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## INTRODUCTION

#### Welcome to Balticshop!

As the winter snows melt into spring, we thought about everything that makes the summer months great. Looking forward to being in the great outdoors, new categories in our **Summer 2007** catalogue include Gardening, and of course – Summer Solstice!

Building on tradition, offering folk music and ethnographic jewelry along with new designs and musical compositions, our catalogue imagery includes archival photos from years past. Scenes include the cities of Tallin and Liepāja, as well as country outings and summer swims. Just as these moments in time become heirlooms for future generations, so we have also thought about the gifts we offer which can be given on any occasion. And, summer also means celebrating graduations, confirmations, and weddings! To help you shop for that special gift, we've created categories which may help for certain occasions, including confirmations, as well as gifts "for her" and "for him" (though we're sure some gifts will be enjoyed alike by both!)

Based on your selections and favorites during the holiday season, we have also added pages to Jewelry, CDs, and our Children's section. Herbal organic teas were also quite popular, so we've expanded our organic section to include a variety of items – from essential oils from Lithuania, to a collection of natural soaps by Latvia's premier soap manufacturer. If you are ordering for the first time from us, be sure to check us out online at **www.balticshop.com**. There, you can enter the SKU number for each item that's located right before the price. Shipping charges are calculated with every item you add. You may also call us toll-free in the US at **1-800-506-2313** or write us at **info@balticshop.com** 

> Thanks to all of our regular customers. We look forward to getting to know the new ones, too! Aitäh! Paldies! Ačiū!

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#### **SUMMER 2007**

### JEWELRY

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1	Moon Symbol Pendant with 3 charms, length 1-1/2", width 3/4", LV, #4790, <b>\$34</b>
2	<b>Double-Charm Pendant with Mara's symbol</b> , length 1-7/8", width 3/8", LV, #4791, <b>\$42</b>
3	Livonian Water-Bird (for good luck) Pendant with charm, length 1", width 1", LV, #4792, <b>\$30</b>
4	Namejs Earrings, length 2-1/8", width 5/8", LV, #4804, \$66
5	Namejs Ring Pendant, diameter 3/4", LV, #4795, \$32
6	Namejs Braid Pendant, length 1-1/2", width 1/4", LV, #4796, \$64
7	<b>Pre-Christian Cross,</b> archeological reproduction, length 5/8", width 5/8", LV, #4797, <b>\$39</b>
8	Heaven Symbol Earrings, length 1-1/2", width 5/8", LV, #4817, \$42
9	Heaven Symbol Pendant, length 1-1/2", width 5/8", LV, #4798, \$34
10	Namejs Loop Earrings, length 2-1/4", width 1/2", LV, #4811, \$68
11	Fern Blossom Earrings, length 1", width 3/8", LV, #3549, \$26
12	Fern Blossom Pendant, length 7/8", width 1/4", LV, #4799, \$21
13	Seven-Charm Pendant, length 2", width 1", LV, #4800, \$32
	jewelry made with sterling silver,

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Pendants do not include chains.

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#### Silver Jewelry

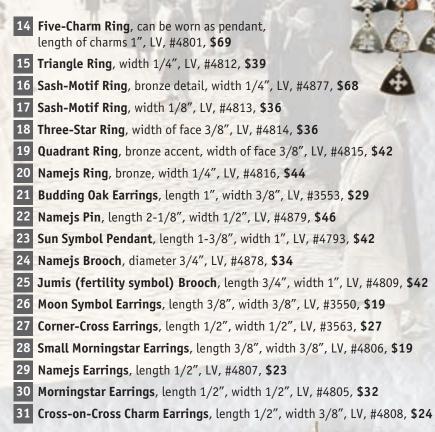
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According to archeological excavations, the women and men of the ancient Baltic and Finno-Ugric tribes living along the Baltic Seacoast adorned themselves considerably with jewelry. The earliest examples were made of amber, seashells, bone and copper, with the addition of silver and gold in later centuries. We continue the tradition today, displaying our Baltic roots by wearing true reproductions, as well as modern pieces inspired by ethnic motifs.

