



## Making a list

*We've been shopping, and we've brought back a few ideas for anyone on the especially Good list*

**A**t this festive time of year *City & Shore* asks its writers to dig into their bags of treats and pull out suggestions for selecting a special gift for that special someone. Peruse our list with care, and we know you won't need to think twice about what gift will make a joyful impression on the favorite person in your life. Note that prices may change, and many of the stores are offering various holiday discounts.

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## Ah, Choo

Anything Jimmy Choo is a winner. We're particularly fond of the sleek Cayla clutch. A touch of sparkle paired with sophisticated clean lines make the purse the ultimate evening accessory. \$1,150 at [jimmychoo.com](http://jimmychoo.com)

## Cash in on Cashmere

What home wouldn't welcome the warmth of a cashmere throw? Toss it over a couch or snuggle under it for date night, TV watching or couch cuddling. \$199 at [restorationhardware.com](http://restorationhardware.com)



## Pajama Party

Bedtime gets a bit more luxe with a set of Cosabella's snow leopard print pajamas. The two-piece Pima cotton set brings a bit of whimsy and a whole lot of comfort between the sheets. \$135 at [NeimanMarcus.com](http://NeimanMarcus.com)

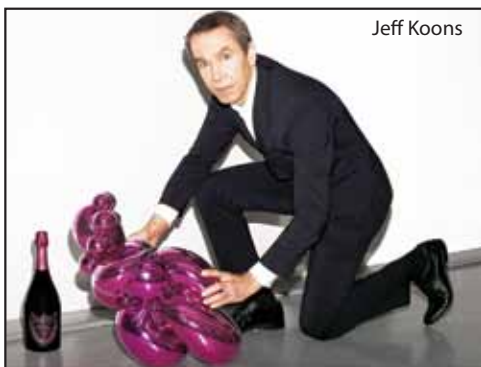


## Pleasure Pad

One size fits all with a shiny new iPad Mini with Retina display. Pair the A7 chip, advanced wireless and iOS7 for your new best friend. It clocks in at  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a pound and delivers books, magazines, music, mail, the Internet and hours of entertainment. \$399 at [apple.com](http://apple.com)

## Au Naturel

Go farm-to-table without lifting a finger via a gift subscription to *Endlessly Organic*. Your recipient can choose between a medium box of fruits and veggies, a fruit-lovers box or a juicer's box. Each is packed with a rotating selection of farm-fresh seasonal produce. \$40 and up at [endlesslyorganic.com](http://endlesslyorganic.com)



Jeff Koons

## Dom & Jeff Duet

A bottle of Dom Pérignon Rose by Jeff Koons is the hit of any party. It's silky, spicy and just the slightest bit salty. The gift box was designed by Koons and features his Balloon Venus, a view of his studio and his signature. \$349 at [wine.com](http://wine.com)



## Sounds of Serenity

Tune out the noise with a set of Bose Quiet Comfort Headphones. It's instant serenity – slip the comfortable, cushy headphones over your ears and work, home and travel sounds disappear. \$299.95 at [bose.com](http://bose.com)

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## Seasonal Blends

Give the gift of health and preempt resolutions with a Vitamix professional series blender. Make smoothies, frozen desserts, soups and purée faster, finer and more efficiently. \$749 at [Williams-Sonoma.com](http://Williams-Sonoma.com)

## Razor Sharp

Treat the man in your life to the ultimate indulgence. A master barber oils, lathers, shaves with a straight razor, pampers with a lemon-infused hot towel, moisturizes with a mask and hydrates with toner and aftershave balm. It's 45 minutes of pampering. \$55 at [theartofshaving.com](http://theartofshaving.com)



## Flames of Desires

The best gifts are those we'd never buy ourselves. Jo Malone's Lime, Basil & Mandarin luxury candle ushers in a whiff of Caribbean breeze, British sophistication and indulgence. Each candle burns for 230 hours. \$445 at [jomalone.com](http://jomalone.com)



## Write Stuff

There is something timeless about a handwritten note. Give a loved one a set of personalized note cards and you're giving an instant link to the past, present and future. Choose patterns, colors and fonts based on recipient's personality. Prices vary at [crane.com](http://crane.com)



## Pearl one, two, three

Slip one, two or all three of these iconic bangles on your wrist and you're stunningly more festive. Each bracelet is hand-hammered from sterling silver and one of the three is accented with mother-of-pearl. \$495 at [BergdorfGoodman.com](http://BergdorfGoodman.com)



## Portion Panache

Medical research shows that using a 9-inch portioned plate can reduce caloric intake by 59 percent. Dinner plates

from Slim & Sage with geometric shapes and interlaced lines feature a subtle way to divide portions of one-quarter lean protein, one-quarter whole grains and one-half vegetables on a smaller plate. Slim & Sage will donate 2 percent of its profits to childhood obesity research. \$99 for four plates from [slimandsage.com](http://slimandsage.com) and [neimanmarcus.com](http://neimanmarcus.com)



## Bottle Bliss

The perfect gift for any oenophile is the 15-inch wine cabinet from the True Professional Series. With a rating for indoor and outdoor use, it fits in a small area under the counter in any kitchen and accommodates 23 bottles. Temperature adjusts from 40 to 65 degrees. [Coral Springs Appliance Center](http://Coral Springs Appliance Center), 3500 Coral Ridge Drive, 954-752-3880 or [csappliances.com](http://csappliances.com)

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Swarovski's Kingdom of Jewels

Helio Rocha

John Varvatos

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1. 18-kt. gold vintage cigar holder, price upon request, from Daoud's Fine Jewelry, Fort Lauderdale.

2. Oxidized diamond bead tassel necklace by Ivanka Trump, \$32,000, from Levinson Jewelers, Fort Lauderdale.

3. Black Water Dragon fountain pen by David Oscarson, \$5,600, exclusively from Levinson Jewelers, Fort Lauderdale.

4. Nirvana Star, limited edition clutch, price upon request, from Swarovski, locations at swarovski.com.

5. Aero Bang automatic chronograph by Hublot, with 18-kt. rose gold and ceramic case, \$41,700, from Weston Jewelers.

6. 18-kt. gold, onyx and diamond cufflinks, price upon request, exclusively from King Jewelers, Aventura.

7. Mirror lace clutch by Jimmy Choo, \$975, from Nordstrom, Town Center at Boca Raton.

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