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Entertainment staff offers ideas for holiday shopping

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Searching for a perfect gift for that hard-to-shop-for person? Well, look no further. Members of the Arts, Life and Leisure staff share their entertainment wish-list toppers.

DVDs

"Gilmore Girls," Season 5 \$38.99

Anyone who watched Luke and Lorelai's relationship develop and Rory go off to Yale for a second year is able to relive her Yale Daily News escapades and trysts with Dean and Logan on this DVD set. Come on, guys, it is an easy gift for a lovely WB-watching girl.

- *Kimberly Dick*

"Seinfeld," Seasons 5 & 6 Giftset \$77.97

I was waiting and waiting for Sony to release the next season of the misadventures of my favorite New York stand-up comedian and his neurotic friends. Jerry Seinfeld - the man, the comedian and the show - the love of my life. All I want for Christmas this year is the "Seinfeld" Seasons 5 & 6 Giftset. Season five's 22 episodes, season six's 24 episodes and all the features my heart desires equals 1,043 minutes of hilarious footage I know I'll laugh at again. And here's a fun fact that you won't find on amazon.com: Season five includes the favorite episode of Seinfeld himself, "The Marine Biologist." He said that when I saw him last St. Patrick's

Day doing stand-up at the Playhouse Square Center.

- *Erica Crist*

CDs

Bruce Springsteen, *Born to Run*, 30th Anniversary three-Disc Set \$31.99

So why would I want Bruce Springsteen's 1975 album if I already have it on vinyl and downloaded onto my computer? Well, in this version you get two extra discs including the 1975 Hammersmith Odeon concert and the DVD *Wings for Wheels: The Making of Born to Run*, not to mention the remastered original album with a 48-page booklet. The Boss came out with better albums, but nothing can match *Born to Run* for its sheer energy and overblown operatic magic.

- *Sean Ammerman*

Rent (2005 Movie Soundtrack) \$22.49

Rent won't be on DVD for months, but the distinctive scores can be heard at home in time for Christmas. The two-disk set embraces the entire story with the catchy music from the movie.

- *Britten Stark*

Games

Scene It? WB 50th Anniversary Game Pack \$29.99

For any girl who has ever watched *Dawson's Creek*, *Gilmore Girls*, *One Tree Hill* or any other Warner Bros. television show, there is finally a game to test your knowledge. The new DVD trivia game *Scene It? WB 50th Anniversary Game Pack* would be the perfect gift.

- *Tiffany Strong*

Trivial Pursuit DVD Game, Pop Culture 2

Anything with competition I'm all over like Angelina Jolie with Billy Bob Thorton. See, I already know who both have dated. I need this game so I can shine my other pop culture knowledge and put my readings of *US Weekly* to actual use.

- *Erika Kreider*

Books

The Complete Calvin & Hobbes \$150

This hardcover three-volume boxed set contains every single Calvin & Hobbes strip ever published. For one who fondly remembers the ongoing adventures of Calvin, Hobbes, "Spaceman Spiff," the many creative

snow-people, games of "Calvinball" and so on, this set brings them all home for a retail price of \$150.

- *Walt Kneeland*

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