



Silent Auction Basket List Ideas

Through the Grape Vine Silent Auction Basket

Create a wine basket with accessories, snacks, wines and reference books.

- Wine (different varieties- red, white, dessert etc.)
- Bottle opener
- Small wine refrigerator
- Cookbooks
- Wine reference books
- Day trip to a local winery gift card
- Cheese
- Crackers
- Ice bucket

Life's a Beach Silent Auction Basket

A beach theme is a fun and cost effective way to make a silent auction basket. Several low cost items can quickly add up to an incredible basket. It also appealing for a school silent auction where there are families with small children. Package the basket in something fun like a beach cart or cooler. Some ideas are:

- Frisbee
- Snorkel
- Beach Towels
- Boogie Board
- Cooler
- Disposable waterproof cameras
- Beach cart
- Umbrella
- Pails and Shovel
- Sand castle molds
- Sunscreen
- Bubbles

Coffee Lovers Silent Auction Basket

Coffee is a hot commodity in many households. Homes with bare kitchen counters and condiment heavy refrigerators still grace a coffee maker. A basket with unique coffees, syrups and even a Keurig tend to be a bit hit at silent auctions.

- Keurig Single Cup Home Brewing System
- Coffee flavors
- Syrups
- Starbucks gift cards

Let's Get Physical Auction Basket

An exercise basket can be appealing to a diverse group. Pick items that are the latest in fitness to make it fun and inviting.

- BOSU Ball
- Stability ball
- Resistance bands
- Free weights/dumbbells
- Yoga or exercise mat
- Exercise DVDs
- Certificate for personal training sessions
- Certificate to sporting goods store
- Trial membership to a local gym



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Family Night in Silent Auction Basket

A family night in with games, movies and popcorn is an appealing basket for any family type. Fill your basket with items such as:

- Family movies
- Board games
- Movie candy
- Popcorn
- Pizza passes

Spice of Life

- Compile a basket of unique spices, spice racks and cookbooks. Create a basket with unique hard to find spices and cookbooks.

Spa -tacular Silent Auction Gift Basket

A spa auction basket could work well in an event that hosts moms and women. Start with a certificate to a local popular spa and embellish with a few items to dress it up.

- Spa robe
- Nail polish
- Magazines
- Cute flip flops
- Lotion
- Cute spa bag/purse
- Spa gift certificate
- Pedicure kit

Dessert Lover's Basket

Smaller denomination restaurant and cafe gift certificates displayed on a cute dessert plate.

Do-It-Yourself Spa Basket

- Bath products
- CD of relaxing music
- Candles

Try Your Luck Lottery Basket

- Basket of lottery scratch tickets

Jewelry Silent Auction Basket

Save high ticket jewelry for a live auction but unique costume jewelry or mommy and me jewelry sets are excellent for most silent auctions.

- Bracelets
- Earrings
- Jewelry Cleaner
- Jewelry box
- Charms
- Necklaces
- Travel cases



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Head to Toe Makeover

- Eyebrow shaping
- Massage
- Pilates lessons
- Acupuncture
- Pedicure

Day to Be Pampered

- Manicure
- Massage
- Home cooked dinner delivered to your door
- Haircut

Golf Lovers Silent Auction Basket

Create a basket with passes to local golf courses, golf items and accessories. Basket items could include:

- Golf tees
- Golf Balls
- Soft Cooler
- Oversized umbrella
- Club covers
- Autographed items
- Golf passes to local courses
- Tournament tickets
- Sunglasses
- Golf glove
- Visor or Hat

Baseball Lover's Basket

- Signed baseball
- Bat
- Tickets to a professional baseball game
- Jersey

Parents Night Out

Take common restaurant gift certificates and combine them into a theme that would make any parent's night out a dream.

Garden Gift Basket

Gift basket for green thumbs Garden gift baskets work well for spring time auctions.

