

AUSTRALIAN

FESTIVE DECORATING SPECIAL

MATT
MORAN'S
CHRISTMAS
LUNCH
MENU

HOUSE & GARDEN

10 steps
TO A FAB, FUSS-FREE
CELEBRATION

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A HEAVENLY
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GARDEN



Thanks a bunch

Delight your guests with a yuletide table inspired by the garden. Plan around available blooms or source silky faux flowers and blend new and old elements... like a colourful family history.

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FROM LEFT 'Sequin' crystal Champagne flute, \$149/pair, Vera Wang Wedgwood. 'Grand Royal' crystal Champagne flute, \$80, Villeroy & Boch. 'Duchesse Encore' crystal Champagne flute, \$149/pair, Vera Wang Wedgwood. Rona 'Selené' glass Champagne flute, \$50/set of four, LSA International. 'Lulu' glass Champagne flute, \$130/set of four assorted, and Rona 'Helmsley' glass Champagne saucer, \$50/set of four, all CWM Homewares. Pewter tray, \$69, Pottery Barn. Linen napkin in Dusk, \$50/set of four, Cultiver. 'Bird' linen fabric (275cm wide, as tablecloth), \$75/m, The Lost and Found Department. **OPPOSITE** clockwise from top Faux hydrangeas, Florabelle. Australian House & Garden hanging ornaments (throughout), from \$5 each, Myer. 'Linea Bonnie' stoneware bowl, \$13, Ecology. 'Hibiscus' fine bone china 27cm plate, \$299/five-piece place setting, Wedgwood. Champagne saucer and fabric, as before. 'Baba' metal napkin ring, \$30/set of four, Linen House. Vintage silver-plated fork, \$16/set of four, and fish knife, \$40/set of five, The Lost and Found Department. 'Bretagne' ceramic bread plate, \$7, Provincial Home Living. 'Hibiscus' 20cm plate (part of place setting, as before). 'Chinoiserie White' fine bone china 27cm plate, \$85, Jasper Conran at Wedgwood. ▶

FLORAL TRIBUTE

Beautiful linen is the foundation of a spectacular table and a pretty floral print is hard to beat. Heirloom porcelain works with new finds when there are colours in common. Add glam with elements of gold.

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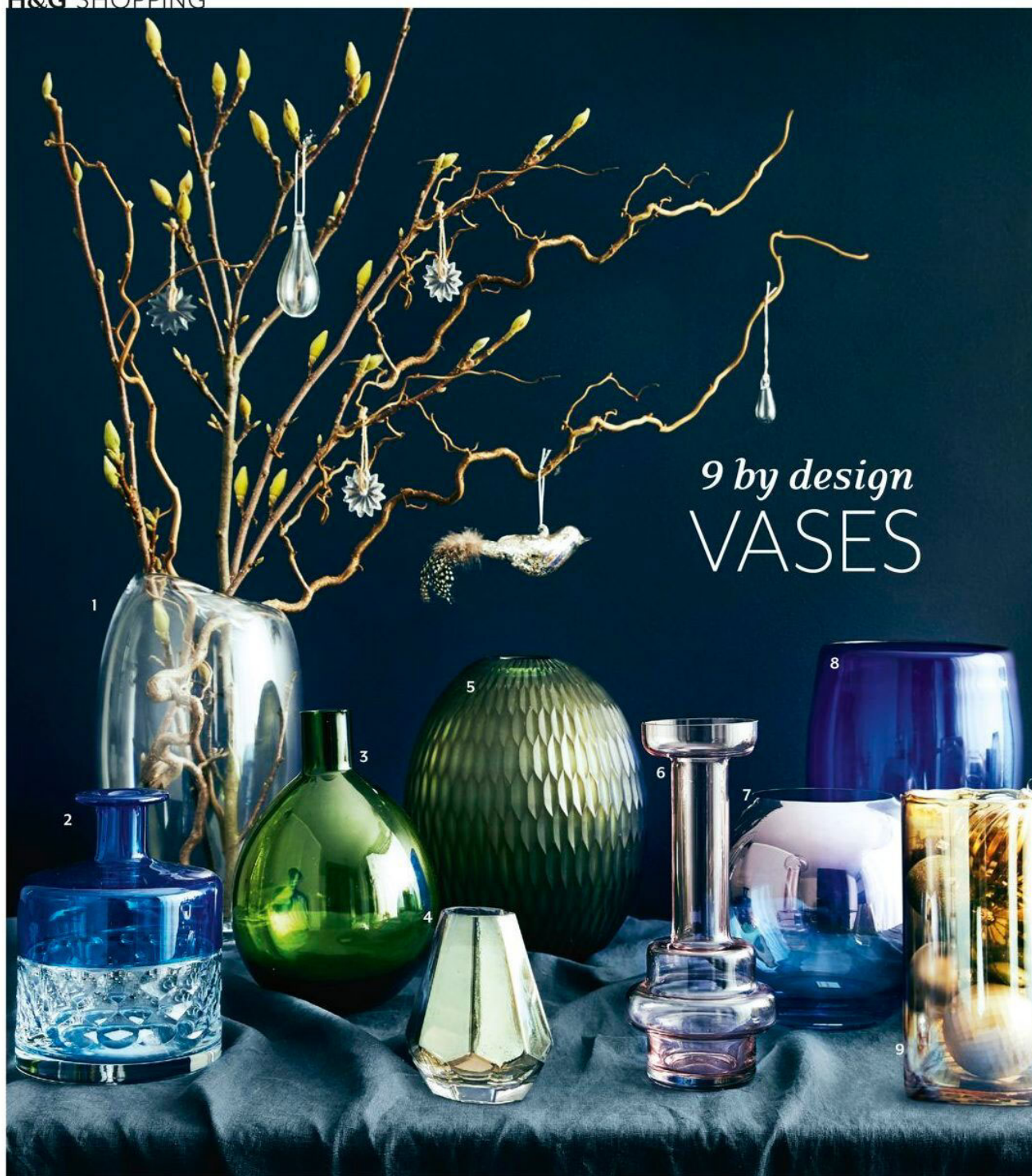
H&G GIFT GUIDE

