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Organic Extra Virgin Olive Oil Dried Fruit





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AND CARING FOR THE EARTH & ITS PEOPLE

Starcross is a small, independent, multi-faith community living in the contemplative tradition, offering encouragement to folks on all spiritual paths. When you purchase a Holiday Gift from us, not only are you receiving the very highest quality, you are also helping us continue the mission and vision of Starcross.

As a sanctuary for people & nature, we strive to nurture the earth, the world's children, and people's spirits. Since 1976 Starcross has been a loving home for dozens of adopted and foster children, many with AIDS or other special needs. From this home-base we have established programs helping vulnerable



children and adults impacted by AIDS, poverty, or civil unrest in Uganda, Romania, and close to home! Our small corner of earth is in Sonoma County, CA — what was once a rundown rural homestead has gradually become home to organic gardens, a protected "forever-wild" redwood forest, and a grove of 1800 olive trees.

Many compassionate people from near and far come stay here a while to help on the land and with our outreach to the local community. Starcross provides an important experience as they seek alternative life paths, combining spirituality with caring for the planet. Additionally we connect weekly with folks around the world, sharing inspirational messages through Books and multi-faith Reflections, Haiku, and Photography.

Each box leaves our barn with a hope and prayer for peace at its destination. Thank you for being a part of our Christmas at Starcross.





SISTER JULIE'S Organic Extra Virgin Olive Oil Extra Virgin. Extra Good.

Extra Virgin Olive Oil 2019 Harvest | Olio Nuovo 2020 Harvest

Our delicious Tuscan blend has earned a reputation as one of California's best artisan olive oils, winning 6 Gold Medals & 2 Best of Class over the years! Certified Organic by CCOF and Certified Extra Virgin by the California Olive Oil Council, our olives are farmed sustainably without harmful chemicals, meeting strict certification standards. Each year our harvest is lovingly hand picked & cold-pressed within hours by Starcross Family Confraternity and friends.

Olive Oil is full of healthy antioxidants & is a great gift for foodie friends and kitchen novices alike! Sister Julie's Organic Extra Virgin Olive Oil can be used for cooking or finishing. Our 2019 Harvest produced a robust fruity oil with a rich mouth feel and plenty of structure to enhance hearty hot dishes. This winter you'll find it's particularly wonderful for bean soups, stews or grilled portobello mushrooms. Yum!

We press the 2020 Harvest Olio Nuovo ("New Oil") in November. This freshly pressed oil is prized by chefs for its unique, robust and peppery flavor, and is truly a once-a-year treat, only available directly after harvest. Greatly appreciated by the gourmets on your gift list!



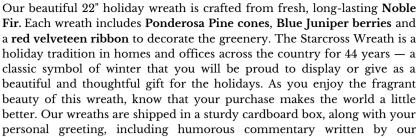
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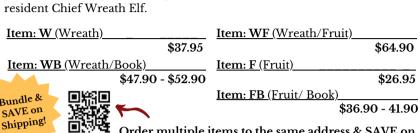
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Sun-Dried OF Fruit Tray

Two pounds of a gourmet selection of fruit: Angelino plums, apples, peaches, white peaches, dates and prunes, artfully arranged on a reusable tray. A Starcross Fruit Tray is just right for a festive gathering or a quiet moment with a cup of tea during a busy day.



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Beautifully illustrated by artist Dorothy Beebee

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STONES

Daily Reflections by an Unconventional

Monk

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\$14.95





The Sacred Way

Item: B3

Few storytellers can capture the sense of the divine as Brother Toby can. This classic Christmas book invites us to stroll through the season day by day, with eloquent reflections on nature's gifts: birds, stars, rain, and children. It also explores the rich history of different faith traditions, helping us to embrace others and quietly fostering tolerance and peace.

A much needed daily dose of spiritual nourishment, Stepping Stones is a perfect gift for just about anyone on your list. In this compilation of his writings, Brother Toby encourages us to approach each moment deliberately and thoughtfully, reminding us that even in our complicated world, 'simply being' is possible as we cherish the beautiful little things in life.

The Tao's words "are to be hung like bells in our hearts and rung by the motions we make as we move through our daily lives." We keep this book in our library, in our chapel, on our work benches, by our beds, in our backpacks and pockets. We often open it and try to live with it, having come to realize that we hold a flower that will never stop unfolding.



