

Heartwarming holidays

Are you one of those people who has all your holiday shopping done and the gifts are already wrapped? Or are you one of those people who hasn't even thought about shopping yet, or well, you've thought about it but only with dread? Well, this gift guide offers ideas for either type of person or those in between — whether it's gift ideas or entertaining ideas or even ideas to store away for next year. Happy holidays!

ideas for what's hot.



5 Some people buy for their pets before they buy for their family members. Local pet stores offer a variety of gift ideas.

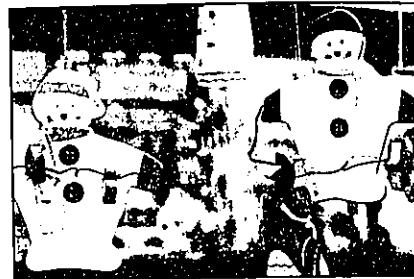
6 Shops and galleries in downtown Plymouth offer a few decorating and gift ideas.

8 Sometimes it feels good to buy gifts and know that the proceeds benefit local groups.

10 Computer software and videotapes appeal to people of all ages.

12 Music calms the savage beast and appeals to the music lover on your shopping list.

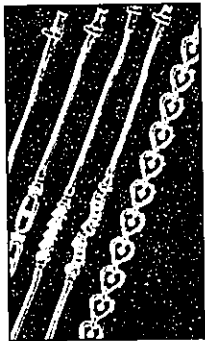
14 Gift certificates fit all sizes and "adopting" zoo animals helps a good cause.



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4 Who wouldn't love a piece of jewelry for Christmas? Some local jewelers offer their



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