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## Gifts For The Home

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Looking to give the nester on your list home goods from abroad?

No need to board a plane. Thanks to a number of Web sites, you can shop for hard-to-find home furnishings from Europe in your pajamas.

Deeplymadlyliving.com is one such site. Launched this fall, it carries goods such as a Swarovski-studded bath towel set from Germany and a curvy polyethylene rocking chair from Italy.

### Compete List: Ten Housewarming Treats

One of Deeply Madly Living's best sellers is the **Purple Charm Throw**. The Italian mohair blanket adds a pop of color to minimal living rooms coated in shades of grey, white and slate.

Workaholics will love the Austrian-made three-wheeled **wooden trike**, which acts as a mini desk you can roll around the house. This plywood and stainless steel piece holds your laptop on its fine leather fold-out desktop and your supplies in its many built-in drawers.

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There are equally chic options elsewhere online. Oenophiles will love Screwpull's professional-grade **wine opener** ([www.screwpull.com](http://www.screwpull.com)), which works with both natural and synthetic corks and features a non-stick coated screw to reduce friction.

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For those living in colder climes, a towel warmer is a good bet. Mr. Steam's **polished chrome model** ([www.mrsteam.com](http://www.mrsteam.com)) uses electricity, rather than hot water, and at 36 inches by 23.75 inches, should fit even the coziest of water closets. It also comes in bronze, pewter, polished gold and antique brass.

But those in search of big-ticket items might want to bundle up and visit a number of brick-and-mortar retail outposts offering top-of-the-line furnishings.

Moss in New York City, for example, offers a range of high-design furniture, including a Memphis-style **Robber Baron cabinet**. This ostentatious eight-shelf cabinet reflects a small but burgeoning trend in the design community: the return of the beloved--or hated, depending on your point of view--furniture style made famous in the 1980s by the film *Ruthless People*, starring Bette Midler. The doors of this polished bronze cabinet are carved with relief images of 19th-century industrial society, and the circular mirror is surrounded by rough pieces of ebony. It's great for that stylish someone that you know is in the market for sweater storage space.

But at \$184,000, the Robber Baron cabinet isn't something you'll be bringing to your next-door neighbor's holiday party. For the host, why not consider a quirky candle, like D.L. & Co.'s **art nouveau candle in Pomello**. The crisp citrus scent is beautifully packaged in an art nouveau-style candle holder.

The minimalist who likes to keep things cozy could use this **Bebop fireplace tool set** from German design consortium Blomus. The \$495 stainless steel tool set includes a poker brush, tongs and shovel, and won't clutter up your space like some less-lithe pieces.

With any gift you choose, aim for it to be distinctive.

"A great gift is something classic that you've personalized," says Elena Jensen, DeeplyMadlyLiving co-founder. "If you're going to give Champagne, include some beautiful goblets. Add an extra touch."

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