

wonderful ways to delight a lovely lady on Christmas morning, and after

Time to Make a Radiant You!

'Tis the season to be radiant, sparkling, your glowing best. You may be enjoying holiday festivities with new friends, reminiscing with old, or sharing this happy time with your family. You'll want to look and feel your best no matter how busy your schedule.

'Tis the time then to indulge lavishly in personal grooming and extra pick-up pamperings to help you maintain a holiday glow throughout hectic days. Shopping expeditions in department stores, punch spilled on your party dress, cards received from friends you forgot, and other "normal" Christmas incidents will occur, often making you tense.

Try taking a leisurely soak in the bathtub every day, letting the lukewarm water relax your muscles. Return to your mirror, freshening your make-up and hair-comb when necessary. The prettier you look the better you feel.

To help remove facial tension and the "there's-too-much-to-do" feeling, make time to treat yourself to a five-minute "soapsuds facial." A "radiant you" begins with a clean, glowing complexion. Use of an antibacterial soap such as Dial protects complexions from infection-causing bacteria. Yet the soap is mild enough for a baby's tender skin.

With firm fingertip massaging to smooth away tension lines and feelings, follow this routine for your soapsuds facial:

- Start at the collarbone and lather all over your neck.
- Next, lather from your chin to your ears and around the mouth, massaging in circular motions.
- Follow up the sides of your face, around the nose, and up to the temples.
- Finally, cleanse around the eyes and forehead.
- Rinse with warm water.
- For added zing and glow, splash with cold water or wrap an ice cube in a washcloth and gently rub it over your face and neck.

Unusual Gift: A Hairpiece

The Christmas season with its busy schedule of shopping chores, entertaining and being entertained, puts special demands on a gal's glamour resources.

But all these doings require that a woman be well groomed, and a chic coiffeur is a fashion "must".

This heady problem is instantly solved by the wondrous ways of wigs and hairpieces.

Perfect toppings for gals of all ages: wigs, wiglets, wigettes, cones, switches and pony tails are beauty bonuses for every occasion.

An ideal gift for any woman (teen-agers included) — a fashion hairpiece or wig should be selected carefully.

Make your gift choice in your lady's own color or choose a dramatic new color.

Stockings Spun with Silver...

During the holidays, the prettiest stocking stuffers are lovely legs, and smart Santas will make sure that their favorite ladies are treated to glamorous holiday hosiery.

This Christmas, you can dazzle your damsel with a sterling compliment. The newest hosiery styles glisten with a silvery glow, and a gift of sparkling holiday hosiery will be just in time to make the winter party rounds.

Pure silver is spun with strong polyester and stretch nylon in Hanes new "Bright Medallions" panty hose. This toe-to-waist design, perfect for the season's shortest skirts, covers the legs with a subtle pattern. It's silvery design is reproduced in gold and white as well.

More silver shimmer in holiday legwear has transparent wet-look styling. The silvery cast has a liquid-like effect and glistens best as it catches the night lights. The company's sets, and other day and evening shades, are available in both panty hose and stocking styles.

For the lady that likes just a little bit of glitter, new diamond designs in hosiery are cut to her liking. Jack O' Diamonds panty hose features diamond-shaped cut-outs in large and small karats. They are studded with a subtle glimmer for leg glamour at any time of day.



BEAUTIFUL WAY TO LOOK ON CHRISTMAS EVE or Christmas morning! Ruth Flaum's coachman robe epitomizes the romantic look, with Edwardian ruffles and velvet trimming circling the neckline and sleeves. Robe, designed in a new fabric of Encron polyester, has a unique dimensional texture, combines a luxury look with complete washability, utmost comfort. Coordinated with full length gown, shaped to the body, tied high with velvet, in Crepeset nylon... by American Enka Corporation.

Cupid Finds Christmas Diamond-Right (And Diamond-Bright!)

At Christmas time love abounds, joy lights all eyes and every heart overflows with gladness. Into such an engaging atmosphere comes the most radiant, the most beautiful and the most love-filled gift of all: the diamond engagement ring. How rapturous her holiday will be when the thousand, fiery lights of a diamond wink only for her... from him! Her joy as she accepts his promise of love locked forever in the

unique beauty of her diamond, will be renewed and remembered amid the countless other joys that come with every Christmas. There's no more perfect way to gift her with a lifetime of love than with the rare and precious King of Gems, the ancient and universal expression of love.

To choose the diamond that has been waiting centuries just to sparkle and flash for that

special girl, the Jewelry Industry Council suggests every Christmas Cupid seek the professional knowledge and help that only a reliable jeweler can give. This is the one time in a girl's life when she should get exactly what she wants. And to see that she gets it, the jeweler is an expert judge of a diamond's qualities. He will know which gem comes closest to her heart's desire as well as the type of setting that will bring out all of her favored diamond's shimmering beauty.

The merits of a diamond must stand up to a criteria the jeweler calls, simply the "4 C's": Cut, Color, Clarity and Carat.

CUT: The shape of a diamond plus the skill and precision employed to transform the rough gem into a breathtaking, light-filled diamond come under the term "cut." The brilliant cut or round shape is the most popular for betrothal diamonds. The other, most asked for, cuts are the emerald, the pear, the oval and the boat-shaped marquise.

COLOR: Many diamonds have a soft blush of color, but most engaging diamonds are preferred colorless and clear: the purity of a drop of rain water captured forever, dazzling in its reflection of the light surrounding it, resplendent in the rainbow hues bouncing from it. The closer a diamond comes to this clarity, the more costly it will be. However, a hint of color by no means detracts from a diamond's ultimate beauty.

