



2025 Holiday Gift Guide: Vegan Gifts for Every Budget

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The holiday shopping season has arrived, and our editors have curated a thoughtful selection of gifts for friends, loved ones, or even yourself. From elegant kitchen tools and specialty ingredients to stylish tableware and self-care favorites that nurture well-being, there's something special here for every budget. Wishing you a joyful, delicious holiday season!

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GIFTS UNDER \$25



[Lodge Cast Iron Grill Press | \\$23 at Amazon](#)

For perfectly seared sandwiches and evenly browned tofu, this preseasoned press is a small-but-mighty upgrade to any kitchen. The spiral handle stays cool to the touch, and you can preheat the whole thing in the oven for flawless grill marks without the outdoor grill.



[Magnetic Toast Tongs | \\$18 at Moonspoon](#)

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These handmade wooden tongs from Moonspoon keep fingertips safe from toaster burns and clamp neatly onto your toaster or fridge via a clever built-in magnet. Available in a range of whimsical designs, they add a touch of art to even the most basic morning ritual.



ODISTAR Mini Tabletop Vacuum | \$17, now \$12

Crumb chaos, begone! This palm-sized rechargeable vacuum is perfect for tidying counters, keyboards, and dining tables. Plus it comes in bright, cheerful colors that make cleanup oddly satisfying.



Le Creuset Holiday Pie Bird | \$19 at Williams Sonoma

A charming throwback, this stoneware songbird perches atop pies to release steam while they bake, preventing soggy crusts—equal parts practical and adorable! Oven-, broiler-, microwave-, freezer-, and dishwasher-safe.



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Humbug Scrubee | \$12 at LUSH

A hybrid scrub and moisturizer, this striped body butter bar from cruelty-free, vegan-friendly LUSH buffs away dull skin with ground almonds while leaving a silky layer of cocoa and shea butter.



Elevated Popcorn Seasoning | \$14 at Diaspora & Co

Spice up movie night with this ethically sourced single-origin seasoning blend from Diaspora Co., featuring bright turmeric, zingy chili, smoky cumin, and nutritional yeast. Pair the fancy blend with a [stainless-steel stovetop popper](#) for the ultimate cozy-night-in kit.

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Weekend in Paris Tea Gift Set | \$27 at Amazon

Beautifully packaged for gifting, this set from Vadham features nine exquisite teas—including some herbal and black—ethically sourced from India. Indulge in fragrant blends that transform a quiet afternoon into an armchair escape to a Parisian café.

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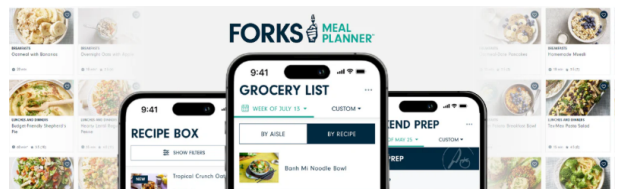
Lazy Spoon Spootle 12-inch | \$40 at Jonathan Spoons

Hand-carved from cherry wood by Pennsylvania artisans, this ingenious spoon-spatula hybrid stirs, scrapes, and serves with ease, and its notched handle lets it rest neatly on the rim of your pot, keeping counters clean. Beautifully made and built to last, it's the kind of tool that turns everyday cooking into a small pleasure. Also available in 8-inch and extra-wide versions.



Basic Balm Duo | \$44 at Sonisie

From vegan icon [Pamela Anderson's](#) cruelty-free new skincare line, this gift-ready set includes two hydrating lip salves—one in a garden-inspired rhubarb scent with a subtle shimmer. Made with bio-based squalane, both balms leave lips soft, smooth, and naturally glossy.



A Year of Forks Meal Planner | now \$42 at Forks Over Knives

Give yourself the gift of easy, healthy homemade meals with the help of our weekly meal planner. Whether you're cooking for one or the whole family, our customizable platform helps you eat better and feel better while spending less time in the kitchen—and less

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cash at the grocery store. With brand-new features including Instacart shopping integration, plus the ability to add all your favorite recipes (not just FOK recipes) to your digital recipe box, Forks Meal Planner is better than ever. For a limited time, you can get a full year of meal plans for just \$41.94 — a full **50% savings** off the regular 12-month price.



Cheese Mold with a Follower and Cheesecloth | \$19 at Amazon

For the fledgling plant-based cheesemonger in your life, this BPA-free kit has all the molds and tools needed to start experimenting. Pair it with *The Vegan Creamery* by Miyoko Schinner or *Breaking Up with Dairy* by Bailey Ruskus for a complete dairy-free starter kit.



