold channel with rounded rails, and 1 carat round diamond in an 18K Royal Yellow Gold custom Chalice setting.

Domed ring profile with Comfort fit. Polished surface finish.



EDAM-ES1

Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Diamond Engagement Ring with Precious Metal Inlaid Band

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern and black oxide coating, a wide inlaid band of 18K Royal Yellow Gold, and 1 carat round diamond in an 18K Royal Yellow Gold custom Chalice setting.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Polished surface finish. Inlaid band with soft matte finish.

Available in limited Damascus patterns.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

The BOLD Men's ring is a band of Damascus Stainless Steel set in either a seamless channel of Stainless Steel or nine precious metal alloys. The bold, wide design is sophisticated, yet distinctly masculine.



DAM-BW1

BOLD Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Precious Metal Channel and Wide Edges

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern and black oxide coating, set in an 18K Royal Yellow Gold channel with extra wide edges.

Flat across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-BW2

BOLD Woodcut Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Stainless Steel Channel and Wide Edges

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern set in a seamless 316 Stainless Steel channel with extra wide edges.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-BN1

BOLD Woodcut Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Stainless Steel Channel

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern and black oxide coating, set in a seamless 316 Stainless Steel channel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

The BOLD Men's ring is a band of Damascus Stainless Steel set in either a seamless channel of Stainless Steel or nine precious metal alloys. The bold, wide design is sophisticated, yet distinctly masculine.



DAM-BGEM1

BOLD Starlight Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Stainless Steel Channel and Flush Set Diamond

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern and black oxide coating, set in a seamless 316 Stainless Steel channel with a 0.11 carat flush set square cut diamond.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-BSAP1

BOLD Starlight Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Stainless Steel Channel and Flush Set Sapphire

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern and black oxide coating, set in an 18K Palladium White Gold channel with a 0.12 carat square cut Ceylon Blue Sapphire flush set in a 950 Palladium bezel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-BDIA1

BOLD Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Stainless Steel Channel and Flush Set Diamonds

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern and black oxide coating, set in a 316 stainless steel channel with one 0.11 carat flush set square cut white diamond and two 0.1 carat flush set round black diamonds.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

Men's JET rings have a band of Damascus Stainless Steel with a black oxide coating that provides the pattern with dramatic contrast.



DAM-JET1

JET Starlight Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern and a black oxide coating.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET2

JET Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern and a black oxide coating.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET3

JET Wood Grain Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Wood Grain pattern and a black oxide coating.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET4

JET Safari Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Safari pattern and a black oxide coating.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

Men's JET rings have a band of Damascus Stainless Steel with a black oxide coating that provides the pattern with dramatic contrast.



DAM-JET5

JET Remington Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern and a black oxide coating.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET7

JET Woodcut Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern and a black oxide coating.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET9

JET Thor Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Thor pattern and a black oxide coating.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

Men's JET rings have a band of Damascus Stainless Steel with a black oxide coating that provides the pattern with dramatic contrast.



DAM-JETL1

JET Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Precious
Metal Liner

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern, black oxide coating,
and 18K Royal Yellow Gold liner.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JETE1

JET Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Precious
Metal Edges

Stainless Steel band with the Thor pattern, black oxide coating, and
18K Royal Yellow Gold edges.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET-UL1

JET Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, black oxide
coating, and the unLINER.
Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

Men's JET rings have a band of Damascus Stainless Steel with a black oxide coating that provides the pattern with dramatic contrast.



DAM-JETG1

JET Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Flush Set
Square Diamond

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, black oxide coating, and a 0.11 carat square cut diamond flush set in a 950 Palladium bezel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JETG2

JET Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Flush Set
Round Black Diamond

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern, black oxide coating, and a 0.1 carat round black diamond flush set in a 950 Palladium bezel.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-JET-HP1

JET Halfpipe Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring

Stainless Steel band with the Woodcut pattern, black oxide coating, and a Halfpipe ring profile.

Concave ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.



DAM-DECON1

Deconstructed Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with
Precious Metal Insert and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Hardwood pattern, black oxide coating, a black oxide coating, and the unLINER. The ring is de-constructed by cutting the Damascus steel band in half along a diagonal, adding a Palladium-enhanced Sterling Silver insert, and bonding the ring together again.

Flat across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL MEN'S COLLECTION

The Men's JET Racer ring is an inlaid band of precious metal that races around the surface complementing the Damascus Stainless Steel pattern.



DAM-JRN1

JET Racer Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with
Textured Precious Metal Inlaid Band

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, a black oxide coating, and an inlaid band of textured 22K Yellow Gold. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Inlaid band with hand-textured finish.



DAM-JRN-DUO1

JET Racer DUO Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with
Two Precious Metal Inlaid Bands

Stainless Steel band with the Remington pattern, a black oxide coating and two inlaid bands of 18K Royal Yellow Gold. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Inlaid bands with matte finish.



DAM-JRW1

JET Racer Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with
Wide Precious Metal Inlaid Band

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, a black oxide coating, and a wide inlaid band of 18K Royal Yellow Gold. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Inlaid band with soft matte finish.
Available in limited Damascus patterns.



DAM-JRC1

JET Racer Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Wide
Precious Metal Inlaid Band and Channel Set Diamonds

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern and black oxide coating, a wide inlaid band of 18K Royal Yellow Gold, and nine channel set 0.025 carat round diamonds. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Inlaid band with soft matte finish.
Available in limited Damascus patterns.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL THE unLINER

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel with a polished inner surface. The unLINER is available for all Essentials, Meridian, JET and JET Racer rings. The highly polished surface has the look of Platinum but the cost of Stainless Steel. The unLINER is a low cost alternative to a precious metal liner.



