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## GET A JUMP ON THE HOLIDAYS

YOUR ONE-STOP SHOPPING GUIDE TO THIS YEAR'S HOTTEST DEALS  
AND MOST IRRESISTIBLE GIFTS. PLUS, WHAT **ONE DIRECTION** REALLY WANTS FOR  
CHRISTMAS—AND HOW YOU COULD WIN TICKETS TO THEIR NYC CONCERT!

## BARGAIN-HUNT IN YOUR SLIPPERS.

*BizRate.com and Google Shopping comparison shop for you; PriceBlink.com, a free add-on for your browser, automatically scours the Net for the best price on any item. Coupon sites such as Retail MeNot offer codes for extra savings. And ShopItToMe does clothes shopping for you: Plug in designers and sizes and the site will send*

*you alerts about markdowns and promotions.*

## MASTER FINDING A PARKING SPOT.

*Eran Ben-Joseph, author of ReThinking a Lot: The Design and Culture of Parking, shares tips for a low-stress search.*

**|** *Most parkers zero in on the aisles in front of an entrance, which fill up fast. Instead, go directly to an area halfway between two*

*entrances, where there are fewer cars.*

**2** *Take the first spot you see. It's tempting to scout one closer to the door, but studies prove that typically takes longer than walking from the farther spot. (Plus, you'll burn off those gingerbread calories.)*

**3** *If the lot's full, don't cruise. Stake out a spot at the end of an aisle. Research shows that a spot should open within nine minutes. —A. S.*

## AND THERE'S MORE!

Go to **Parade.com/presents** to find additional gift ideas for everyone on your list