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My True Love Gave to Me: Twelve Holiday Stories

by Stephanie Perkins Collects twelve holiday-themed romances featuring relationships that blossom during the season.



Holiday on Ice

by David Sedaris

An anthology of humorous Christmas tales and essays featuring excerpts from the author's "Barrel Fever" and "Naked," as well as a new tale of holiday mayhem.



Hot Flash Holidays

by Nancy Thayer

A gathering of the members of the Hot Flash Club at The Haven, an exclusive spa, is turned upside down when Shirley announces her new financial partnership with a younger boyfriend.



Historic Photos of Christmas in Chicago

by Rosemary K. Adams



Why Does Santa Wear Red? ...and 100 Other Christmas Curiosities Unwrapped

by Meera Lester

A collection of facts, recipes, legends, customs, songs, and trivia about Christmas.



The Physics of Christmas: From the Aerodynamics of Reindeer to the Thermodynamics of Turkey

by Roger Highfield

Explores such puzzles as the physics behind Rudolph's red nose and the logistics of Santa's Christmas Eve mission.



Everything I Need To Know About Christmas I Learned From a Little Golden Book

by Diane Muldrow

A companion to the best-selling Everything I Need to Know I Learned From a Little Golden Book.

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Winter Street

by Elin Hilderbrand

A family reunion at Kelley Quinn's Nantucket inn is thrown into turmoil by his four adult children's personal dramas and the discovery of his second wife's infidelity.



Wishin' and Hopin' : a Novel by Wally Lamb

.The author of I Know This Much Is True shares a holiday novella that begins by focusing on a feisty parochial school fifth grader named Felix Funicello as Christmas approaches in 1964, then propels readers from the past to the present.



Holiday Lights!: Brilliant Displays to Inspire Your Christmas Celebration

by David Seidman

Offers tips and advice for decorating homes for the holiday season, emphasizing decorated houses from around the country.



Victoria, 500 Christmas Ideas: Celebrate the Season in Splendor by Kimberly Meisner

Provides the inspiration and instruction needed for hundreds of Christmas ideas, including cookies, creating a winter wonderland in one's front yard, tree decorations, unique gift-wrapping ideas, wreath projects, and many more.



The New Christmas Tree: 24 Dazzling Trees and Over 100 Handcrafted Projects for an Inspired Holiday

by Carrie Brown

Provides inspiration for turning everyday items into one-of-a-kind Christmas decor, with step-by-step instructions for creating ornaments, tree toppers, and information on picking the right tree.



The Wreath Recipe Book: Yearround Wreaths, Swags, and Other Decorations to Make with Seasonal Branches

by Alethea Harampolis

Presents instructions for creating seasonal weaths, garlands, wall hangings, and table

centerpieces with a discussion on tools, supplies, and cutting and attachment techniques.