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## AMBER JEWELRY

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Though it is found elsewhere in the world as well, amber from the deep and cold Baltic Sea is unmatched in both quality and color grade. The ancient Romans greatly valued amber, and established a trade route, known as the "Amber Road", stretching as far north as modern-day Estonia and Karelia. We present our new selection of jewelry in the three main colors of amber, the "Pearl of the Baltic": translucent "honey amber", opaque "milk amber", and the even rarer "green amber".

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 Rhombus Bracelet, length 6 7/8", LT, #11710, \$59
 Spherical Setting Bracelet, length 7 7/8", LT, #11707, \$78
 Petal-shape Amber Bracelet, length 7 7/8", LT, #11706, \$75
 Bracelet with Opaque Amber, length 7 1/2", LT, #11709, \$75
 Teardrop Bracelet, length 7 3/4", LT, #11711, \$65
 Stacked Green Pendant, length 1 1/4", LT, #11729, \$17 Stacked Opaque Pendant, length 1 1/4", LT, #11733, \$18
 Four - Square Amber Earrings, length 3/8", LT, #11724, \$15
 Opaque Classic Oval Earrings, length 1/2", LT, #11712, \$16
 Silver Tube Necklace, length 14 3/4", LT, #11712, \$80
 Alternating Opacity Necklace, length 17 3/8", LT, #11708, \$45
 Classic Amber Earrings, length 7/8", LT, #11721, \$54
 Nested Sphere Earrings, length 1/4", LT, 11723, \$9
 Organic Amber Bracelet, length 7 1/2", LT, #11704, \$48

Modern Oval Pendant, 1" x 3/4", LT, #11732, \$29
Nested Loop Pendant, length 1", LT, #11731, \$15
Opaque Round Bead Necklace, length 20", LT, #11699, \$124
Opaque Round Bead Bracelet, length 6 5/8", LT, #11700, \$49
Alternating Bead Bracelet, length 3 1/2", LT, #11705, \$23
Looped Wire Drop Earrings, length 1 5/8", LT, #11725, \$35
Classical Oval Earrings with Scrolled Settings, 3/4" x 5/8", LT, #11719, \$60
Antique Setting Pendant, length 1 1/4", LT, #11730, \$25
Amber Stone Bracelet with Red Accent, length 7 5/8", #11736, \$30
Amber Inlay Pillbox, stainless steel frame, 2-1/8"x1-3/4", #11715, \$45
Amber Inlay Letter Opener, stainless steel, 5-3/8", #11718, \$35

AMBER JEWELRY

## **CONFORMATION AND FAITH**

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1 Amber Rosary with a silver cross, length 11", LT, #11703, \$119

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- 2 Amber Rosary with amber cross, length 13-7/8", LT, #11701, \$59
- 3 Amber Rosary with amber cross, length 13", LT, #11702, \$60
- 4 Amber Cross Pendant, length 1-3/4", width 1", LT, #11726, \$25
- 5 Cross Pendant with amber detail, length 1-3/4", width 1", LT, #11734, **\$18**
- 6 Cross Pendant, length 1-3/8", width 5/8", LV, #4882, \$32
- 7 Cross with Lord's Prayer inscribed in Latvian, bronze, length 1-3/8", width 1-1/8", LV, #4883, \$42
- 8 Cross with Lord's Prayer inscribed in Latvian, silver, length 1-3/8", width 1-1/8", LV, #4884, **\$58**
- 9 Round Pendant with Lord's Prayer inscribed in Latvian, silver, diameter 1-1/8", LV, #4885, **\$60**
- 10 Latvijas luterāņu baznīcas/The Lutheran Churches of Latvia, Vol. I, in Latvian and English, hardcover, 472 pages, 12"x10", #4212, \$85 Vol. II, #4568, \$89

As many celebrate their confirmations in early summer months, we have chosen books and rosaries for those of Christian Faith. Books include the translated texts of Mother Theresa and the Pope, as well as writings by Father Stanislovas. For those interested in history and architecture, the second volume of "Latviešu Luterāņu Baznīcas", is now available: a comprehensive resource on Lutheran churches in Latvia which features beautiful color photographs of both exterior facades and interior wood carvings.