CLARITY: A diamond is one of Nature's most prized accomplishments. As Nature's product, it will naturally possess some degree of imperfection. This may take the form of internal cracks or bubbles. A reliable jeweler follows the government standards so the diamond he shows will have no blemishes or inclusions that can be detected by a trained eye using a 10-power jeweler's

RENAISSANCE OPULENCE. Holiday hosiery has a silvery glow. New "Bright Medallions" design in panty hose is spun with pure silver and strong polyester and nylon yarns. A sparkling leggy look for the holiday entertainments, the panty hose is a perfect fashion foil for Leo Narducci's delectable at-home pageboy costume in lush blue velvet. Shoes by Golo. Panty hose by Hanes.

Consider New 3-Way Mirror

It's that same old problem. There's always that certain special someone who deserves that certain special gift — a gift that usually can't be found. One gift is not quite good enough, another she already has, and the others everybody has.

The makers of the famed Saunda beauty mist machine have come to the frustrated Christmas shopper's rescue once again with an entirely new product — their Vanity Mirror.

A perfect gift for "someone who has everything," the Vanity was just introduced this fall to the American women. The manufacturer reports that the initial response has been nothing short of fantastic.

The Vanity consists of four optically perfect mirrors with recessed light diffusers on either side of the center mirror, all contained in a sonically-welded plastic carrying case. The attractive mirror will become milady's favorite boudoir accessory; it's so light and compact that she can take it with her on that vacation to the Riviera or to the mountains for a long weekend.

The mirror weighs only four pounds and its light bamboo and ivory-colored plastic case is self-standing when opened. On closing, the cord for the lights, which provide up to 1,000 hours of glare-free illumination, is stored behind the mirror. The three-way mirror (the center mirror swivels to a magnifier) is cushioned for traveling by foam insulation.

Available for Christmas shopping, the Saunda Vanity Mirror carries a five-year warranty and is priced at thirty-five dollars. When that special someone looks into her mirror on Christmas morning, she'll know your choice for the fairest of them all.

To prove you're a St. Nick with a knack for choosing the right gift, pick "his" and "her" leather gloves this Christmas. Available in hundreds of styles and colors, soft, supple leather gloves are always welcome accessories for the well-dressed lady or gentleman.

In every group of presents, there's always at least one item of such an irregular shape that it's impossible to wrap it neatly. For these problem gifts, try making a paper sack from bright red paper, using a plain grocery bag as your pattern. Apply a design cut out from left-over gift wrapping paper for colorful decoration.



SKI-ENTHUSIAST? Here's a splendid gift for "him" this holiday season. Superbly designed "Floater" boots by Bates — it's the "St. Moritz" — a classic design, adding the side buckle for the latest in men's fashion news. They're water repellent and styled comfortably in an above-the-ankle length. To assure warm and dry feet for work or play — not to mention after-ski wear... boots boast soft pile lining of 100% Herculon olefin fiber.



FOR THE SPORTY SOPHISTICATE — leather accessories in fashion colors. Tiny key case/purse and slim French purse will snuggle neatly into the Grab Bag fold-over clutch. Matching cigarette and eyeglass cases complete the set. All in textured leather in warm brown, beige or orange... Safari accessories by Enger Kress.

EVEN AUNT SAL WOULD LOVE LEATHER GIFTS!

You say your Aunt Sally is just impossible to buy Christmas presents for?

Last year you got her the greatest leather box. Thought it might remind her of her mad impetuous (?) youth. Somehow it didn't go over too big.

Aunt Sally doesn't use perfume. Doesn't read. Doesn't collect anything. Doesn't believe in games — not even Monopoly. So everybody buys her knick-knacks.

Aunt Sally spends the whole month of January at the Exchange-It counter. Nothing you've ever bought her has ever been seen again. So this Christmas you're determined to find something she will really like — and use.

What about a gift of leather accessories? What woman couldn't use a new wallet or clutch purse to perk up her wardrobe? That tattered thing Aunt Sally's been toting looks like it's been chewed on by five generations of dogs.

To really delight her, you might choose a matched set of, say, a French purse and key case. If she smokes, add a cigarette case and lighter. A matching eyeglass case for those bifocals would certainly please.

What about styling? You can't go wrong if you keep in mind the personality of the woman you're gifting, say experts at Enger Kress, manufacturers of leather goods for both men and women.

Aunt Sally is a romantic at heart and cherishes memories of her gentle girlhood. Old dance cards and dried corsages fill her album. She would fall in love with a set of Viola accessories — soft cream-colored leather with a real violet intay.



A DIAMOND-BRIGHT CHRISTMAS — shines for the lucky girl whose Santa doubles as Cupid, guarantees the Jewelry Industry Council. To contain his promise of love, he knows she prefers the flashing fire of a diamond solitaire, brilliant cut to bring out all its radiant play of light, brilliantly. Engagement ring by Art Carved.

magnifying glass. Such a diamond she can truly call perfect.

CARAT: The standard measurement for diamonds is the carat, which is divided into 100 points. Thus, a one-half carat diamond has 50 points. Larger diamonds, weighing more carats, are rarer than the smaller

diamonds and will, therefore, call for a higher price.

Although most engagement rings are chosen by the couple — the starry-eyed girl picking her starbright diamond — sometimes Santa wants his diamond to be his beloved's best Christmas surprise of all. If he knows

what the diamond delights of the lucky girl are, the jeweler can help Santa play Cupid with radiant perfection. A few helpful hints about her personality and tastes will suffice. Most girls today want a brilliant cut, solitaire diamond set in white or yellow gold.



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