DAM-UL1

Essentials Damascus Steel Wedding Ring with the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Thor pattern and the unLINER. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Polished inner surface.



DAM-UL2

JET Sea Breeze Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, black oxide coating, and the unLINER. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Polished inner surface.



DAM-UL3

JET Starlight Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern, black oxide coating, and the unLINER. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Polished inner surface.



DAM-UL5

JET Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with Flush Set Diamond and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, black oxide coating, the unLINER, and a 0.11 carat square cut diamond flush set in a 950 Palladium bezel. Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish. Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL THE unLINER

A band of Damascus Stainless Steel with a polished inner surface. The unLINER is available for all Essentials, Meridian, JET and JET Racer rings. The highly polished surface has the look of Platinum but the cost of Stainless Steel. The unLINER is a low cost alternative to a precious metal liner.



DAM-UL6

JET Racer Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring with
Precious Metal Inlaid Band and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Starlight pattern, a black oxide coating, the unLINER, and an inlaid band of textured 22K Yellow Gold.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Inlaid band with hand-textured finish. Polished inner surface.



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JET Racer DUO Damascus Steel Men's Wedding Ring
with Precious Metal Inlaid Bands and the unLINER

Stainless Steel band with the Sea Breeze pattern, a black oxide coating, the unLINER, and two inlaid bands of Palladium-enhanced Sterling Silver.

Domed across top ring profile with Comfort fit. Matte surface finish.
Polished inner surface.

DAMASCUS STAINLESS STEEL PATTERN OPTIONS

Andrew Nyce Designs provides the ability to pair intricate patterns as individual as fingerprints with Sterling Silver, Palladium, Gold or Platinum which allows for both stunning and subtle contrasts of texture and color. Damascus Stainless Steel is composed of austenitic (304L/316L) Stainless Steel.



Starlight Damascus possesses a dense pattern with a distinct star or cross shape.



Wood Grain Damascus mimics the texture of exotic wood grains.



Remington Damascus is a derivative of the Sea Breeze pattern with a linear sequence of small circles and ovals that resembles a series of bull's eye.



Safari Damascus has distinctive animal print markings symmetrically along the surface.



Woodcut Damascus pays homage to the thick, flowing lines of a woodcut print. The pattern reflects more Earthly forms such as the furrows in a freshly plowed field.



Sea Breeze Damascus is a series of rolling, rounded shapes with a bolder and wider pattern than our other Damascus patterns.



Thor Damascus evokes the Norse god of thunder and lightning with its stylized lightning bolt pattern.

RING DESIGN OPTIONS

When ordering a custom-designed Damascus Stainless Steel ring from Andrew Nyce Designs, the following ring dimensions and options are offered:

Ring Shape: Round for all rings. Cathedral for engagement rings.



Ring Size: 4 to 14 (in quarter size increments). Larger or smaller sizes are available on a case-by-case basis.

Overall Ring Width: Damascus Stainless Steel rings are available with overall ring widths from 4mm to 10mm in 1mm increments. Overall ring width includes the width of both the Damascus Stainless Steel band and any design elements selected (edges, liners or channels). Note: Men's Collection rings are available from 6mm and wider.

Ring Thickness: Ring thickness ranges between 1.5mm and 2.25mm thick for all ring sizes. Andrew Nyce Designs provides recommendations to you for ring thickness.

Ring Design Elements: Several design elements can be incorporated into the design of your customized ring.



Liners are inner bands of precious metal alloy attached to the inside of the ring.



Edges are rings of precious metal alloy attached to the sides of the ring. Both square and rounded edges are available.



Channels are single-piece precious metal alloy structures having inner bands with edges.



Inlaid Bands are a thin band of precious metal alloy that is inlaid into the surface of the ring.

For Damascus Stainless Steel rings, inlaid bands are available in several widths depending upon style.

Ring design elements are available in the following materials:

- * Palladium-enhanced Sterling Silver
- * 950 Palladium
- * 14K and 18K Red Gold
- * 14K White Gold
- * 14K and 18K Palladium White Gold
- * 18K Royal Yellow Gold
- * 22K Yellow Gold (Inlaid bands only)
- * 950 Platinum
- * 316 Stainless Steel (Men's rings only)

Ring Profile: Special contouring that is applied to the surface on top of the ring.



Flat Profile



Domed Profile



Halfpipe Profile



Half-Round Profile

Comfort Fit: Special contouring that is applied to the inside surface of the ring to ensure an easier fit. All rings are provided with a Comfort Fit unless otherwise requested.



Comfort Fit



No Comfort Fit

Surface Finish: For Damascus Stainless Steel rings, three surface finishes are available: matte, polished, and black oxide. Surface finish for inlaid bands are soft matte, polished, and hand-textured.

Gemstones: Diamonds, as well as, emeralds, sapphires, rubies, black diamonds, birthstones, and other gemstones are offered. Diamonds are sourced from Stullers.

Gemstone Setting: Gemstone settings including prong, bezel, channel set and flush set. For prong and bezel settings, there are a variety of designs; all of which are available for order.

Gemstone settings are available in the following materials:

- * 14K and 18K White Gold
- * 14K and 18K Palladium White Gold
- * 14K Red Gold
- * 14K and 18K Yellow Gold
- * 950 Platinum
- * 950 Palladium