



## The Pink Agenda Supports Breast Cancer Research With A Love, Loss and What I Wore Performance

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When her play *Love, Loss and What I Wore* opened at NYC's Westside Theatre last fall, Nora Ephron (acting as guest editor for our October issue) invited a talented cast of women, including [Meg Ryan](#), [Diane von Furstenberg](#), and [Rosie O'Donnell](#), to bring their own sartorial stories out of the closet—and onto the pages of ELLE. One monologue from the play, involving a breast-cancer survivor, inspired a moving performance by Caroline Rhea at last night's spring gala to benefit The Pink Agenda, a charity founded by Marisa Lee after watching her mother's courageous battle with the disease.

I asked the evening's host, Lauren Bush, to reveal her own favorite fashion memory. "The first time I wore one of my own creations," said the Lauren Pierce designer. "Before I had a line, I would make dresses. I wore a navy chiffon one to the CFDA awards—I still have it—and it ended up being selected for the Goddess exhibit at the Met." [Click here to find out more about The Pink Agenda.](#)

—Erin Clements

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