- 11 Poklabiai Tevo Stanislovo celeje V.Morkuniene, in Lithuanian, 10 x 7", 111p., hardcover, #11497, **\$23**
- 12 Benediktas XVI D.Mintys, in Lithuanian, 7 x 4", 119p., paperback, #11766, **\$10**
- 13 J.Gauthier trokštu! Nuo mažosios Tereseles iki Motinos Tereses, in Lithuanian, 8 x 5", 13p., paperback, #11770, **\$12**
- 14 Vilnius šventoves seuosiuose atvirkuose/ Sanctuaries of Vilnius in Old Postcards, 224 pages, 8"x6", #11758, \$35

The Narunovskis Collection is among the finest collections of Latvian jewelry and belongs to the most popular items at BalticShop. Master jeweler Raimonds Narunovskis meticulously handcrafts each and every item, reflecting timeless style and elegance in his work.

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#### **Narunovskis Collection**

- 1 Namejs Ring, width 1/3", LV, #1881, **\$53** Namejs Ring in 14K yellow gold, #1884, size 4-6.5, **\$200**, size 7-10.5, **\$250**, size 11-13, **\$310**
- 2 Namejs Bracelet, LV, #4391, \$170
- 3 Saule (Sun) Amber Pendant, d. 3/4", LV, #4618, \$30
- 4 Saule Amber Earrings, d. 3/4", LV, #3252, \$55
- 5 Ligava Bracelet, LV, #1867, \$150
- 6 Ligava Ring (Latvian engagement ring), width 3/8", LV, #1875, \$60, also in 14K yellow gold, #753, \$320

The Artist, Margaret (Micki) K. Vinkels, works out of her studio in Branford, CT. A Baltic-American, she gives her glass creations a uniqueness by using traditional motifs in her work. *Margrieta's Glass* sparkles with radiance, exhibiting both the quality of fine glass and individually hand-etched designs. Both suncatchers and jewelry boxes integrate a variety of depth of hues joined with a silver-colored metal solder. Each piece exemplifies the artist's mastery of the material, resulting in luminous, timeless pieces.

#### Margrieta's Glass Collection

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- 7 Orange Morningstar Suncatcher, dimensions 8 x 8", #4890, \$55
- 8 Maroon Morningstar Suncatcher, dimensions 5-7/8 x 5-7/8", #4889, \$55
- **9 Green Glass Treasure Box**, dimensions 2 × 2 × 1-1/2", #4892, **\$84** This unique box is made with hand-etched glass and a mirrored interior base, with staccato glass sides, soldered with a beaded pattern.

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10 Maroon Glass Treasure Box, dimensions 2 x 2 x 1-1/2", #4891, \$84 Latvian design sandblasted in red flashed glass with diamond patterned clear sides, mirror bottom, chained lid, and a red dangle.

### FOR HIM



Riga's Coat of Arms Tie-clip, length 2-3/8", width 1/4", LV, #3660, \$72 Star-Pattern Tie-clip, length 2-3/8", width 1/4", LV, #3656, \$72 Sash-Motif Tie-clip, length 2-3/8", width 1/4", LV, #3618, \$72 4 Sun-Pillar Tie-clip, length 2-3/8", width 1/4", LV, #3625, \$70 Namejs Neck-tie Holder, length 2-1/2", LV, #4880, \$67 Silver Bookmark w/Riga's rooster, 2-1/2" × 1", LV, #4871, \$42 Makšķerēšanas enciklopēdija, in Latvian, 11" x 9", 288 p., hardcover, #4853, \$49 Encyclopedia on fish and fishing. Žūkles enciklopedija, in Lithuanian, 11" x 9", 288 p., hardcover, #11777, \$49

Fish in the Sea wall decoration, measurements: 14" x 11", LT, #11813, \$24 For the fishing enthusiast in your life - a linen and wood wall hanging featuring a ceramic fish accented with seashells and seaweed.



