

To: Bourbon
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& BANTER

2014

Bourbon Holiday
Gift Guide

A glass decanter and two glasses with 'OURS', 'HIS', and 'HERS' etched on them, filled with bourbon. The decanter is in the center, flanked by two glasses. The background is a wooden bookshelf with books.

OURS DECANTER SET

The couple that drinks together, stays together. For the bourbon loving couple on your holiday gift list this lovely etched decanter and glass makes the perfect addition to their already well-stocked bar. Each set includes 1 decanter etched with "Ours" and 2 - 8 ounce low-ball glasses with "His" and "Hers." Completely old-fashioned and classic. Hand etched by Love and Victory in Brooklyn, NY and sold by Pappy & Co.

– Ginny Tonic

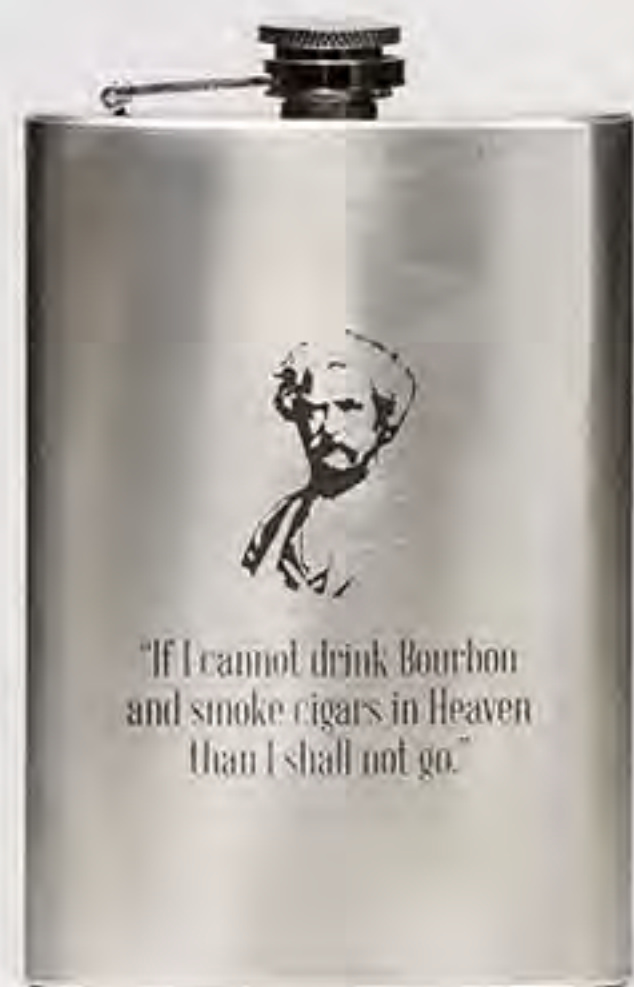
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FLASK & GLASSES



What bourbon lover wouldn't be thrilled to receive a flask or set of Glencairn whiskey glasses for the holidays?

The Medicinal Spirits Society offers a collection of Glencairn whiskey glasses & flasks custom designed for the bourbon lover.

Starting at only \$16.00 they make the perfect gift & are perfect as stocking stuffers.

– Patrick “Pops” Garrett

\$16.00

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LEARN MORE: <http://www.medicinalspiritsociety.com>

MONTHLY

SUBSCRIPTIONS



Unlike Clark Griswold's unfortunate bonus of a year's membership in the Jelly of the Month Club, monthly subscription services aren't all bad. Some of these services bring cocktails and delicious accompaniments to your home!

Here is a selection of a few subscription boxes that bring booze and its best companions right to your door.

– Erin Petrey



TASTE TRUNK

SUBSCRIPTION



Taste Trunk is a great food companion to the Bottles + Bitters subscription. Bourbon is important, but what we pair with it in terms of food is also worthy of serious consideration. Taste Trunk caters to a number of taste profiles: gourmet, sweet, BBQ, and health. For the bourbon lover, I would go for either the gourmet or the BBQ option.

Each month, a box full of 5 or more artisan food items - from sauces to salts, to spices to condiments - will be neatly packaged and shipped to you. Some items in the shop (that can appear in the box) include: Bourbon Smoked Paprika, Bourbon Worcestershire Sauce, Roasted Pecan Oil, and a wealth of BBQ sauces. Taste Trunk also offers vegan and gluten free options.

