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### 10 Ideas for Mom

When a bouquet of flowers don't seem to be quite enough, you can always surprise your mother on Sunday, May 8 with one of these unique gifts from Dallas-area and other Texas merchants.

#### SAY IT WITH VELVET

Jean Baptiste Body Lotion is a velvety blend of organically grown aloe vera, moisturizing shea butter, extracts of cucumber and nutrient-rich algae—and it's supplemented with essential vitamins of A, C, E and Panthenol (Pro-Vitamin B5). \$32. Available at Stanley Korshak, 500 Crescent Court, 214.871.3600.



#### SET IN STONE

No need to worry whether these natural turquoise and sterling silver rings by Navajo artist Geraldine Yazzie will fit: They feature adjustable bands. This is one of those gifts that you can give your mother with some confidence! \$270-\$345. Available at Castle Gap Jewelry, 8300 Preston Road, 214.361.1677



#### LEG-KICKING DELIGHT

Mom can take unlimited yoga and Pilates classes for a whole month with a TELOS Fitness Center Pass. And she can work out in comfort: TELOS' sound-proof studios are deemed some of the largest, fully equipped Pilates spaces in the entire country. \$75. 13701 Dallas Parkway, 972.386.2582



**THE WILLOWY LOOK**

Wearing Project Iris (available in many styles besides the Willows design here) spreads a message of hope. A portion of each Project Iris sale goes to the World Food Program, which provides meals to mothers and children in the developing world. \$47. Stonebriar Spa, 1221 Legacy Drive, Frisco, 972.668.6108. [www.projectirisclimbing.com](http://www.projectirisclimbing.com)

**ONE COOL LADY**

Mom will be ready to walk not only the grounds of Fair Park but the coast of the French Riviera and other exotic spots when she's sporting these Marseilles sunglasses by Dita. Handmade, they're replete with vintage, titanium frames, enamel inlay and UV-protected lenses. \$350. Occhiali Modern Optics, 8304 Preston Center Plaza Drive, University Park, 214.368.2777



**MACARON-Y MOM**

Gluten-free matriarchs will love these French macarons from La Patisserie by Luxe Sweets, Austin, which ships them in two-, six- and 12-packs nationwide in such unique flavors as strawberry champagne, balsamic vinegar basil and honey cardamom orange. 12-pack, \$24 plus shipping. <http://lpaustin.com>



**SAY SPA-A-A-A**

Get a jump on July's Texas Spa and Salon Month by slipping Mom a piece of plastic that offers a 15- to 25-percent discount at participating spas, salon and fitness centers across the metroplex. (Make sure she mentions the card when making her reservations!) \$30. Available at [www.texaspaandsalonmonth.com](http://www.texaspaandsalonmonth.com) and, beginning May 15, at Stonebriar Spa, 1221 Legacy Drive, Frisco, 972.668.6108, and Facelogic Highland Park, 4518 Lovers Lane, 214.696.3223.

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Did the date almost slip by you? No need to fret: You can adorn her with something to be worn or something from which to sip when Mother's Day rolls around Sunday, May 8.



### VINTAGE BLING

The shorter of these layered chains from Bella Rose is titled Justine and the longer January. Bella Rose specializes in reinvented, vintage European holy medals and rosary beads. Medals used or casted are of European origin and are 50 to 150 years old. Both chains, \$425. Swag, NorthPark Center, 8687 North Central Expwy., 214.691.0123.



### EXPERT FIT

If Mom's like 65 percent of women, she's looking for improved comfort. When she walks through the doors of bra-fit stylists Intimacy, she'll find it, particularly with this bluish ensemble from the Deauville brand, which offers support for fuller-busted women. Bra, \$137; panties, \$53. NorthPark Center, 8687 N. Central Expressway, 214.989.7895.

### HERE'S TO MOM

Mom will love saying "cheers" to each new day when she's raising her toast with this Pronua mug, which is embellished with 22-carat gold and embedded with Swarovski crystals. And, hey, this is a store that carries gourmet coffee, tea and chocolate, too! \$150. The Cultured Cup, 8312 Preston Center Plaza Drive, 972.960.1521.

