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Every woman needs a little beauty boost to start the summer. Treat yourself well with five great lines that get your skin, hair and smile radiant.

*blueberries, green tea and milk*

- 1 Infused with natural antioxidants derived from green tea and rosemary, the Alexandrite firming and illuminating gel evens out skin tone in the delicate décolleté area while tightening up the arms, bust, and neck. \$55
  - 2 The revolutionary Q-switch toning gel is enhanced with caffeine derived from Amazonian guarana and maté, ginger, and marine algae, to visibly lift and tone the skin. These natural botanicals help minimize the appearance of cellulite and result in smoother, firmer-looking skin and more beautiful feminine contours. \$60
  - 3 The Afterlase soothing milk is best applied after all those summer activities that expose your face and body to the sun. This softening milk is packed with green tea extracts that help you repair UV-induced skin damage, with rosemary extracts that reduce post-sun exposure redness, and mint extracts that immediately cool the skin. Keep it in the fridge for an even cooler effect. \$49
- ♥ **SHOP DC FAVORITE** This creamy Kantic Mask is packed with antioxidants and oat extracts to soothe and nourish the skin. Blueberries help to quell redness, speed the recovery of distressed skin, and calm irritation. \$60

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