— Erin Petrey

\$35.00
MONTHLY

LEARN MORE: <http://www.tastetrunk.com>

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CIGAR OF THE MONTH



Many like to enjoy a nice glass of whiskey with a well-made, flavorful cigar. Trying new cigars can be just as exciting as cracking open a new bottle of bourbon. The Premium Cigar of the Month club allows cigar aficionados a chance to dabble across brands and styles with 5 hand-rolled, boutique, super-premium cigars delivered each month.

This subscription also includes access to the club's monthly newsletter, which details profiles on each cigar, as well as boozy pairings.

– Erin Petrey

\$24.95
MONTHLY

LEARN MORE: <http://www.cigarmonthclub.com>

BITTERS+BOTTLES

SUBSCRIPTION



Bitters + Bottles is a monthly service that helps build a home bar from the ground up. Each monthly subscription focuses on providing the ingredients to 5 classic cocktails. All of the ingredients (including the booze!) are provided, along with recipes, historical tidbits, and pro tips on how to truly conquer each cocktail.

This is a great option for a friend who is just starting to dabble in the cocktail world. And note, they also carry a wide array of unique bitters in their online shop. Bitters are also a great option for that friend who may already have a hefty selection of bourbon and other liquor, but needs something to level up on their cocktail game. Flavors of note that would pair well with bourbon cocktails: Bittercube Blackstrap Bitters, Bittermans Xocolatl Mole Bitters, and Scrappy's Bitters Grapefruit.

– Erin Petrey

\$95.00
MONTHLY

LEARN MORE: <http://www.bittersandbottles.com>



CARRY ON COCKTAIL KIT



Whether you are 1K, Elite, or just hop a flight every once in a while, you probably find your in-flight cocktail options to be limited. Seasoned flyers have been known to carry a personal stash of bitters to liven up that mini-bottle of Jim Beam, but why not take it a step further?

For your favorite brown liquor enthusiast you should consider the "Carry On Cocktail Kit". It contains the fixins to make two old fashioned cocktails and the necessary "cool factor" to make the neighbors in the seats next to you wonder why they are drinking plain ol' Jack-n-coke.

TSA Security approved, this handy item is a creative way to extend a proper cocktail into the realm of 30,000 feet.

– Andy Jones

\$24.00

LEARN MORE: <http://www.carryoncocktailkit.com>

BOURBON T-SHIRTS



Some situations simply don't allow for you to carry around a bottle of bourbon to show off your love of America's Native Spirit.

That's where a bourbon t-shirt makes the perfect gift. The Medicinal Spirit Society offers a variety of bourbon-themed shirts all starting at only \$25.00. Buy a few for the bourbon lovers in your life and make sure to add one for yourself as well. They're the perfect way to help spread the bourbon gospel.

– Patrick “Pops” Garrett

\$25.00

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ART EATABLES

TRUFFLES

Art Eatables think of their Small-batch Bourbon Truffles™ as two-bite truffles. Each bite sends a wave of different flavors, this creates your experience. They artfully craft their Small-batch Bourbon Truffles™ by using rich decadent chocolates, natural ingredients and fine Kentucky bourbon. All of their small batch bourbon truffles are hand dipped and packed in Louisville, Kentucky.

I simply call them AMAZING. Until I tasted them I wasn't a fan of liquor-based chocolates. Let's just say they helped me find my "religion" while spreading the bourbon gospel.

Buy several boxes because it's common for them to never make it to the gift wrapping stage during the holiday season.

– Patrick "Pops" Garrett

\$9.95

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SMALL HANDS COCKTAIL KIT



While having a properly made Old Fashioned during a flight would be great, I wish I could buy Small Hands Foods' cocktail kit for all of my friends and family who "don't get it". The kit includes a bottle of gum syrup (for that great velvety texture), Angostura bitters (the classic), a jigger (to get you're measurements right), bar spoon (so you don't have to site with your finger), large ice mold (to provide slow solution and not water you're drink down too quickly) and a vegetable peeler (for those nice swaths of lemon or orange peel). Besides whiskey and a glass, that's everything you need for a perfect Old Fashioned.

– Thomas Fondano

\$39.00



LEARN MORE: <http://www.smallhandfoods.com>

BOURBON FLAG



FRAMED CANVAS

If the bourbon lover in your life has more bottles of bourbon than your local bar, you may want to consider surprising them with this one-of-a-kind bourbon flag framed canvas print from The Medicinal Spirit Society.

This 8.5x11 inch framed print features 50 unique bourbon brands and can be placed vertically or horizontally on surfaces, or can be hung on a wall. The black frame nicely contours the design and the glass protector gives a glossy finish.

It's sure to be the centerpiece of any home bar, man cave or even work office. Make sure to challenge the recipient to see who can name all the bottles. Loser buys the next round.

