

Gift-giving ideas that break tradition

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Even if they end up buying a sweater with your department store gift certificate, at least you'll know it's one they like.

Gift certificates offer endless possibilities and make the shopping easy.

A record-store gift certificate will ensure your teenager picks the CD he or she really wants, while many women would love to get a certificate for a facial, manicure, pedicure or massage.

With a little imagination, gift certificates can also be fun to open. Slide the record store certificate into

a brightly-colored tin can and fill with jelly-beans or candy. Roll the facial certificate into a plush face cloth for wrapping.



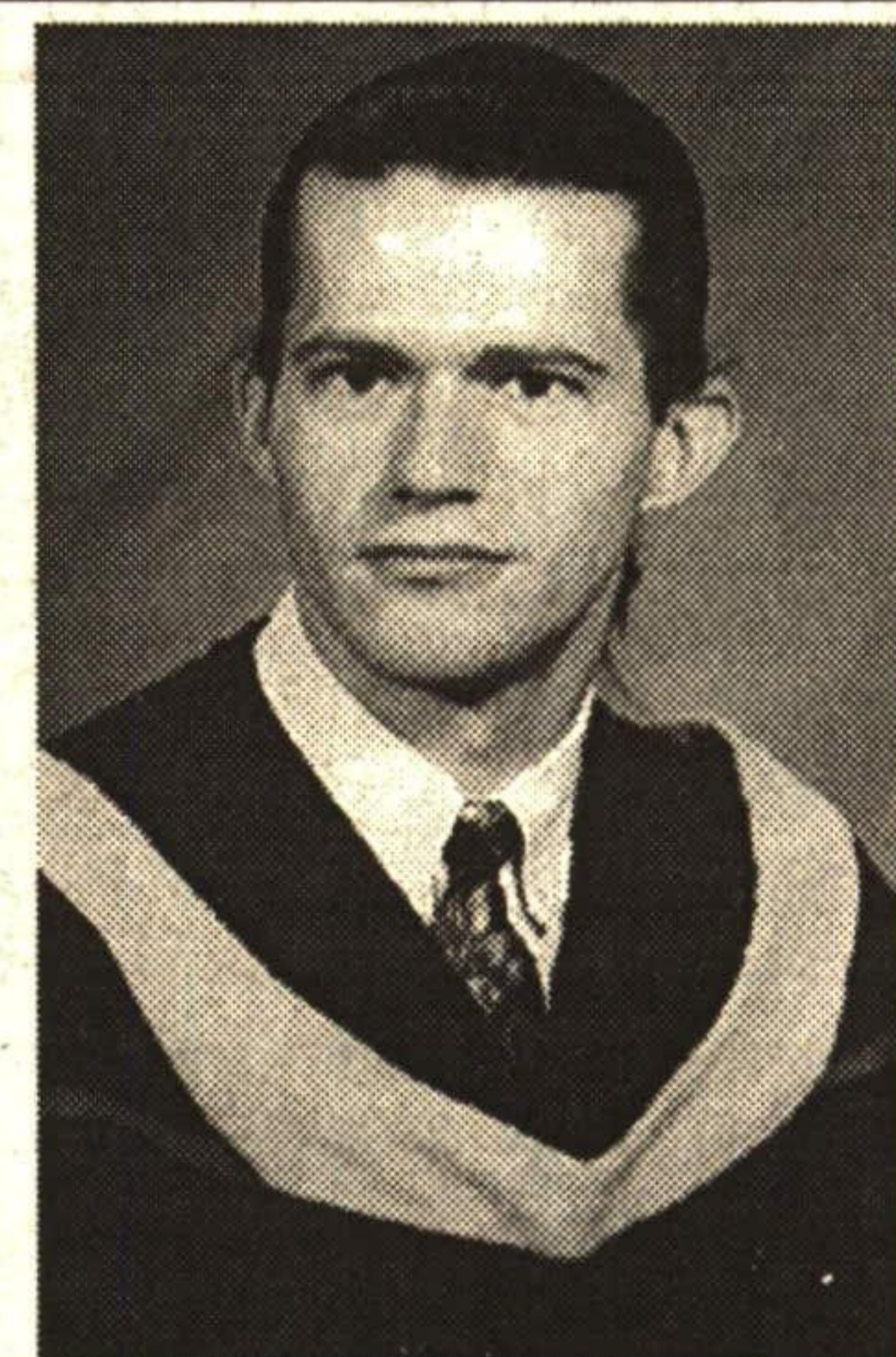
Books and magazine subscriptions never go out of style and you can find them to cater to every interest, taste and age range. For nature lovers, consider a subscription to Canadian Geographic or Equinox magazines.

Or for a high-tech take on information, how about a year's access to the Internet?

And don't forget the wrapping. Discarded boxes, cards and wrapping paper make the Christmas season one of the most wasteful.

Cut down on garbage by hiding gifts in reusable gift bags or decorated tins. Use last year's cards, color comics or children's drawings as a substitute for store-bought wrapping paper.

Or, best of all, find usable wrappings. Boxer shorts, t-shirts, toques, tea towels or face cloths can all be tied around small gifts as fun but useful wrapping.



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