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'SANS SOUCI' is the name of the Bridal Couture collection presented in Paris by Kaviar Gauche. Translated, the French title means "Without a care". For the 2017 season, the designers Alexandra Fischer-Roehler and Johanna Kühl sought inspiration less in the famous palace of that name, but more in the carefree emotions the sentiment inspires.

Moments of joy serve as the inspiration for the new collection "because for us there is nothing more valuable than the special lightness of being and joy of life," say the designers.

Kaviar Gauche showcases a collection for modern women who live their lives with self-determination, free of constraints, while maintaining their free spirit at all times.

These sentiments are transposed onto the 'SANS SOUCI' dresses in the use of stretch fabrics and flowing silhouettes – ensuring optimal wearability. The 22 exclusively ivory-coloured looks beguile once more in their playful use contrasts and innovative diversity – in addition to graceful volant elements the designers show laidback off-the-shoulder looks and clean-cut cape styles, long and flowing or shorter for a more modern contour, paired with A-line trouser legs – a symbiosis of classical femininity and cool elegance.

Filigree 3D daisy embroideries adorn metres of the translucent silk tulle dresses and capes – despite their modern opulence, they are more reminiscent of the simple pleasures of a country dance on the flowering meadows of home.

The daisy motif also makes a reappearance in the headpieces by Cécile Boccara, conferring a goddess aspect to the ethereal look.

As in the preceding collections, in addition to filigree fabrics like chiffon, organza and silk tulle, French lace is also integrated.

Off-the-shoulder details add a modern laidback touch to the princess-style corsage-looks, with the slipped straps hinting at sensual moments.

Flowers on a water lily pond, peacock elements, ears of corn and heart motifs – lace and embroideries inspired by nature and romance are the core elements of the new collection.

The highlights of the season are four couture dresses with sumptuous details. The voluminous silk tulle gowns, embellished with Sans Souci embroideries, spell out the basic tenets of the collection.

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