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Recipes for a Crowd

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THE 35 Hottest Gifts of 2015

If your nice list is running longer than usual, use this guide to treat every foodie—including you.



LOVE CONVENIENT SHOPPING?
Some of our gifting picks are available for purchase at hamptonslane.com/cooking-light.

[let's get cooking!]

10 GOLDEN GEARS For those who'd rather be biking, a 20-karat gold or platinum mirror-finish bike on a pint, rocks, or wine glass. \$15 each, vitalindustries.com
11 COLE & MASON MILLS A classic kitchen essential paired with sleek design and high performance for maximum flavor. \$50 each, restorationhardware.com
12 GIANA INDIGO BOWL A fruit bowl or beautiful centerpiece, depending on her style. \$45, birchlane.com
13 NEEDLEPOINT FLASK The Dapper Bear is mighty handsome, but the man in your life will appreciate the sophisticated way to tote his favorite tippie. \$65, smathersandbranson.com
14 BOB

—Gifts 10–16—

KRAMER MEIJI You'd normally have to wait months, or even years, for your own Bob Kramer knife, but his newest limited edition collection for Zwilling J.A. Henckels is available at Sur La Table for the holidays. From \$150, surlatable.com
15 SPECULOOS COOKIES Buttery, crispy cookies flavored with warm spices of cinnamon, clove, and cardamom. Each bite is worth savoring. A box makes the perfect gift for neighbors, colleagues, or teachers. \$20/box of 16, littlebelgians.com
16 INNA JAM For the spread head, single-varietal jams in a range of unique flavors like Tayberry, Obsidian Blackberry, and Fresno Chili. \$13.50/10-ounce jar, innajam.com



—Gifts 17–23—

For Stuffing Stockings

All small, all great gifts

17 DIY DRY-AGING
A kit to help the grillmaster create the rich, nutty flavor of his favorite steakhouse dry-aged steaks. \$25/ starter kit, drybagsteak.com

18 INITIALLY GOOD
Pair these stoppers with a bottle of wine for bunco buddies, coworkers, even barre gals. \$5, target.com

19 SWEET CARAMELS
Decadent and delightfully chewy, a bag of 10 assorted caramels is the perfect add-on to any present. \$5, anniescandy.com

20 SALT SOAK
Spinster Sisters' skin-softening bath soak is made with real buttermilk powder, cocoa butter, and natural fragrance oils. \$19.50, spinstersistersco.com

21 BON VOYAGE
For the frequent flyer, a matching luggage tag (\$29) and passport cover (\$45) in glam gold. onekingslane.com

22 FASHIONABLE FITNESS TRACKER
Jawbone's new UP2 (\$100) and UP3 (\$180) bands prove fitness can be stylish. jawbone.com

23 DRINKING GAME
If they're passionate about craft beer and card games, this is the deck for them. \$4, shopbicyclecards.com

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