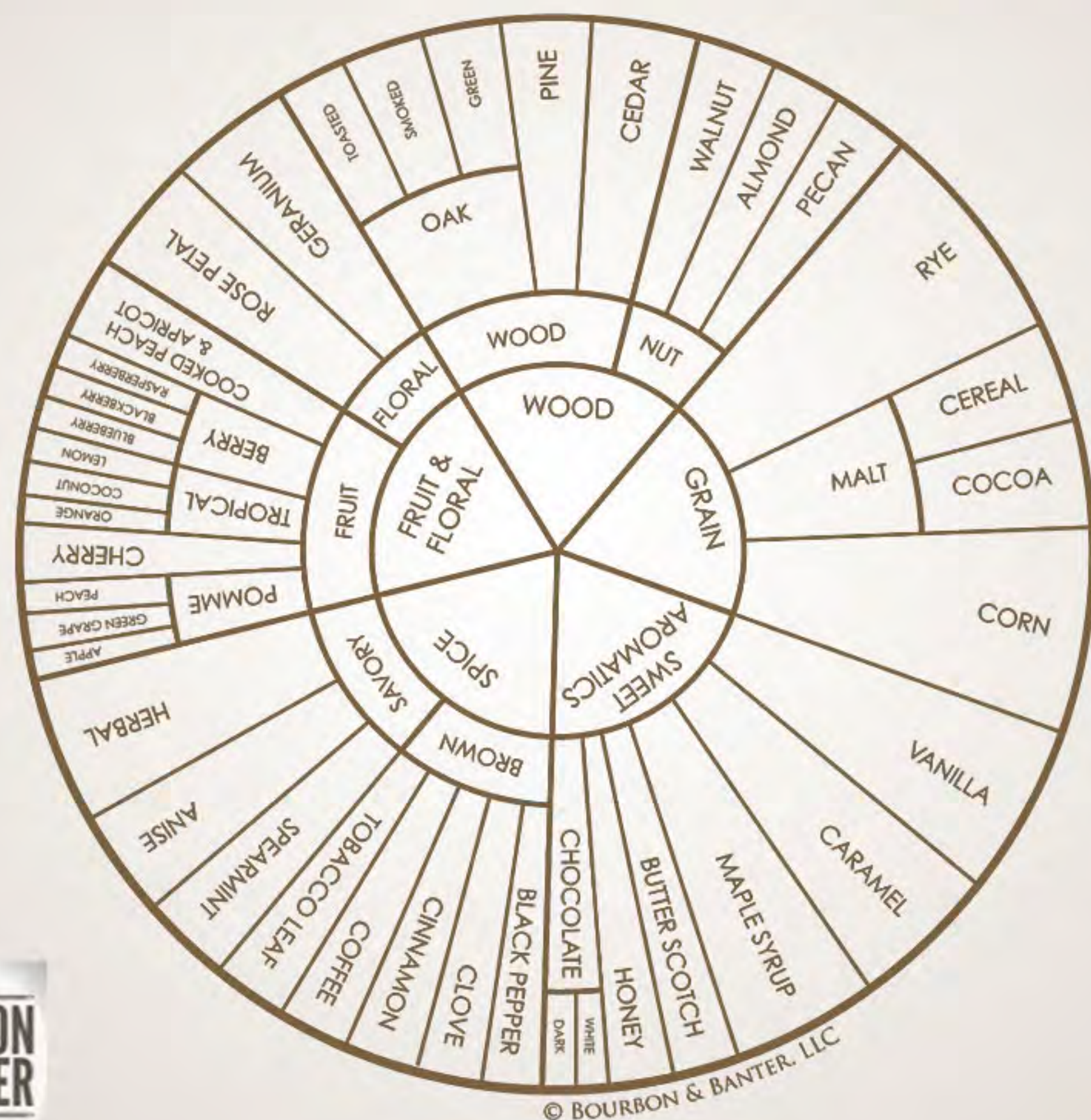
– Patrick “Pops” Garrett

\$30.00

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FLAVOR WHEEL



We believe that spending time with family and friends is one of the greatest things you can do in life. Sharing a good glass of bourbon while engaging in spirited banter only makes it more enjoyable.

We're thrilled to provide you with a portable copy of our Bourbon Flavor Wheel to help you identify the aromas and flavors of your next glass of bourbon. There's no "wrong answer" when it comes to what you smell or taste when drinking bourbon, but we hope this guide helps you better identify what you're experiencing.

Happy Holidays and thank you for helping us spread the bourbon gospel.

– Bourbon & Banter

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