Welcome
to the
2012
Silent and Live
Benefit Auction
Catalog
of
Goods and Services



October 13, 2012 at 5:00 p.m.

The Unitarian Universalist Church of Ellsworth 121 Bucksport Road Ellsworth, Maine 04605 207-667-4393

Proceeds shared with The Heating & Warmth (THAW) Fund Providing heating assistance to low income families

# GENERAL INFORMATION

#### Ahead of time

Read this booklet and highlight items you want to bid on.

BRING YOUR BOOKLET TO THE AUCTION.

Plan to arrive on time so that you get a good look at all the 120+ items.

If you can't attend the auction, fill out the proxy bidding form in this catalog and get it to Don Martin by Oct 7th. Don's number is 664-0309.

#### The Fun-raiser is Saturday, October 13, 2012, beginnning at 5 PM

#### When you arrive, proceed to the registration table.

If you have not pre-purchased your ticket, the suggestion donation is \$10.

You will receive your bidder's paddle with your bidding number.

YOU WILL ALSO RECEIVE A LIST OF LIST OF LIVE AUCTION ITEMS IN BID ORDER. All other items are in the Silent Auction or on the Buy-It-Now table.

#### Food & Drink

A selection of delicious foods and beverages will be available for your walk-around dining pleasure. During the silent auction, servers will circulate with plates to ensure that you have a satisfying meal. Wine and beer will be available for a donation.

#### Raffles - We have two raffles!

The drawings for both auctions will be just before the Live Auction begins (about 6:30 pm).

GOURMET GOODIES BASKET (photo on cover): Your ticket stub automatically enters you in this raffle. It's our way of saying "Thank You!" for supporting UUCE and THAW.

TURKEY RAFFLE: Win an 8-10 lb. certified organic turkey just in time for Thanksgiving! Donated by Old Ackley Farm in Blue Hill. Tickets for this raffle are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

#### Silent Auction - Begins at 5:00; ends about 6:20 pm

Bids are made by <u>writing your bid number</u> on the left and the amount you bid on the right. USE BID NUMBER, NOT YOUR NAME. The minimum raise over the previous bid is \$1. Please bid in whole dollars only. You may raise the bid on any item as often as you wish. Items will be awarded to the highest bidder.

#### Buy It Now!

This year we will have a few items with prices. If you want an item, write your bid # on the item slip after the words "Sold to"

### Live Auction - Begins at 6:30 pm

Michael Povich returns as auctioneer for his third year!

<u>Items will be auctioned in the order listed on the sheet given you, not by item # in the catalog.</u>
Bid by holding up your bidder's paddle.

#### Reserve

A very few items have a Reserve. This means that the donor is not willing to part with the item for less than that amount. It is like a minimum, except the auctioneer may start the bidding at a lower amount with the hope that the bidding will go above the reserve.

#### Bidding on multiple winner items

Some items, most commonly dinners and other events, are bid by the person rather than for the event as a whole. The high bidder gets as many slots for that event as desired. Then the next highest bidder is offered the event at the highest bid; we proceed until the event is full or there are no more bidders. For example, the highest bid for a dinner for 6 is \$40. The highest bidder takes 4 plates at \$40 each, total \$160. The next highest bidder takes 1 plate at \$40. The next highest bidder declines, but the 4th highest bidder takes the last plate at \$40. The whole dinner goes for \$240.

If more than one of an item is offered, the quantity is in the Qty column, after the Item # and before the description.

#### **Payment**

You may pay with cash, check or CREDIT CARD. Please see the designated cashier if paying by credit card

#### **Checkout and Item pickup**

DO NOT REMOVE ANY ITEMS FROM THE SILENT AUCTION UNTIL YOU HAVE PAID AND HAVE YOUR RECEIPTS.

When you are ready to leave, present your bidder number to a cashier and they will tally your items. When you have completed the payment process, the cashier will give you receipts for all items, and your gift certificates and/or buy-it-now items.

Take your receipts to the silent auction tables or sanctuary and a volunteer will help you gather your items.

Remember to save receipts for events and services won so that you can collect them.

