

BOLD CHOICES WHAT THE CITY'S TASTEMAKERS ARE HOPING FOR

FOR YOUR HUSBAND (SINCE YOU CAN'T AFFORD SOX SEASON TICKETS)

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WHY IS HOLIDAY shopping so difficult? Because most of us don't put much thought into what we're buying. We show up at the mall or log on to Amazon and stare slack-jawed at the array of products jammed onto the shelves. Then, as often as not, we shrug, pick up the first thing that looks like it might please, and move on. So, here's an experiment: Really think for a moment about the people you're buying for. What do they do for a living, listen to, wear, aspire to be? (Do not, under any circumstances, buy something for them that you think they *should* enjoy.) Once you've spent a little time ruminating on the personalities of the loved ones on your list, let the buying begin. HAYLEY KAUFMAN

For your little brother

THE HIP-HOP IMPRESARIO



NEW GENTS WATCH by Swatch, \$65. Available at the Swatch store, Logan Airport, Terminal B. Shop online at store.swatch.com.



ADIDAS ORIGINALS ADICOLOR FIREBIRD TRACK JACKET in "Rasta," \$64.99; **ADICOLOR STAN SMITH SNEAKER** in "Cardinal," \$59.99. Available at Champs Sports, 425 Washington St., Downtown Crossing, and other locations around Boston. www.champssports.com.



Holiday gift guide



BURBERRY BEAUTY LIP CHARM with Lip Glow in NudeBeige, \$85. Available at Nordstrom at The Natick Collection and several other locations around Boston. www.nordstrom.com.



DIOR STRIKING SUNGLASSES, \$295. Available at the Christian Dior Boutique, Copley Place.

CHAT CHARMS in sterling silver with diamond, \$65. From Lexington-based Gemvara. www.gemvara.com.



For your best friend

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LOBSTER CLAW BOTTLE OPENER by Mariposa, \$28. Available at Shreve, Crump & Low, 440 Boylston St. www.shrevecrumpandlow.com.

For your husband

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BLACK GRILL APRON from Spreadshirt, insignia and prices vary from about \$18-\$25. www.spreadshirt.com.

BAYFIELD BOOT from Allen Edmonds, \$350. Available at Allen Edmonds, 25 State St. and several other locations around Boston. www.allenedmonds.com.

