

INSPIRE

● *If I didn't define myself for myself, I would be crunched into other people's fantasies for me and eaten alive.* ●
FEMINIST WRITER, AUDRE LORDE

- ✓ **Fallouts with friends**
- ✓ **Jealous husbands**
- ✓ **Constant judging**
- ✓ **Other women will hate you**



Picture: GETTY (posed by model)

The

honest truth about life after plastic surgery

BY A WOMAN WHO'S HAD 12 MAJOR PROCEDURES!

by Cindy Jackson

I WAS a nerdy, plain and unremarkable teenager when I decided I wanted to change the way I looked. Although, a Mensa member with a genius-level IQ, I'd always known that, for women, beauty is power. So, in my 30s, when I inherited nearly

£50,000 (£150,000 today) I began to spend it on making the very best of myself with the first of 12 full-scale cosmetic surgeries, including jaw and nose remodelling,

face, neck and eye lifts plus liposuction. By 1999, I was being called the 'human Barbie doll' making headlines worldwide. I'm 68 now but am often assumed to be

decades younger and an aesthetics consultant to the A-list. CEOs, celebrities, aristocrats and public figures from around the globe come to me for advice on what to have done and by whom. I know the leading international surgeons – and a good deal of Hollywood.

I also know what happens *after* you've

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