All items must be paid for and all goods must be removed from the church the night of the auction, unless you make special arrangements with Don Martin or Peggy Strong.

#### **Unsold items**

Unsold items will be available for purchase for 1 or 2 Sundays after the auction.

#### Can't attend the Auction?

If you are unable to attend the auction, you can still bid by taking advantage of one of our proxy bidders, coordinated by Don Martin.

Use the form enclosed to record your bidding instructions. Sign the form and give it to Don Martin by Sunday, October 7, 2012. Don's phone is 664-0309.

Remember - you are coming to raise money for THAW and your church.

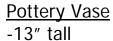
Have fun in the process. Bid high and bid often!

## Item #

# **Goods and Services Item**

# **Donated by**

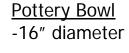
#101



Lisa Williams & Beth Peppe



#102



Lisa Williams & Beth Pepp



#103



Lisa Williams



#104

Old Town Canoe
With 2 Paddles/2 PFD's
Kay won this in a raffle.
Valued at \$880

Kay Wilkins



# Tarot Deck of Cards w/book, A Guide to Reading Tarot

John Fink

Diana Cate

#106

# Party Boat Tour for 4 on Branch Lake with drinks and hors d'oeuvres



#107

Working Lobster Boat Tour for 4 departing from Seal Harbor

Stefanie Alley

#108

<u>Dinner for 6 featuring</u>
<u>Colombian (South American) Cuisine</u>
(not for vegetarians)

Matthew Strong



"Bandeja Paisa", Cartagena, Colombia

#109

<u>Clam Basket Magazine Rack</u> 3 Baskets high, made in Maine Bryce Smith

#110

Photos of Viburnum at UUCE

Bob Dicken

Qty: 3



#112	Organic Garlic Braid decorative and functional	Becka Gagne
#113	Rhubarb Chutney homegrown & homemade by Kay Qty: 6 jars	Kay Wilkins
#114	African Violet (plant) Oty: 5 plants	Dartha Reid
#115	Small photo of Monarch Butterflies in small frame	
#116	Timber Tina's Lumberjack Show Oty: Passes for 2	Dartha Reid
#117	GIANT Clivia Plant	Marjorie Dole



<u>Holiday Treats</u> – 2 dozen Caitlin Tunney Assorted cookies and confections boxed & ready

for week of Dec. 17-21, 2012

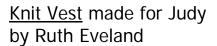
#119	GIANT Whoopie Pie	Chris Burdette
#120	Child's Violin, ½ size For a child ages 6-9	Evelyn Foster
#121	<u>Child's Violin, 7/8 size</u> For a child ages 10-15	Evelyn Foster
#122	Kitchen-Aid Mixer Repair John can restore yours! (Parts extra)	John Fink
#123	Gardening! Two (2) hours of weeding/digging	Mary Chamberlin
#124	Bicycle Tune-Up Includes: tightening, adjustments, lubrication – no major repairs or carbon frames. (Parts extra)	John Fink
#125	Greek Dinner for 4 Greek salad, spanakopita, pistachios, eggplant, lamb, baklava	Nancy Avila
#126	Illuminated World Globe 15" diameter	Dick Faust

#128	The Sermon on the Mount By Emmet Fox (book)	Evelyn Foster
#129	Thanksgiving Desserts Choice of 2: Traditional apple or pumpkin, chocolate torte (gluten fre salted caramel tart or your own fav DATE: Ready on Wed, Nov 21	•
#130	Dinner/Farm Tour for 6 at the Old Ackley Farm Home-grown meal and farm tour – Colleen and her son, Charlie will prepare dinner, dessert, and be from produce harvested from their DATE: August 2013 to reap the abu	farm.