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A Spiritual Companion

Item: B4

Stardust to Stardust

Haiku - A Final Year by Sister Marti Aggeler

THREE GIFTS

For Spiritual Wayfarers

Item: B6

30 concise reflections on fundamental steps You will treasure this touching, joyful challenging us to live our lives as if they really matter, to hold on to the important things and let the rest go, look honestly at ourselves and make the decisions our better natures deserve. This is the kind of book you will turn to over & over again through the years. A true classic, it never gets old.

on the path through life. In this collection, book written between Sister Marti's Brother Toby's words are direct, diagnosis of terminal cancer and her last breath. "Sister Marti cared about all creation, from the smallest insects to stardust in the universe. An exceptional writer of haiku and a person whose life is a model for us all."... "The match of photographs to haiku is remarkable — one can see what she saw, and with her words, come close to feeling what she felt."

Brother Toby's latest is a gem of a little book. Using the themes of Great Faith, Great Courage, and Holy Doubt, Toby takes on these questions: How do we have confidence in our ability to deal with each experience we encounter? Where will we find the strength to follow our personal spiritual compass? Can we look at doubt as a tool for leading us to new understandings? Three Gifts provides the self-reflection needed to reach understanding of the self that we truly are.





On our NEW online shop it's easy to send gifts to family & friends. Visit shop.starcross.org or access our Wreath Collection directly with this special QR code!





"In addition to being quality gifts which people love to receive, the proceeds help make the world a better place. But most of all, Starcross gifts make people happy! My elderly aunt said, 'Since I don't put up a Christmas tree anymore, every so often I go out and breathe in the scent from my wreath. The wreaths are so fresh and fragrant it reminds me of Christmases I cherish from long ago."

Liz Mullins

"I love the feeling of sending these beautiful wreaths as gifts, while at the same time I am helping support the wonderful work of Starcross. The Starcross Wreaths are such a great value! I send them every year to a variety of friends, clients, and family, and the response has been unanimously enthusiastic. It is always a welcome gift."

Mary Luttrell Cuoio

Thank you!

Each year we are grateful for the support you offer by choosing a Starcross Holiday Gift. You may have noticed that our catalog looks different this year. If you have any trouble with placing an order please give us a call 1.800.960.1500.



WREATHS: THE ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY CHOICE THIS SEASON!

"Live Wreaths" like our Starcross Noble Fir Wreath are an environmentally friendly choice for you and your loved ones during the holidays. Unlike artificial plastic decor, our wreaths are recyclable, renewable, and have minimal impact on the trees they are sourced from. Keeping trees in our forests and reducing the use of petroleum based products (like plastics) are just two important ways we can support efforts to reduce global warming and fight climate change!

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Books & Wreaths both have CA Tax applied when shipped within California. The tax rate changes depending on the delivery address. If you are manually adding your total for a Check please see the chart for calculations based on delivery address. If you are shipping TO an address in Sonoma County, CA the tax rate is 8.25%; if you ship TO anywhere else in CA the tax rate is 7.25%.

OFFICE HOURS & DETAILS

- Holiday Office Hours to place orders: Monday-Friday 9 AM - 5 PM (PST) Saturdays 9 AM - 12 PM (PST)
- Orders are **shipped** out Monday-Friday
- Orders mailed, faxed or phoned in may take an additional day to process.

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NAME OF ITEM	PRICE	CALIFORNIA STATE TAX*	SONOMA COUNTY TAX*	SHIPPING
WREATH [W]	\$37.95	\$2.75	\$3.13	\$14.00
FRUIT [F]	\$26.95	-	-	\$12.00
BOOKS [B1 - B5]	\$14.95	\$1.08	\$1.23	\$5.00
BOOK [B6]	\$9.95	\$0.72	\$0.82	\$5.00
HOLIDAY COMBO #1 WREATH/FRUIT [WF]	\$64.90	\$2.75	\$3.13	\$15.00
HOLIDAY COMBO #2 WREATH/BOOK [WB]	\$52.90	\$3.83	\$4.36	\$15.00
HOLIDAY COMBO #3 FRUIT/BOOK [FB] (EXCLUDES B2)	\$41.90	\$1.08	\$1.23	\$13.00
OLIVE OIL (2019 HARVEST) [OO] 1 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$25.00	-	-	\$12.00
OLIVE OIL (2019 HARVEST) 2 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$50.00	-	-	\$12.00
OLIVE OIL (2019 HARVEST) 4 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$75.00	-	-	\$15.00
OLIVE OIL (2019 HARVEST) 6 BOTTLE COLLECTION Sav	\$142.50	-	-	\$17.00
OLIVE OIL (2019 HARVEST) 12 BOTTLE COLLECTION		-	-	\$20.00

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