- Seeds
- Plants
- Garden tools
- Gift card to garden center
- Gardening books
- Garden caddy
- Gardening gloves

Teacher Story Time

- Teacher's time
- Bookstore gift card
- Bakery treats



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Regional Fun Silent Auction Basket

Local Area Fun Basket

Make a basket of regional books, gift cards, and fun facts to allow the buyer to explore the local area.

- Gift cards to local venues/restaurants
- Park pass
- Museum passes
- Hiking book
- Family regional book
- Disposable camera
- Photo book

Learn your Lessons

Ever wanted to take piano lessons or become better at tennis? Many establishments will offer gift certificates for a free lesson at their place of business. This is one where you will need to know your audience. An auction basket for music lessons may go over very well at a school while a series of tennis lessons may work better at a country club. Combine the gift certificate with a small basket or item to make it stand out. For example include a small basket of balls and accessories with a tennis lesson auction item.

- Music lessons
- Tennis lessons
- All-star sports lesson
- Golf lessons with a golf pro
- Craft lessons
- Cooking lessons

Family Night at the Movies

- Movie tickets
- Giant candy bars
- Bottles of water
- Bag of un-popped popcorn

Coffee or Tea Lover's Basket

- Bag or two of coffee beans
- Travel mug
- Biscotti
- Tea pot
- Tea cup
- Loose leaf tea infuser
- Loose leaf tea, book

I'm a Chocoholic

Fill this basket with chocolate galore! This is a fantastic option for events near Valentine's Day or Christmas where the basket can double as a gift.

- Fine chocolates
- Cookbooks
- Coffee
- Chocolate kits
- International chocolate varieties
- Gift cards to local bakeries



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Sew Crafty

Put together gift certificates from craft stores such as Michael's, Hobby Lobby or Joanne's coupled with a themed craft item to create a craft lover's dream.

- Sewing Machine
- Patterns
- Craft How-To books
- Material, beads or other craft related items that go with your theme

Knitting Basket

- Yarn
- Knitting needles
- Knitting book
- Knitting lessons
- Box of tea

Scrapbook Silent Auction Basket

A school, child care center or other family centered organization can have success with a scrapbook gift basket. Craft stores like Michael's, Hobby Lobby and even Walmart offer an array of unique designer scrapbook papers and accessories. A few ideas include:

- Keepsake scrapbook
- Scrap paper
- Paper punches
- Stickers
- Carrying bag/organizer
- Photo organizer

Honey-Do Package:

- Hammer
- Work gloves
- Hardware store gift card
- Massage

End-to-End Dog Lover's Basket

- Vet checkup
- Grooming
- Dog biscuits
- Safe dog toy (ask at the store)
- Dog waste bags

Gardener's Delight Basket

- Landscape designer consultation
- Gift certificate to local nursery
- Load of compost delivered
- Bag of bulbs
- Watering can
- Seeds
- Gardening gloves
- Wheelbarrow
- Kneeling pad



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Car Wash/Care Basket

- Big bucket
- Gift card for oil change
- Car wash mitt with soap
- Tire brush
- Rags for drying your car

Birthday Party Basket

- Gift card for family fun place (like a local pool, climbing facility or video game arcade)
- Bakery gift certificate for purchasing the cake
- Streamers
- Bag of balloons
- Happy Birthday sign

Picnic In The Park

- Picnic basket
- Gift certificate for local cheese store or bakery
- Bottle of wine
- Table cloth and napkins

Beach Book Basket

- Romance or mystery novels
- Sun glasses
- Sun screen
- Margarita glass

BFF Shopping Extravaganza

- Matching shopping bags
- Smaller denomination gift cards to local stores or stores at the mall
- Manicure
- Coffee shop gift card

Baker's Delight Basket

- Cookbook
- Apron
- Cookie cutters
- Cookie decorations
- Measuring cups, spoons and rolling pin

Mommy and Me Date Basket

- Mommy and me haircuts
- Toy store gift certificate
- Restaurant gift certificate (for lunch)