We've scoured the shops and found gorgeous goodies under \$200 for everyone on your list. Happy Christmas!

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ON TALL PLINTH from left Nachtmann 'Curve' crystal vase, \$200, Riedel. 'Bouquet' linen cushion, \$130, Eadie Lifestyle. 'Katt' acetate sunglasses in Crystal Champagne, \$149, Elk. 'Hayman' linen-cotton throw in Blush, \$145, L&M Home. 'Twinkle' LED string lights, \$5/3m, Kmart. **ON MEDIUM PLINTH** from left Ruinart Rosé NV Champagne, \$120, Champagne Gallery. 'Lismore Essence' crystal Champagne flute, \$199/pair, Waterford Crystal. 'Wonderlust Midnight Crane' fine bone china teacup and saucer, \$100, Wedgwood. **ON SMALL PLINTH** from left Stila 'Matte 'n Metal' eyeshadow palette, \$71, and Ellis Brooklyn 'Raven' eau de parfum, \$146, both Mecca Cosmetics. 'Classic French Linen Water' candle, \$50, Max Benjamin. 'Stone 1' brass and resin necklace, \$180, Dinosaur Designs. **ON FLOOR** from left 'Rosa Pom Pom' paper straw tote, \$60, Seed Heritage. 'Boda' leather and wood clogs, \$149, Elk. 'Deluxe Ultra Light' hard-shell cabin suitcase, \$119/two-piece set, Dshop. 'Purple Mini Bell' waterproof-cotton cosmetic bag, \$30, Tonic. Australian House & Garden ornaments (throughout), from \$5 each, Myer. **ON WALL** 'Acorn' glass/LED garland, \$35/1.6m, Ivory House.



1 'Dissolve' glass vase, \$150, Krosno; krosno.com.au. 2 'Half & Half' crystal vase in Blue, \$499, Waterford; wwrd.com.au. 3 'Zeppelin' glass vase in Green, \$50, Salt & Pepper; saltandpepper.com.au. 4 Morgan & Finch 'Mini Prism' glass vase, \$8, Bed Bath N' Table; bedbathtntable.com.au. 5 'Chola Net' glass vase in Smoke Grey, \$345, Weylandts; weylandts.com.au. 6 'Hubsch' glass vase/candlestick in Rose, \$160, The Source Homewares; thesourcehomewares.com. 7 Rona 'Jewel' glass rose bowl in Quartz, \$34, Peter's of Kensington; petersofkensington.com.au. 8 Blown-glass vase in Cobalt, \$297, Dinosaur Designs; dinosaurdesigns.com.au. 9 Glass cylinder vase in Amber, \$8, Koch & Co; koch.com.au. Ornaments on branches: Glass stars, \$7 each, blown-glass drop ornaments, \$6 (small) and \$7 (large), and silver mercury bird ornament with feathers, \$8, all Heaven in Earth; heaveninearth.com.au. Australian House & Garden Christmas tree decorations (in vase), from \$5 each, Myer; myer.com.au. Linen tablecloth in French Blue, from \$110, In Bed; inbedstore.com. H&G

Styling by Sarah Maloney. Stylist's assistant Sara Åkesson. Photograph by Kristina Soljo. Wall painted Endure Interior in Black Flame, \$83/4L, Taubmans; taubmans.com.au.