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For \$50 I can be a “Bombshell” too!

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I watch the TV show “Smash” since I like musicals and Katherine McPhee was a finalist on the last season that I ever watched “American Idol.” (Why I quit AI could be another blog)

“Bombshell” is the name of the fictional Broadway show about Marilyn Monroe. It’s also the name of a Victoria’s Secret bra featuring McPhee in the advertising. She’s a lovely girl with a great voice and terrific figure, but she’s not endowed like Marilyn.

I have a 50th reunion coming up (yeah, I’m that old) and need a dress and a bra that’s not made by Champion.

On the advice of my DD#1 (Sparker Hayburner), I visited VS for the first time in over 20 years when my 30th reunion was on the horizon. That time I bought a “wonder bra” which I found to be a wonder of structural engineering. It took every bit of fat and skin from anywhere in the region of my boobs and redirected it into the bra. Voila! Instant cleavage.

There have been remarkable advances in bra tech since then. Yes, I bought a “bombshell.” Here are a few pictures for comparison.

Me in the bombshell



Ooh, look how those buttons are straining.

You can get a better idea from a side view.

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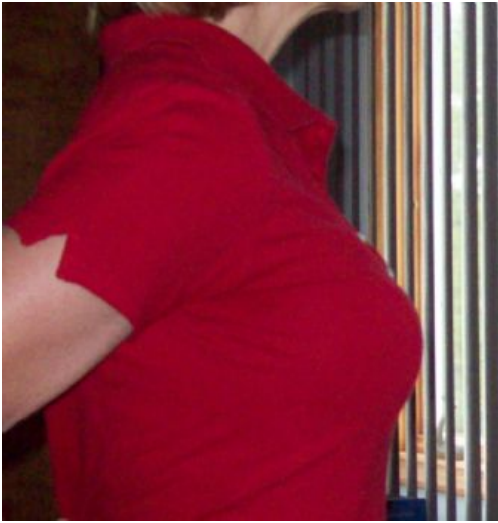
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And for comparison:

Here I am in a cheap bra with regular cups (not wonder or anything)



Then there's the sports bra – the kind I wear everyday.



I like these even if my chest is squished almost even with my ribcage.

"Bombshell" doesn't fit my personality, but it does serve my reunion purpose. I might just knock their socks off or put an eye out if I "run into" a very short person.

I have one question though for well endowed ladies. The size range of this bra is 32AA – 38DD. The

saleswoman had to go to the stockroom to find my 36B – obviously a very popular size.

I understand why a 32AA would want one of these, but does a 38DD really want to add 2 cup sizes?

To be honest, my reunion is 1 year away. I'll need that long to get used to this thing. Actually I was quite glad to be able to put it back in my dresser drawer. I like to sleep on my stomach.

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ANNIEONLI

Lift and separate!!! LMAO! I tried that one on...and started laughing so hard at the results - AMAZING and perfect for a special occasion. I'm a body by Vicotoria padded demi-push up girl myself...totally false advertizing, but at least I look like I still have the girls from pre-wieghtloss! LOL



Have fun with getting to know..the new...um.. "you"
2956 days ago



SUZYMOBILE

Don't think it would work for me under any circumstances! Is there such a size as 32AAAA? Is there any point to wearing a bra then? Pasties would meet any modesty goals one might have.
2957 days ago



WILSONWR

That was good. Can't comment to much further without getting into trouble!
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IONA72

Great blog, next year you can report back on the effects!!
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WATERMELLEN

Thanx for the mammaries!! Funny funny blog: and you have a great figure regardless of which bra you're wearing.



So: does DH have a preference?
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1FARMER

You are way to funny. Please keep us posted as your search continues.



I couldn't resist the pun! LOL Jeanne
2958 days ago



CD13227574

Cleavage?...where's my dictionary?
2959 days ago



LEWILL1982

I hate bra shopping, it never goes well. Last time I was in VS, I spent an hour and a half and tried on every bra (bombshell or push up) in my size (36A). There were only about 8 of them. It didn't go well. Honestly, I have 4 regular bras and 8 sports bras....hadn't thought about that before now....
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CELIAMINER

Several years ago, I went to a store that actually measured me and fitted me for a bra when I announced that the Girls were rapidly going south, and I wanted a better profile. I've never gone back to cheap bras (even my sports bras are good quality), but I have gone back to that store for





refitting as my weight dropped and the Girls shrank more than the rest of me. In general, I'm a fan of T-shirt bras, since I don't like advertising when I'm cold :-D
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ELIDET

I'm a 36 DD and I am surprised at how many bras with padding they make for that size.

I try to not show any cleavage as it is, so no, I would not want them bigger.

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DR1939

I've not tried these but have always wondered if they were similar to the push-up bras we wore in the 50s.

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JOYNEW

You're hilarious!



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COCK-ROBIN

LOL

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LOPEYP

You go, bombshell!

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4A-HEALTHY-BMI

I once went to an Intimacy to see if they could do something with what's left after losing 55% of myself. (The girls are kind of low and empty on their own, and the store was announcing bra fittings)

They had to bring the manager out to figure it out, and in the end the style that worked best was very similar to what I'd been already buying at Walmart! LOL

And yeah, when I was at my maximum weight the girls were very large and I had no interest in enhancing them!

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MISCHAKEO

I wear champions also. That was a cute story. You are ready to be a bombshell at your reunion. You have a year to get used to your new VS, Great blog.

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WALKINGSPARK



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MRS_EVA_K

I myself am a DD and I don't think I'd want to look 2 cup sizes bigger. They get in the way as is..... Anywho unless you plan on doing a Dolly Pardon look alike contest -- no idea....

2959 days ago



CD13886868

This was too funny, especially about needing: "a bra that's not made by Champion". LOL Be careful you don't put your own eye out!

2959 days ago



CD13136117

Always love your blogs - and this one goes in the "top ten" of your great blogs. Thanks for brightening my day with your bombshell story!!

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ONEKIDSMOM

This one cracked me up! Go get 'em, woman! You CAN'T be at a 50th already... must be a nursery school reunion, right? A bra not made by Champion... yeah, while not my personal brand,



the visual is spot on... haven't had one of those in like... forever... at least 4 years.
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WUMPASTAR

I sure DON'T WANT TO put one size over my D's, and even less when I was a DD. Those are already big enough, annoying to carry around and excruciating because you can't find any clothes that won't give you cleavage!!!!
2959 days ago



TORTOISE110

Laughing, laughing. My favorite line is: "...need a dress and a bra that's not made by Champion."

You are so fit you could well get away with the sports bra and knock everyone's socks off at the reunion.
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PHEBESS

I love this blog! (And I have NO idea why a DD needs a bombshell bra!)
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SOPHIEDO13

I use my daily sports bra, but I do have regular bras of different colors about 5 in total, and I have about 4 colors in Sports bra (I love them so soft). Well wishes on your reunion, even if it is a year out LOL, you must be excited !!
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DOVESEYES



a marked difference to be sure. Love the comments...

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