Glass Chopstick Rests (Set of 5) | \$49 at

MoMA Design Store

Elegant, minimalist, and satisfyingly weighty, these multicolored glass rests bring a little art-gallery polish to any dinner table.



Onion Goggles | \$32 at Sur La Table

Say goodbye to tears and hello to perfectly diced onions. These cushioned, fog-free goggles [protect eyes from sting](#) and add a touch of mad-scientist flair to meal prep.



Cookbook Stand with Glass Shield | \$42, now \$35 at Amazon

While we love a well-worn cookbook, this stand from Fabio Viviani offers a sleek, practical way to keep pages splatter-free while you cook. The cookbook stays

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protected behind a tempered glass shield, and the sturdy frame holds pages right where you want them. It can also be used as a tablet stand.



Forks Over Knives Gift Card | from \$25 at Forks Over Knives

Give the gift of vibrant health: Order a Forks Over Knives gift card, which can be used to purchase anything in the FOK shop, from magazines and frozen meals to our [Mastering Plant-Based Cooking Course](#) or a [Forks Meal Planner](#) subscription. Immediately after purchase, you will receive an email with a code and instructions for redemption. To give it as a gift, simply forward the email you receive along to your desired recipient.



Zelus Weighted Vest | \$50, now \$32 at

Amazon

Help a loved one (or yourself) get 2026 off to a healthy start! A weighted vest is a simple yet effective way to enhance your workouts or daily walks and build both strength and bone mineral density. This popular vest from Zelus is available in a variety of colors and weights, and users report that it fits comfortably and withstands constant use. A standard rule of thumb is to start with a vest that's 5%–10% of your body weight (about 10 to 15 pounds for most people); read more guidance [here](#).



Forks Over Knives Mastering Plant-Based Cooking Course | \$149 now \$99 at Forks Over Knives

Treat yourself to our new online cooking course designed for busy plant-based and plant-curious eaters. Hosted by Jackie Akerberg, this course features 100+ bite-sized lessons, video demos, and 50+ brand-new recipes to take you from overwhelmed to unstoppable in the kitchen.

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Rediscover the joy of unplugged moments with Camp Snap's screen-free digital camera. With its retro design and beautifully vintage-toned photos, this little camera helps you stay present while documenting your adventures. Reasonably priced and available in a range of fun colors, this reusable, rechargeable gift invites loved ones to savor the moment and snap memories the old-school way—no scrolling required.

Vegan Collagen Smoothing Shampoo and Cream Bundle | ~~\$70~~, now \$65 at Korean Vegan

This beautiful set from Joanne Lee Molinaro, *New York Times* best-selling author and creator of Korean Vegan, makes a thoughtful gift for anyone who loves a little self-care. Hero ingredients in this shampoo and face cream duo include vegan collagen, rice water, Korean ginseng root, turmeric, and mulberry bark. The product line is made with clean vegan ingredients that are gentle on the skin and body—no animal testing, no harsh chemicals.



Screen-Free Digital Camera | \$70 at Camp Snap

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Cole & Mason Pepper Grinder | \$60, now \$55 at Amazon

Make the simple ritual of adding freshly ground black pepper to a dish more pleasurable with a beautiful pepper grinder that's built to last a lifetime. This one comes in several different color options, lets you adjust the coarseness of the grind, and comes with a lifetime guarantee on the mechanism. There's also a matching salt grinder if you want to give a set.



Emile Henry Garlic Pot | \$80 at Sur la Table

Keep garlic fresh and your kitchen tidy with the charming garlic pot from Emile Henry. Made from durable glazed ceramic with a clever cork lid, this cute countertop vessel keeps light out and air flowing through three small vents—perfect for moisture-free, longer-lasting garlic storage. No more digging through the fruit bowl for stray cloves only to find them soft or sprouting!



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Waterpik Water Flosser | ~~\$100~~, now \$80 at Amazon

Keep your teeth strong so you can enjoy chewing healthy whole foods well into old age! Recommended by dentists, a water flosser does an excellent job of reducing oral inflammation and removing harmful bacteria from those hard-to-reach places. While it's not a replacement for traditional floss, it's a great option for anyone with limited dexterity, dental work (like braces, crowns, or implants), gum disease, or wider gaps between teeth.



Ninja Crispi Air Fryer Portable Cooking System | ~~\$180~~, now \$160 at Amazon

If you've been thinking about getting an air fryer, this one from Ninja is a great pick. It solves two of the biggest gripes people have about most models: They take up too much counter space, and they use nonstick coatings. This version comes with two glass cooking containers (6-cup and 4-quart), and you can cook, serve, and store leftovers all in the same dish. Both containers come with matching lids, and the whole setup is compact, easy to clean, and available in lots of pretty colors.

