

happy holidays

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ADVERTISING FEATURE

EXPERIENCE a COUNTRY Christmas

DAYS REMAINING 32

Decorate Christmas tree with nature-inspired, handmade ornaments

The Christmas tree is the focal point for holiday spirit in the home.

Whether people choose a real tree or an artificial one, they want it to look special.

What makes a tree special is the time spent with family deciding on the perfect tree and then finally decorating it.

Handcrafted ornaments give the tree a personal touch. But don't worry — you don't have to have an artist's touch to make beautiful ornaments.

The following ornaments, courtesy of *Good Housekeeping: Christmas Joys* (Hearst Books), are simple forms and natural objects that are easily dressed up with gold string, ribbon and paint.

GILDED ACORNS

Materials:

- acorns or purchased wooden acorns
- glue gun
- plaid mod podge
- paintbrush
- imitation golf leaf (Dutch metal)
- gold string

• If using natural acorns, secure caps to

nut with hot glue.

• Apply a thin coat of mod podge to the acorn with paintbrush.

• Apply small squares of imitation golf leaf to the acorn, gently pressing the edges down.

• When dry, wind a golf string around the acorn stem and secure with drop of hot glue.

LEMON AND RIBBON ORNAMENT

Materials:

- velvet and satin ribbons
- dried lemon
- glue gun
- upholstery tacks (decorative furniture nails)
- scissors

• Make overhand knot in ribbon for hanging loop.

• Secure loop to top of lemon with dot of hot glue; continue wrapping ribbon around lemon. Cut ribbon at loop and secure with glue.

• Cut second strip of ribbon and glue around circumference of lemon.

• Anchor ribbon at intersections with upholstery tacks.

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Breakfast ~ Lunch ~ Dinner

Santa will be here: Sun., Dec. 12 & Sun. Dec. 19

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HOURS: Monday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
 (Kitchen closes 8:00 p.m. Mon. - Thurs. & Sunday)
 (Kitchen closes 9:00 p.m. Friday & Saturday)

CLOSED ONLY CHRISTMAS DAY
 Sunday, Dec. 26th - Regular Brunch
 Friday, Dec. 31st - N.Y.E. Gala (Banquet Hall)
 Friday, December 31st - N.Y.E. Dinner (Dining Room)
 Saturday, January 1st, 2000 - Special Brunch
 Sunday, January 2nd, 2000 - Regular Brunch

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