#135	Apron and Dish Towel w/lobster design	Evelyn Foster
#136	Flower Bouquet (Qty 3) DATE: June-Sept 2013	Karen Volckhausen
play	An Evening of Mexican Train vinter doldrums at Happy Town Farm ving the best domino game ever! acks & drinks. Hilarity and silliness mand DATE: Jan-Apr 2013	Karen Volckhausen latory!
#138	Electric Pencil Sharpener X-Acto Brand	Evelyn Foster
#139	Sporting Bag-Over the Shoulder Made by L.L. Bean	Evelyn Foster
#140	Vintage Laura Ashley Tea Set	Anne Ossana
#141	Have Recorders – Will Travel! I'll play at your gathering, play duets, or help you start to play	Eileen Brennan

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#142	Sustainable Harvest Gift Set: Canvas bag, T-Shirt, baseball cap, small doll, and chocolate bar	Flo Reed
#143	Four Drawer Filing Cabinet Office green, excellent condition, 40-50 years old, 28" deep x 15" wide x	Fran Stehman 52.5 " high



Family of Judy Rothrock



#145

<u>Jacket</u> – Aqua/Suede, made by Coldwater Creek, no wear or stains, size large Family of Judy Rothrock



#146

<u>Fruit Basket</u> – Longaberger brand

Fran Stehman



#147

Shaker Star, made by Fran

Fran Stehman





<u>High Tea for 10 at the Huisjen's</u> Tea sandwiches, pastries, cakes & tea served in a beautiful setting.

DATE: June or July 2013.

#150

Elegant Harvest Dinner for 6
Last year's dinner included a delicious
variety of appetizers, lobster stew, salad,
lamb shoulder, fingerling potatoes,
butter beets, stuffed Delicata squash
crème brulee with baked fruit!

Sara & Dan Huisjen

Sara Huisjen



#151

Moroccan Dinner for 6
Come to the Corea Kasbah
for a taste of Morocco!

Menu will include: selection of 3 Moroccan salads, khobz (bread), lamb, cous cous with 7 vegetables, pastries with stuffed apricots. DATE: May-Sept. 2013

#152

<u>Covered Confection Container</u> <u>& Tray - Siberian Painted</u>

Skip & Ginny Berrien

David & Karen

Wilcock

# Royal Rose Fine China Set Place setting for 6 with platters dessert bowls, etc.

Jean & Don Martin



#154	Table Hanger for women's purse	Margo Bailey
#155	Painting of Cape Cod Lighthouse Ink and watercolor	Dusty Bailey
#156	Parent and Child Carving, made from African Soapstone	Skip & Ginny Berrien
#157	Red Christmas Bowl and Mug	Margaret Thurston
#158	Native American Birch Bark  Firewood Holder  Bought by Kay Wilkins in 1970 in Sears lovingly used for over 40 years!	Diana Cate sport,
#159	Quilt Batting (New) 45" wide, 4.5 yards	Peggy Strong
#160	<u>Luna Moth T-Shirt</u> (New) By Coyote Graphics Size: Medium	Peggy Strong
#161	Antique Fish Platter	Carol Mathiesen

#162	Vintage Beaded Evening Purse	Carol Mathiesen
#163	Portable Green House Strong plastic cover Over metal frame	Martha Dickinson

#165 <u>3-Day Stay at Log Cabin</u> Mardi Thompson-George on Fourth Debsconeag Lake in Piscataguis County.

Remote and restorative, and rustic.

**Cordless Phone** 

Excellent hiking, fishing, and incredible natural beauty.
The journey to the camp ends with a checkpoint and a boat ride!
Mardi will feed you and provide water, tea, and coffee.

(See Mardi for more details!!)

DATE: Sept. 2013 (or May 2013 for hardy individuals)



#164





#166 <u>Two Serving Platters</u>
White Ceramic, made in
Portugal, elaborate detailing of
grapes and cherries

