

HOLDAY GIFT GUIDE

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Multimedia picks for at-home entertainment include an array of local favorites.

BEAUTY & GROOMING

1. Christian Louboutin Rouge Louboutin Nail Colour

Your shoe fanatic's jaw will drop when she sees this elaborate glass bottle of the designer's red nail polish. The hand-sculpted cap represents Louboutin's 8-inch Ballerina Ultima, the highest heel he ever designed. A patented brush and rich, glossy color take nail fashion to new heights. \$50 for 0.4 ounces at Nordstrom

2. Fig+Yarrow Cardamom+Coffee **Body Scrub**

Give your coffee lover this invigorating, decadent body scrub made with local coffee roaster Caffe Vita's Theo blend, created in collaboration with Seattle-based chocolatier Theo Chocolate. The exfoliating scrub smooths and firms skin with antioxidant-laden ingredients. \$48 for 16 ounces at figandyarrow.com (1)

3. Lush Melting Snowman Luxury Bath Melt

This little snowman melts under the faucet to release shea butter, almond oil, clove oil and cinnamon oil for a luxuriously silky bath that smells like a hot toddy. \$6 at Lush

4. Herbivore Botanicals Cedar + Bergamot Beard Tonic

This 100-percent-natural beard oil, handcrafted in Seattle from golden jojoba and argan oil, smooths and moisturizes facial hair and skin. It's packaged in an attractive glass bottle with a mini dropper and has a subtle cedar scent. \$16-\$20 for a 1-ounce bottle at Glasswing (Capitol Hill) and herbivorebotanicals.com (1) (3)

5. Juniper Ridge Siskiyou Backpacker Cologne

Outdoorsy types will love this unique fragrance made from plants and trees found in the Oregon backcountry, steam-distilled and blended with organic sugar-cane alcohol. It's like a Pacific Northwest coastal forest in a tiny glass vial with a hand-carved wooden cap. \$60 for 1 ounce at Lucca Great Finds (Ballard) and juniperridge .com (1) (3)

6. Capsule Parfums Moto eau de parfum

Capsule's small-batch, unisex fragrances are sophisticated, urban and unique. Moto is a decadent mix of plum, berries, black dahlia. vanilla, smoke and leather. \$38 for 0.5 ounces at Annie's Art & Frame (Ballard) and capsuleparfums.com

7. Kari Gran Naughty + Nice Holiday Lip Whip Pack

The all-natural local skin-care line

has a new gift set for the holidays. It includes Lip Whips lip balms in naughty, a shimmery dark burgundy, and nice, a peachy sparkling gold. Both have a subtle peppermint flavor and glossy texture from organic oils, beeswax and vitamin E. \$35 for two 7 ml pots through Dec. 31 at karigran.com/ shop (free shipping) 10 G

8. Josie Maran Whipped **Argan Oil Intensive Hand** Cream

This lightweight but long-lasting antioxidant hand cream will keep her hands smooth and soft all winter long. It has a refreshing vanilla-apricot scent, and the luxe packaging makes it a lovely stocking stuffer. \$22 for 1 ounce at Sephora

9. Moon Valley Organics Moon Melt Lotion Bar

This luxurious moisturizer is made from USDA-certified organic herbs that are sustainably harvested from a biodynamic farm in Washington. The bar restores dry skin with ingredients such as safflower oil, local organic beeswax, vanilla, lemon and natural vitamin E from sunflowers. \$11 for a 1.9-ounce bar (mention the Holiday Gift Guide and get \$1 off) at Moon Valley Organics (Pike Place Market) and moonvalleyorganics.com (1)

10. Jenteal Seattle Rain Soap Handcrafted in Portland, this allnatural soap captures the heady scent of Seattle rain and comes wrapped in a pretty blue package. A coconut-oil base soothes and gently moisturizes skin. \$8 at Portage Bay Goods (Fremont) 00

11. Fieldworks Supply Company Face the Day Shave + Shower Gift Set

A 1-gallon paint can holds four of this Portland company's most popular products for men: Face of Danger After-Shave Elixir, Another Close Shave Gel, Hose Off Body Wash and Weather-Ready Hand Repair. All products feature bentonite clay, a fine volcanic ash from South Dakota and Wyoming. \$56 at fieldworkssupply.com **()**

12. NUXE Huile Prodigieuse OR Multi-Usage Dry Oil

Help her sparkle through the holidays with a bottle of gold-infused dry oil. When smoothed onto the face, body or hair, it creates a subtle shimmer from tiny golden particles. Plant oil and vitamin E nourish the skin, \$39 for a 1.6ounce bottle at Urban Outfitters or us.nuxe.com

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