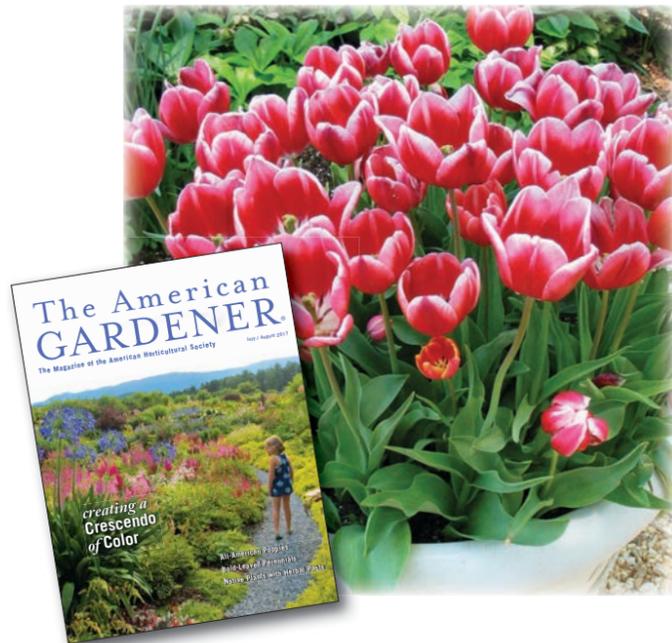


GIFTS FOR THE GARDENER

Need some ideas for garden-themed gifts? Here are some must-haves for this holiday season.



AHS Membership

Gift memberships for the American Horticultural Society are a great way to share inspiration, information, and a worthy cause with everyone on your list. \$35 for individual membership. (703) 768-5700. www.ahsgardening.org.



Digital Soil Analyzer

Conveniently measure your soil's pH, temperature, and levels of key nutrients with this easy-to-use device. Batteries included. \$34.99 from A.M. Leonard's Gardener's Edge. (888) 556-5676. www.gardenersedge.com.



Firefly Solar Lantern

A solar-powered LED light with a flexible, waterproof silicone bulb combine into a versatile accessory for gardeners and other outdoor enthusiasts. \$19.95, or 2 for \$17.95 each from Plow & Hearth. (877) 255-3700. www.plowhearth.com.



Metal Dragon Plant Stand

This friendly fire-breather is perfect for holding an assortment of plants on its back and in its front "claws." Made from reclaimed metal with copper highlights. \$135.97 from Wind & Weather. (877) 255-3700. www.windandweather.com.



Herb Drying Rack

Parsley, sage, rosemary, and thyme—they can all fit together on this six-compartment, mesh herb-drying rack. It reaches six feet in length when hanging and flattens down for compact storage. \$45.95 from Gardener's Supply Company. (888) 833-1412. www.gardeners.com.



Seeding Square

Starting a garden from seed is a snap with this tool. Its holes are color coded to ensure the ideal spacing, and it comes with a seeding "wand" to poke holes to the correct depth. \$19.95. (604) 616-6528. www.seedingsquare.com.



Floral Soap Set

Bring the scents of lilac, gardenia, and honeysuckle indoors with these fragrant soap bars. Made in collaboration with the New York Botanical Garden, a portion of the proceeds supports its plant research efforts. \$24 for a three-bar set from Caswell-Massey. (800) 326-0500. www.caswellmassey.com.



Worm Bin

Just add kitchen waste, and the worms will do the rest. The kit includes an illustrated guide on how to use the resulting compost. Worms are included but arrive separately. \$119.95 from Bluestone Garden. (866) 543-1222. www.bluestonegarden.com.

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