Don & Jean Martin

Martha Dickinson

#167 <u>Walker, collapsible, wheeled</u> Evelyn Foster with seat and brakes



#168	Saturday night at the Movies for 7 Evelyn Foster Enjoy a locally grown Harvest supper followed by Evelyn's current favorite movie – "The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel" DATE: Sat, October 27, 2012 (**soon!)
#169	<u>Treasures for that special</u> Evelyn Foster <u>Democrat in your life!</u>
#170	Birthday Book and 18 Cards Evelyn Foster
#171	Wall Hanging of Evelyn Foster Chinese Peace Proverb
#172	Pajama Party for 9 (Girls night out)  Come dressed for fun, great cold weather food & drinks, & warm friends  DATE: Saturday, Feb 2, 2013
#173	<u>Epson Stylus Printer</u> Model 2200 with ink  Jenn Ryan
#174	New England Boiled Dinner for 6 Don & Jean Martin Made with Jean's favorite with kielbasa instead of corned beef.  A Maine twist – kielbasa is from Rooster Brothers.  DATE: TBD
#175	Homemade Pie of your choice Carol Rosinski Peggy Strong says, "We got blueberry pie last year: Yum, yum!"
#176	<u>Chocolate Zuchini Cake</u> Carol Rosinski

#177	Collectible Ceramic Piece -	Carol Rosinski
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<u>"The Picnic"</u> signed "Wm. Ruscoe England" 1930-40's from Bruce Thulin's collection.



#178 <u>"Island in the Sun" CD</u> Carol Rosinski

by Bruce Thulin, valued at \$15

#179 <u>Collection of 3 Old Blues</u> Dusty Bailey

Jazz CD's

#180 Hike & Picnic lunch for 6 Linda Laing

to Hothole Pond (Orland)

in the Wildlands,4 miles round trip

#181 Shamanic Healing for house, Linda Laing

pet, person, land, building, etc...

Remove negative energy!

Receive blessings!

#182 <u>Lunch on deck with The Turner's for 4</u> John and Nina Turner

Buffet of tomato tart, cheeses, and bread, dessert of cookies and homemade ice cream.

Later, swimming, canoeing, or just sitting in the sun!

DATE: Summer 2013

#183 Painting Catherine Burdette

by Catherine Burdette

#184	Gift Certificate for Kisma Preserve Jacque Free admission for 2 and tour.  DATE: **Must be redeemed by October 30, 2012	ueline Kassebaum
#185	Private Swim Lesson at Jacque Downeast YMCA. Value \$25.  DATE: Must be redeemed by December	ueline Kassebaum r 30, 2012
#186	Glass Serving Bowl Large and Formal	Marilyn Mayer
#187	Large Stainless Steel Container	Marilyn Mayer
#188	Books! Approx. 30 books from the UUCE Library. Buy-it-now: \$1 each	UUCE
#189	Gift Certificate – Massage (Oty: 2) 1 hour massage therapy with Charlene Crane	Charlene Crane
#190	Gift Certificate – Massage ½ hour massage therapy with Charlene Crane	Charlene Crane
#191	Ceramic Trivet	Dartha Reid
#192	<u>Ceiling Fan</u> Classic 5 blades, 52"	Dartha Reid
#193	Picture Frame, 14" x 16"  Made of wood with glass	Dartha Reid

#194	Picture Frame, 19" x 25.75" Made of wood with glass	Dartha Reid
#195	Picture Frame, 23" x 29" Made of metal with glass	Dartha Reid
#196	Earrings - Made of sterling silver and amethyst by Coldwater Creek	Dartha Reid
#197	Original Lithograph Print Valued at \$400	ow Runningwater
Installed on I Includes to sca	canner with Software and training PC or Apple computer in your home. two 2-3 hour lessons on how to use an old photos and documents & e photos into documents or send by em	David Wilcock ail.
#199	Play Tent with Tunnel, indoor or outdoor, for small child	Evelyn Foster
#200	<u>Handmade Vase</u> \$40 value	Katie Mann

# Beads & Copper Necklace & Bracelet handmade by Katie Mann, \$58 value

Katie Mann

Joasha Dundas





#202

Food & conversation, poetry for 7: A grazing table with all the good food you'd expect from such a hostess as Joasha. Bring one of your favorite poems for sharing.

DATE: To be arranged.

