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Dear Paul,

Thank you for your continued interest in my newsletter. I welcome suggestions for improvements and discussion topics. Please browse through the links in the right hand column. These links will connect you to a lot of very useful jewelry-related information.

The Holidays - From A Male Perspective

The holidays can be a wonderful time. Time for family and friends to get together and talk about all the things you read about them on Facebook. Throw a log on the fire, put Pandora on the holiday music channel and gaze out at the freshly fallen snow (no app for that yet). If you are a guy like me, you are blessed with a wonderful wife who loves to cook, especially for parties. While you wait for dinner, you grab a beer or pour yourself a glass of wine, relax in your chair and check the football scores on your iPad. Life is perfect, but sooner or later the day of reckoning comes and you have to start thinking about your holiday shopping. If you are lucky, your wife does all the heavy lifting in this area. My wife loves to shop and she picks all the gifts for the family, our friends and me. All I have to do is find something for her. Sounds simple, right? But men know it isn't. Our wives have been dropping hints for months, do we ever listen? I can't even hear, how am I supposed to listen?! Thank God for my "Reminders" app! I have managed to successfully save a couple of gift ideas she has hinted in my reminders. But now I have to go out and shop for them. So I take the male approach and do a quick search of Amazon. I find 57 permutations of what seemed like a relatively simple item. My stress level increases and panic sets in. I could go to a store, but it's Black Friday!



This is why men buy jewelry! It is really quite simple. Women generally love receiving jewelry as a gift. Men like what works. Men don't want to spend a lot of time shopping.

I could go on, but I have to go shopping. Let me leave you with a bit of advice. If you are a woman, let your man know what you like... If you are a

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man, get it. Just remember, happy wife, happy life!

To be serious for a moment, if you are going to spend real money on a piece of jewelry this holiday season, give me a call first and I will help you make an informed decision.



Happy Holidays!



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More On Laboratory Reports

A few months back I reported in a newsletter about the differences in laboratory reports. One of my colleagues in Denver wrote the following article on the subject and was featured on local TV in Denver. Of note, is the fact that in this article and video the stone they are comparing laboratory reports on is the same exact stone, not one like another stone.

Read the whole story and watch the video, it may save you some money.

Buyer beware: Diamond grading reports based on subjective judgments in an unregulated industry

Grading Reports Not "Carved In Stone"



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Sincerely,

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