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**Brides Get Help for Their First Turkey**

*Bridal Registries Add a Very Useful Gift: Grill Friends™ Turkey 101 Cooking Kit*

June brides will be opening a very useful gift this year! The *Grill Friends Turkey 101 Cooking Kit* is the must-have gift for brides of all ages. The kit comes with everything you need but the Turkey.

Whether you will be making your first or your fiftieth turkey this Thanksgiving everyone need tips and equipment that will make the job simple and stress-free. “Even if you make the turkey every year, you need a refresher before Turkey Day,” says chef and author Elizabeth Karmel. “I supervised the Butterball Turkey Talk-Line early in my career and we found that since most people only cook a turkey once a year, they need help remembering how to cook it,” continued the creator of the Turkey 101 Cooking Kit.

Cooking it once a year is part of the reason that America suffers from Turkey Trauma, the other part is that the bird is the centerpiece of the day and it *must* be perfect! The *Grill Friends Turkey 101 Cooking Kit* has everything that you need to make turkey cooking quick and easy. The kit includes 3 top Grill Friends products, the award-winning brush that *Good Housekeeping* dubbed as the ultimate turkey baster, an instant-read meat thermometer with an extra-large dial and a glow-in the dark face, the silicone Turkey Lifter™ that makes lifting the turkey from the roasting pan a breeze, and a pair of disposable food-service gloves. But that’s not all, it also comes with an extensive recipe book that details everything you need to know about buying, thawing and cooking turkeys as well as recipes for Karmel’s favorite family side dishes and desserts.

“Once you use my Turkey 101 Cooking Kit, you’ll want to make turkey all the time—especially once you make a brined and grilled turkey, said Elizabeth. “It’s actually one of the very best things to grill-up for a crowd—for the Superbowl or a summertime cook-out.” But all three tools are also great for other large pieces of meat such as pork shoulder, leg of lamb and prime rib. You can use the brush/baster, instant-read thermometer and lifter for all those items all year long.

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*Grill Friends: Tools That Make Home Cooks, Better Cooks; Indoors and Out!*

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So often wedding celebrations include a kitchen shower and this is one gift that every bride should receive this summer. Not only does the Grill Friends Turkey 101 Cooking Kit streamline the cooking process, but it gives cooks *peace-of-mind* when preparing the most important meal of the year.

The Grill Friends™ Turkey 101 Cooking Kit is designed for everyone who cooks a turkey for Thanksgiving and all-year 'round. It includes a complete cookbook and turkey guide and the award-winning Super Silicone Angled BBQ Brush, the Glow-in-the-Dark Instant-Read Meat Thermometer with *bonus* Temperature Guideline Magnet, the Super Silicone Turkey Lifter™, and a pair of food service gloves. All items are designed to be used in the kitchen and on the grill and are also available open-stock.

The Grill Friends™ Turkey 101 Cooking Kit is available nationwide at kitchen, gourmet and housewares stores and in mail-order catalogs, and online at [www.BBQPROSHOP.com](http://www.BBQPROSHOP.com), [www.cooking.com](http://www.cooking.com) and [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com). Suggested retail for the kits is \$25.00

The Grill Friends™ Turkey 101 Cooking Kit is distributed by Harold Import Co. along with the rest of the Grill Friends line of kitchen and outdoor cooking tools including the award-winning Super Silicone Angled BBQ Brush, the *original* Turkey Brining Bag, the first-ever Silicone BBQ Mop, the GrillMat™; the Grill Friends™ Turkey Sitter and Grill Friends™ Chicken Sitter, black porcelain vertical roasters for making “Beer-Can” Style turkey and chicken without the can, the Everyday Brining Bag, the Steakhouse Burger Press, the Super Silicone Blending Fork, the Everyday Basting Brush, the Grill Friends™ Super Silicone™ Off-Set Spatula, Double Kabob Skewers, 3-Finger Gloves, Cedar Smoking Papers, the BBQ to Go Kit (packed with everything you need for serious outdoor cooking), the open-stock BBQ to Go Case, Brass Cleaning Brush with Replacement Brush Head, Super Silicone Stop and Go Tongs, Super Silicone Multi-Use Tongs, the collection of Super Silicone Off-Set Spatulas, and Glow-in-the-Dark Instant-Read Meat Thermometer with *bonus* Temperature Guideline Magnet, the SuperGrater™, and the line of Perfect-Fit Aprons. Harold Import Co.(H.I.C.) also distributes Karmel's cookbook, *Taming the Flame: Secrets for Hot-and-Quick Grilling and Low-and-Slow*

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*BBQ*, published by John Wiley & Sons, and released in May 2005. In April 2008, Karmel's latest cookbook, *Pizza on the Grill* will be released and available from both Harold Import Company and Taunton.

Look for six additional Grill Friends products this spring; The Grill Friends™ Bamboo Pizza Peel with Folding Handle and matching Serrated Pizza Wheel with Bamboo Handle; the *Warning Girls Grilling™* Collection (baseball hat, apron and Coffee and BBQ Basting Mug); the Stainless Steel Super Silicone BBQ Mop, Replaceable Brass Bristle Brush Heads, and the Kitchen Friends™ Round and Fish Spatulas. For more information, contact Elizabeth Karmel at 312-951-8394 or [Elizabeth@GirlsattheGrill.com](mailto:Elizabeth@GirlsattheGrill.com) and Kirsten Newman Teissier at 610-459-5575 or [Kirsten@girlsatthegrill.com](mailto:Kirsten@girlsatthegrill.com).

*Grill Friends and Kitchen Friends are a line of kitchen and grilling tools that solve problems that real cooks have in the kitchen, around the grill and at the table. [www.grillfriends.com](http://www.grillfriends.com).*

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