#203

Photo session with your pet in your home. Jude Lamb You receive 2 different 8"x10", plus a CD of all photos. Value: \$400

#204

6 skeins handspun yarn, color:natural, 85 yds/skein, banana plant fiber from Nepal Katie Mann

#205

6 skeins handspun yarn, color:blue, 85 yds/skein, banana plant fiber from Nepal Katie Mann

#206

Ashley Stove, older model Carol Rosinski w/fire bricks, MAKE AN OFFER To view this item call Carol, 667-5225



<u>Jotul, Model: Combifire 4</u> w/screen for use with open door

Carol Rosinski



#208

<u>Authentic Black & White Ponchos,</u> light weight, worn by Colombian cowboys (Qty: 2) Peggy Strong



#209

A pair of Decorative Pillow Cases Heavy woven fabric in red, black, and White, NEW Peggy Strong



#210

**Earrings** (Dangly)

Peggy Strong

Peak1 Backpack
Blue and Black color
(Qty: 2)

**Peggy Strong** 

Lance Funderburk



#212 <u>Framed Travel Photos of Liberia</u>

by Lance Funderburk (Qty: 15)

BUY-IT-NOW: \$30 each

#213 <u>Hoover "Scrub & Wax" Floor Washer,</u> UUCE

compact, upright model

#214 <u>Oriental ink cat drawing, large framed</u> Sue Carlson



#215 <u>Beer Stein from Stuttgart, Germany</u> Peggy Strong

#216 <u>Welcome Sign</u> Peggy Strong Hand-painted on slate

#217 <u>Cat Wind Chime</u> Peggy Strong

<u>"The Unicorn in Captivity"</u> large, framed serigraph after 15<sup>th</sup> century tapestry Sue Carlson



#219

\$40 Gift Certificate to Bangkok Restaurant Marjorie Forbes

#220

\$15 Gift Certificate for Wine from Shalom Orchard

Charlotte Young

#221

Simple Will Preparation
(Not to exceed 2 hours of legal time

Michael Tadenev

- discounted rates available if more complex)

#222

Hand-painted Pysanka Russian-style Egg

#223

Earrings by Nancy Avila (Oty: 3)

Nancy Avila

Abby Tadenev

#224

Teddy Bear, soft, 13" tall

Mary Ellen Lasell



#225	Jar of Pickled Eggs An old-fashioned treat made with home-grown eggs, garlic & onions (Qty: 2)	Nick Vachon
#226	Set of 6 CDs: "A Conversation About America" read by Tom Brokaw	Dottie Vachon
#227	Best New Year's Eve Party for 16 celebrate with fun-loving compatible UUs. a bonfire to burn the old & a sky lantern to launch your intention for the new yountiful buffet with decadent desserts.  (BYOB)	Evelyn Foster year,

Georgia O'Keeffe framed poster,

"Music - Pink & Blue II

## Last, but not least, don't forget

#228

# the Turkey Raffle

Win a very rare Heritage Breed, Certified Organic, Pasture-raised, local, Thanksgiving Turkey! Old Ackley Farm of Blue Hill yearly donates one of their on-farm hatched "as close as you'll get to a wild turkey" turkey. These birds take 7 months to reach harvest weight and sell for between \$50-100.

Celebrate the Thank-full Season with a locally raised bird, filled with time, energy, love, patience (lots of patience!), the symbol of Harvest Home. These turkeys sell out by August. so if you win, you will be very LUCKY!

Tickets: \$1 each or 6 for \$5



**Evelyn Foster** 



# **UUCE Auction Proxy Bidding Form**

BIDD	ER#	

	Your Name			(Assigned by your proxy)	
	Phone	_			
ITEM #	ITEM DESCRIPTION	QTY	YOUR MAX BID	WINNING BID (Proxy completes)	
	Suggested donation for your ticket/bidding # Turkey raffle tickets (\$1 ea, 6 for \$5)			\$10.00	
		Т	OTAL OWED	\$	
Do you ha	ve a maximum amount you are willing to spend? Circ	cle one:	YES	NO	
If yes, wha	t is the maximum you are willing to spend on the au	ction?	\$		
Signature					

Proxy bidding is available for your convenience if you are unable to be present at the Auction. List items from the catalog that you wish to bid on and your maximum bid. The proxy will bid for you up to your maximum bid. You pay after the auction by cash, check or credit card.

Return this form to Don Martin by Wednesday, October 7, 2012. Don's phone is 664-0309.