Gift Ideas

An Anniversary Diamond Says "I Do" Forever

(NAPSA)—A growing number of men are proposing to their wives again (and again) by expressing their love and commitment with a diamond. Diamonds for the anniversary are the perfect way to recapture that "I Do" moment and say to your partner "I Forever Do."

Just as the receiving of the diamond engagement ring is a magical, important moment, couples are recapturing that moment each anniversary with a gift of diamonds. The same feeling of surprise and joy can be recaptured again and again with diamond anniversary presents.

For centuries, diamonds have been considered the ultimate gift of eternal love. Now, research shows diamonds are perhaps the most desired luxury gift for an anniversary because every diamond is unique, just like the woman (or man) who wears it.

Diamonds are found in almost every color of the rainbow, but white-colored diamonds remain the most popular. So you won't be too dazzled when you walk into a store, here are some diamond anniversary gift ideas.

• Three-stone diamond jewelry (ring, earrings or pendant) is the most romantic choice, as the three stones represent a couple's past, present and future.

• Classic pieces such as diamond-stud earrings or a diamond solitaire pendant are perfect for everyday wear. They are equally as appropriate with everything from jeans and a T-shirt to a formal gown. They can also be found in a myriad of diamond shapes and carat sizes to fit every taste and budget. A fancy-shaped diamond pendant is a unique twist on a classic piece (the most popular fancy shapes are teardrop, marquise, oval and heart).

• Dramatic earrings, such as a chandelier or stiletto drop.

• For a truly luxurious, elegant gift, a diamond line bracelet is perfect.

Other choices include the stun-



TAKE NINE—Liam Neeson gave Natasha Richardson a threestone Ashoka-cut diamond ring by William Goldberg for their ninth anniversary.



During a Super Bowl party, Steve Young gave his wife an Elara three-stone diamond ring to mark their anniversary.

ning riviere necklace or a vintageinspired brooch.

• For men: diamond-studded watch, diamond cuff links.

Remember, when shopping for diamonds, learn the four Cs. These are *carat*, which refers to the weight of a diamond; *color*, referring to the degree to which a diamond is colorless; *clarity*, referring to the presence of inclusions in a diamond; and *cut*, referring to the proportions of a diamond. To learn more about diamonds, visit a helpful resource on the Web, www.adiamondisforever.com.