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## What You Can Do to Have a Memorable Christmas

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Christmas is just around the corner, and preparations are on the way. While it may be a bit different this year with the pandemic, this doesn't have to stop you from making your Christmas celebration an event you won't forget. Now, more than ever is the best time to set the holiday spirit at home and lift everyone's mood. It is a time to forget about negativities and uncertainties and focus more on your blessings and better times ahead. It may be tough not being around people you have been so used to celebrating with, but there are always solutions to every challenge. Through the internet, you can keep in touch and see all of those you hold dear to your heart any day of the year, especially this Christmas. You can also get DIY presents on the way or shop online for your Christmas gifts from www.persjewel.com for unique gift ideas.

Meanwhile, read on to find out how you can make this the most memorable Christmas for yourself and your loved ones.

#### **Share your blessings**

The joy of Christmas is in the giving, and when you start remembering those who may not be as blessed, you are living the true spirit of the season. Have your children share in the joy by packing up goodies for the less fortunate. They will surely appreciate gifts from the heart, such as food and clothes. It is always good to know that you have been a part of someone else's happiness. That is what Christmas is about.

### Prepare special meals

The aroma of food cooking in the kitchen is enough to make everyone feel the holidays. It sends off a feeling of good cheer. Come up with some recipes that you rarely make, if ever, and surprise your family with something special for the holidays. Bake up some Christmas cookies and cupcakes that your kids can enjoy decorating. Have them participate in the food preparations, and they will always remember Christmas at home.

#### Get ready with your presents

It is always best to make a list early and get your shopping done to avoid rushing with packing up your gifts. You can whip up some of your own, like cookies for neighbors and friends, or you can start your online shopping as early as possible to get them all packed and ready to be mailed. It is fun to wrap up gifts as long as you do not rush to do it.

## Have a movie night with the family

There are so many feel-good movies to watch, and having your family around to enjoy the film together makes it even more memorable. Prepare movie snacks and make it feel like you are all in a movie house complete with movie fare for the whole family to enjoy.

Christmas is that time of the year where you throw all your troubles away and look forward to the new year ahead. Yes, there may be changes, but you can always look at the bright side and make the holiday season as warm and as joyful as it has ever been.

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