2021 Green Gift Ideas

1. Men's All-Natural Body Care Gift Set



Who doesn't like to be pampered? Make self-care easy for the men in your life this holiday.

Bee Farmee is a sustainable company based out of Collinsville, Oklahoma that makes skincare products out of all-natural beeswax and honey. Owners Carrie Beth and Ash Winfield handmake all their products in small batches and include 100% compostable, recyclable, and reusable

packaging. You can browse their products <u>online</u> or in-store at <u>Farm Hippie Farmers</u> Market in Collinsville.

<u>Drone's All-Natural Men's Body Care Gift Pack</u> is a great gift him. This men's care package includes Bee Farmee's full-size: beard oil, beard balm, deodorizing Pits Spritz, rugged relief Farmhand lotion tin, their signature lotion bar, and a giftable handsome canvas carrying tote.

2. Upcycled Stuffed Animals



Stuff animals are objectively adorable. It is hard not to smile at the sight of a cute, plushy friend. This is the perfect gift for kids of all ages and some adults too!

<u>Cuddle Monsters</u> are designed and handmade by Ashley Hanewinkel in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Ashley makes these cuties out of materials from recycled plastic bottles. Each Cuddle Monster has its own special name and story and they are occasionally Oklahoma-themed, like this OKC Thunder Bison. Shop these

cuties online or find them in-store at Buck Atom's Cosmic Curios on 66.

3. Sustainable Perfume Discovery Box



Many women don't wear perfume because it can be expensive, but who doesn't love smelling nice? Boost your friend or significant other's self-esteem with this gift!

Twinkle Apothecary is a sustainable body care and beauty shop owned and operated by one woman, Stefanie Grant Cassel, in Oklahoma City. Stefanie makes all her products by hand, and they are all PETA certified vegan and cruelty free. To top it off, this wonder woman uses sustainable

packaging, offers refills, and educates her customers on how to properly dispose of her

products.

Twinkle Apothecary's <u>Perfume Discovery Box</u> is the perfect gift for any woman in your life. You can pick one descriptive word, such as romantic, cozy, earthy, or sunshine to name a few, and you'll receive a range of curated fragrances curated. This is an especially good gift idea if you're worried about picking the wrong perfume! You can find all of Twinkle Apothecary's goodies <u>online</u>.

4. Paper Pot Maker



Make seed starting easy for the gardener in your life. They will be so thankful for this gift when spring comes.

<u>PLENTY Mercantile</u> is a sustainable business located in Oklahoma City where you can buy thoughtfully-made, cost-effective lifestyle goods and gifts. They follow a set of purchasing principles that ensure that your money is supporting people who are doing good.

The <u>Paper Pot Maker</u> is a wooden press that makes it easy to craft flower pots out of old newspaper. Use the press to shape the pot, grow your seedlings, and plant the pot directly in the garden. These paper pots biodegrade quickly making them an ecofriendly alternative to clay or plastic pots. Find this wooden press and other eco-friendly gifts on PLENTY Mercantile's <u>website!</u>

5. Item from Salt & Soul Market



Whether you are looking for a new self-care item or a brandnew shirt, everyone is bound to find an item they would love at Salt & Soul Market.

<u>Salt & Soul Market</u> is a market located in Coweta,Oklahoma where many local companies sell their products. From bath soaps to leather work, Salt & Soul has it all. The best part is that their products come from local, small businesses.

The <u>Activated Charcoal with Goat Milk Soap</u>

<u>Bar</u> from <u>Mother Earth Soap Works</u>, is just one of the many

items sold at Salt & Soul Market. With just a few ingredients, this soap is meant to not only help you get clean, but also have impressive benefits for your skin. With lessening acne and reducing wrinkles, this soap would be the perfect gift for anyone you wish to care for this holiday season. You can find gifts from many different categories on Salt & Soul Market's <u>website</u>.

6. Dinner at Elote Café



Everyone loves a good dinner! You cannot go wrong with giving someone a gift card to a delicious restaurant. <u>Elote Cafe</u> serves Mexican food using local products and sustainable practices in Downtown Tulsa. It is owned by Tulsa native, Libby Billings, who also owns <u>The Vault and Roppongi</u> in The Deco District.

7. Tulsa Art Deco Tour



Learn about Tulsa's past and present by taking a tour with <u>Tours of Tulsa</u>. This is a great gift for a couple or history lover! The Art Deco Tour is a 2 to 4 hour guided tour of Tulsa's art deco architecture. You'll learn about the people who were responsible for Tulsa's oil-boom beginnings as well as the historic buildings and elaborate ornamentation that brought Tulsa its nickname as the "terra-cotta city."

Tours of Tulsa also has additional tours exploring Tulsa's underground tunnels, and churches. Each tour is private and customized to your group. Call Kelly Gibson at 918-625-4909 to book!

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8. Living Kitchen Farm & Dairy



It is always an amazing experience to meet the person who hand-made the product your are buying, but what about meeting the farmer who grew your food? At Living Kitchen Farm and Dairy, you can do just that. Founder Lisa Becklund and helper Linda Ford, run this operation out in Depew, Oklahoma. People who dine here get to enjoy food at the very location it was grown and eat it in an open setting. This would be an amazing gift to give to

anyone who you think deserves a break to be with nature. For more information on this dining

experience, you can visit the Living Kitchen Farm and Dairy website here.

Living Kitchen Farm & Dairy - http://www.livingkitchenfarmanddairy.com/ (11/23)

9. Guide for a day- Wichita Mountains Wildlife



Guide for a Day offers guided rock climbing experiences for people of all skill levels. Give the gift of a new experience and spend the day exploring new heights by climbing in the Wichita Mountain Wildlife Refuge. This is the perfect gift for that adventurous person in your life. Visit Guide for a Day's website to learn more about this exciting experience.

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10. Trip to an Oklahoma State Park



Did you know Oklahoma has 38 state parks? Plan a trip to a state park with your family and give the gift of spending quality time in nature. Some of our favorite Oklahoma state parks are:

- Beavers Bend, Broken Bow
- Robbers Cave, Wilburton
- Lake Murray, Ardmore
- Salt Plains, Jet

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