

Gift ideas plentiful for UNL May graduates

Cheap presents available

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Graduation means diplomas, robes, parties and, of course, loot, loot, loot. The family members and friends of this year's graduating class are running out of time to buy perfect gifts for their graduates.

Selecting gifts can be difficult because in many cases, graduates don't seem to need much — besides a job, of course.

Most college graduates don't need school supplies, the mainstay of high school graduation gift-giving.

Few relatives and friends are willing or able to fork over the kind of money needed to buy things a college graduate really could use.

And shoppers who fit the category of "Well, he loaned me his car once, and I really should buy him gift," probably are not willing to buy the graduate gifts such as a car, a house or a trip to Europe.

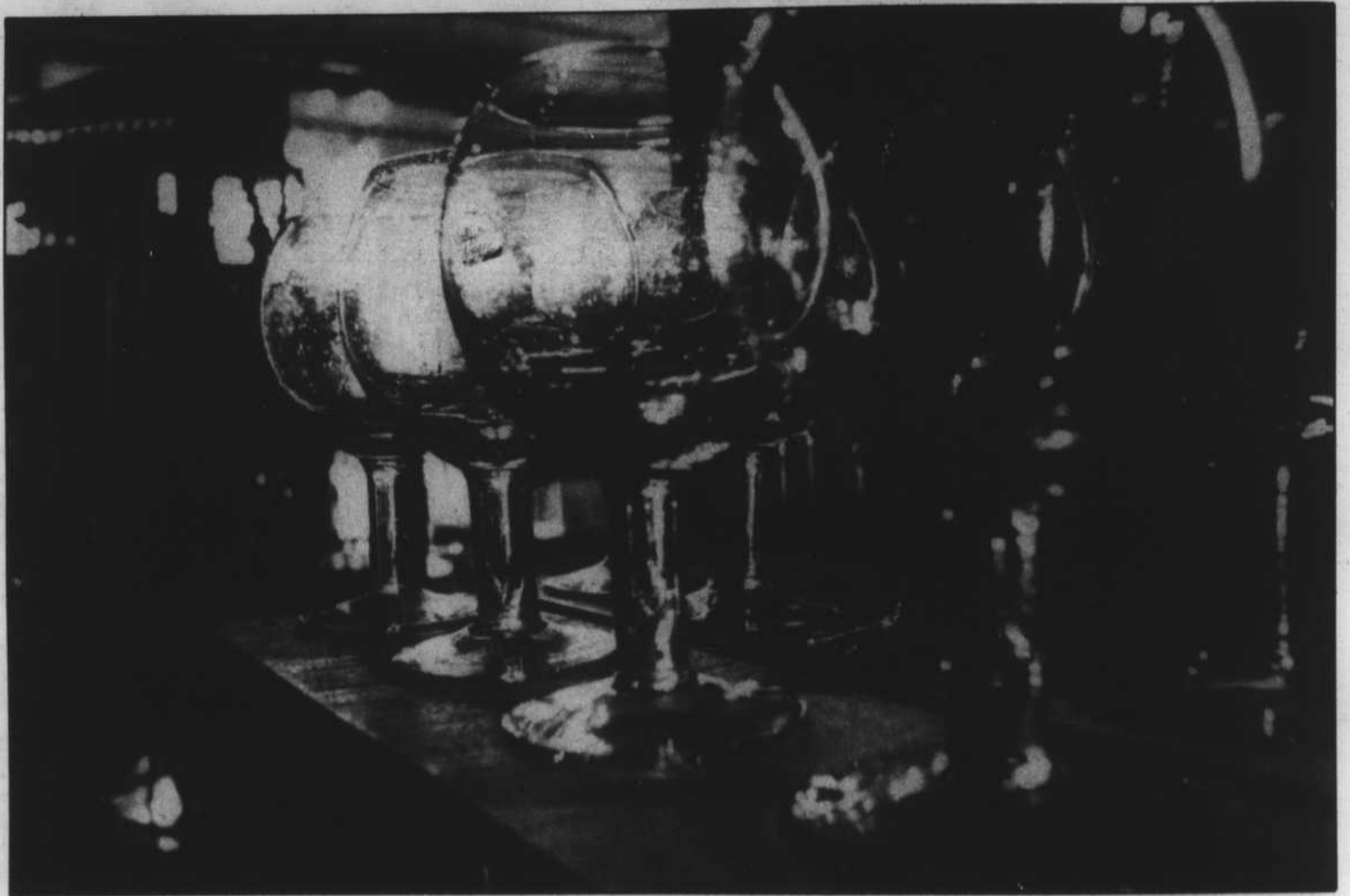
However, if you are shopping for a soon-to-be graduate, don't despair.

Rowlena Young, manager of Ben Simon's Gift Shop in Lincoln, said there were several practical and inexpensive gift ideas for graduates' friends and relatives who don't want to pay a fortune.

Young said some traditional gift ideas included book ends, picture frames, jewelry boxes, paper weights and letter openers.

She said these items were usually more popular for high school graduates who were going away from home for the first time, but shoppers for college graduates also purchased them.

Students graduating in professional fields



Glasses and other dishes in all shapes, sizes and colors make good graduation gifts from Pier 1 Imports, 135 S. 48th St.

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Michelle Kelley -
Congratulations to a neat daughter.
You've made us very proud.
Our Love, Mom & Dad

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Patricia Romine Masten -
You're our light at the end of the tunnel. Aim high and go for it!
Love you, Mom & Dad

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Keri K. Benell -
Precious girl - Marvelous woman.
We love you.
Mom & Dad

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Tad McDowell -
You have been a wonderful son and we are very proud of you.
Love Mom & Dad

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Diane Wandling -
No matter what the challenge, you persevere and succeed. We're proud of you.
Your biggest fans, Mom & Dad

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Rob Shortridge -
We are so very proud of you and love you a lot.
Love Mom & Dad

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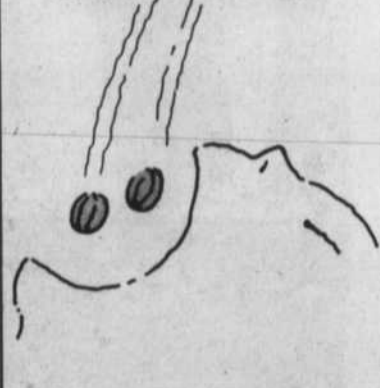
Deanne Dinslage -
You hold a special place in our hearts. We're proud of you.
Love Mom and Dad

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Stephanie N. Neill -
You did it in four! We're so proud of you. Congratulations.
We love you, Mom & Dad

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