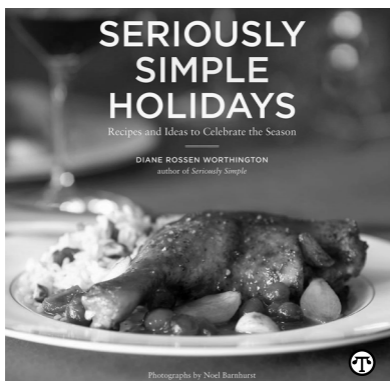


Holiday Hints

How To Throw A Fantastic Holiday Party

(NAPSA)—Elaborate holiday party plans can often keep you so busy that you don't have time to enjoy them. That may account for the popularity of a new book, "Seriously Simple Holidays" (Chronicle Books), which is filled with wonderfully easy recipes and ideas for hosting a fantastic holiday party.

In her book, author Diane Worthington offers everything needed for stress-free entertaining for the



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holiday season—the essential equipment, table setup suggestions, homemade gift ideas, wine pairing notes, and menus for every occasion from Rosh Hashanah to Thanksgiving to the New Year.

Among the many time-saving suggestions are ideas for stocking up the holiday pantry with a diverse array of products and quality-prepared ingredients that look and taste amazing. For more elaborate meals, Worthington proves that even Crispy Bacon-Wrapped Stuffed Dates and Roast Turkey with Maple-Balsamic Butter Rub are deceptively simple.

From drinks to desserts and even breakfast the next morning, "Seriously Simple Holidays" makes it easy to find time to share in the joys of the season.