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2-Quart Petite Cooker | \$135 at Caraway

This stunning pot from Caraway is that go-to piece you'll use every day and is perfect for heating up sauces or cooking one or two portions. And it looks so good, you can bring it to the table for serving. The two handles make it easier to lift and pour safely with both hands, especially when the pot is full or hot. (Just be sure to use [mitts](#)!) Caraway is currently having a sitewide sale (up to 25% off), so it's a great time to check out their full range of gorgeous pots and bakeware made with nontoxic, nonstick ceramic coatings.



Le Creuset Set of 3 Casserole Dishes | \$200, now \$140 at Williams Sonoma

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How could you not feel spoiled receiving this gorgeous three-piece casserole set from Le Creuset? Whether you're just starting out in your cooking journey or already have a kitchen full of dishes and gadgets, you'll appreciate the timeless style and exceptional quality of these beautiful pieces, which come in an array of classy hues.



Hemp Backpack | \$150 at 8000 Kicks

Durable, waterproof, and sustainably produced, this vegan backpack is made from weather-resistant hemp and available in several colors. It's the perfect size for travel or everyday use: Roll the top up for extra storage, or roll it down when you're packing light. We love the 8000 Kicks brand, founded by a Portuguese grandmother-and-grandson team dedicated to putting the planet first with their line of hemp-based shoes, bags, and other eco-friendly essentials. Not sure which one to gift? Grab one of their gift cards instead!



8 Quart Instant Pot | \$160 at Amazon

If you or someone you love has been thinking about getting an Instant Pot, make this the year. This multifunctional kitchen powerhouse also works as a slow cooker and rice cooker, and it has handy sauté and keep-warm settings. The pressure cooker mode cuts cooking time for beans and makes soaking optional, which is perfect for last-minute meals. It's even travel-friendly—just pop it in the car, and you can make hot meals right in your hotel room.

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Maple End Grain Cutting Board | \$230 at

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Boardsmith

Handmade to order from sustainably sourced U.S.-grown maple, these 2-inch-thick boards are highly customizable. (They take two to three weeks to make, so time your purchase accordingly.) Stabilizing feet come standard, but you can order a footless board. You can also add finger grooves for the sides, juice grooves, bottom grooves, and even engraving. This board is Wirecutter's upgrade pick for the best cutting board of 2025.



HigherDose Infrared Sauna Blanket | \$699 at Higher Dose

For the serious self-care enthusiast, this sleeping bag-style sauna blanket makes it easy to experience the benefits of infrared heat at home. Using far-infrared technology, it gently raises body temperature to support circulation, ease muscle tension, and promote relaxation. The layered design delivers steady, even warmth without feeling stifling. Compact and easy to store, it brings the restorative qualities of heat therapy without the commitment of a full sauna setup.



Smeg Variable Temperature Stainless Steel Electric Kettle | ~~\$275~~, now \$260 at Amazon

With its 1950s-inspired silhouette, this sleek kettle blends retro charm with modern engineering. Crafted with a stainless steel body and seven adjustable temperature settings (from 122°F to 212°F), it has a hidden cord wrap and anti-drip spout to keep counters clean and clutter-free, and a removable limescale filter to help prevent mineral build-up. Thoughtful details—like automatic shut-off and a 20-minute keep-warm function—make this kettle as practical as it is stylish.

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Yeti Roadie 32 Wheeled Cooler | \$375 at [Amazon](#)

Designed for road trips, tailgates, and beach days, this best-in-class wheeled cooler combines heavy-duty insulation with easy mobility. The retractable handle locks in place for towing, puncture-resistant wheels are built to navigate uneven terrain, and a removable dry-goods basket keeps food organized. Its dimensions make it compatible with most sedan trunks, hatchbacks, and small SUVs, while non-slip feet keep it from sliding around while you drive.



Heavyweight Linen Throw | \$253 at [Nordstrom](#)

Hand-loomed from heavyweight washed linen and edged with a subtle fringe, The Montauk throw from Pom Pom at Home occupies that sweet middle space between casual and considered. Available in five muted hues, from terra cotta (shown) to charcoal to cream, it's practical, too: Throw it in the washing machine and tumble dry!

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Zojirushi Neuro Fuzzy Rice Cooker | \$225 at Amazon

If you want perfectly cooked rice every time, a countertop rice cooker is a smart investment, and Zojirushi makes some of the best. The Neuro Fuzzy's built-in software monitors water and rice levels and adjusts cook times for perfect results—even if your measurements are less than perfect. A nonstick inner pan makes for easy serving and cleanup, and the extended keep-warm function ensures you have ready-to-eat rice whenever you need it.