

# Town & Country

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## DREAM HOLIDAYS

A NEW  
ENGLAND  
CHRISTMAS

GLITTERING  
GIFTS

SKIING  
IN SQUAW  
VALLEY

A GLORIOUS  
TREE

PLUS  
A 16-PAGE  
TRIBUTE TO  
CENTRAL  
PAR

DECEMBER 2003  
U.S. \$4.00 CANADA \$5.00  
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Sigourney Weaver  
in Central Park



## COOL HOLIDAY

When New York restaurateur Danny Meyer was growing up in St. Louis, he looked forward to visits from his parents' Cincinnati friends, because they always brought that city's best ice cream—from **GRAETER'S**, established in 1870.

These days, thanks to dry ice, expert packaging and overnight mail, Meyer no longer has to wait. His picks? "Three or four of the flavors made with chocolate chunks; plain vanilla; and coffee—the best of its kind," he says. "It's a perfect holiday gift." He ought to know—he loves to send Graeter's to his friends at Christmastime. *Six pints, \$70; twelve pints, \$110 (shipping included).* 800-721-3323; [graeters.com](http://graeters.com).

## TRUE AFFECTIONS

"There is no love sincerer than the love of food."

—George Bernard Shaw