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10 Wrought Iron Grill knife, handmade w/steel and natural wood handle, length 19-1/2", EST, #30523, \$40

- 11 Wrought Iron Grill fork, handmade w/steel and natural wood handle, length 19-1/2", EST, #30524, \$40
- 12 Juniper jewelry box with hinged lid, length 2", width 1-1/2", EST, #30515, \$17
- 13 Juniper jewelry box with lid, length 2", width 1-1/2", EST, #30516, \$16
- 14 Master Set Bottle Opener and Corkscrew, length 5", EST, #30343, \$28
- 15 Leather Photo Album, 100 photos, length 6-1/2", width 4-3/4", LV, #4787, \$30
- 16 Leather Photo Album, 200 photos, length 9-7/8", width 7", LV, #4830, \$63
- 17 Leather Photo Album Amber Tree, 100 photos, length 6-1/2", width 4-3/4", LV, #4789, \$35
- 18 J.Jaunsudrabiņš Ar makšķeri, V.Toma Sēļu zemes sestdiena, in Latvian, 2 books, hardcover, LV, #4767, \$19
  - 19 Wrought-iron candleholder, 10-1/2"x11-1/2", LV, #4157, \$24 20 Visu laiku labākās latviešu rokbalādes, 15 songs, LV, #535, \$15

Ethnically inspired tie-clips? An encyclopedia on fish? A wrought iron grill fork and knife? Something unique can be found "for him", and, why not?



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Jewelry inspired by the tragic love story of Turaidas Roze (Rose of Turaida). In the 16th century, a young woman, called Roze because of her great beauty, nightly met her betrothed, Viktor, in the great sandstone cave below the fortress of Turaida. One evening, a soldier, bewitched by Roze's beauty, sabotaged the lovers' meeting and tried to have his way with Roze. The virtuous Roze tied a kerchief, given to her by Viktor and inscribed

with "Love is stronger than Death", around her neck and told the soldier that the kerchief had magic that would protect her from the blade of any sword. Roze urged the soldier to test the magic, and thus the unwitting soldier slew her down. To this day, couples honor Roze's grave with roses and their own vows of love.

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- 21 Mini Ladybug pin, length 3/4", width 3/4", LT, #11819, \$4
- 22 Vines and Berries ceramic vessel with lid, diameter 2-1/8", height 1", LT, #11821, \$12
- 23 Floral ceramic vessel with lid, diameter 2", height 1-3/8", LT, #11822, \$14

24 Rose pendant, width 5/8", LV, #4888, \$30

25 Rose earrings, width 3/8", LV, #3901, \$22

- 26 Rose bracelet, width 3/8", LV, #4886, \$95
- 27 Three-rose ring, width 3/8", LV, #4887, \$47
- 28 Saaremaa limestone tea-light holder, width 3-1/2", height 1-1/2", EST, #30500, \$14

Round tea-light holder carved from the native limestone (dolomite) of Saaremaa, Estonia's largest island in the Baltic Sea. Natural color veining varies from yellowish to bluish.

- 29 Saaremaa limestone tea-light holder, width 3", height 2", EST, #30502, \$15
- **30** Juniper kitchen utensil set (6 pieces), box 3 x 3-1/2 x 4", utensils 9-1/2", butter knife 7", EST, #30592, **\$24**

This handy six-piece all-juniper utensil set consists of: A slatted cooking utensil holder; A shallow spoon and fork combo, with inlayed detailing on the handle (perfect for serving a fresh salad); A lightly curved spatula and flat fork combo, with inlayed detailing on the handle; And a gracefully curved butter-knife, also with inlayed detailing on the comfortably rounded handle.

This page includes small treasure boxes (perfect for those rose-shaped earrings) "for her", along with beautifully carved candleholders that anyone can enjoy. "For both" – the couple starting their home together: how about some naturally anti-bacterial juniper spatulas and spoons?



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# **JUST FOR KIDS**



in The Hundred Acre Woods.

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#### **Children's toys**

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Give the child in your life a break from electronic bells and whistles! You'll be happy to know that like generations before, today's children, if given the opportunity, will delight in the clever way a wooden push-toy duck slaps his feet, think of stories to create with finger-puppets, and snuggle with handmade stuffed animals. These are the kinds of toys you will want to save for your children's children.

Glass Suncatcher – Doggy, EST 1 size 4" x 2-3/4", #30530, \$13 2 size 4" x 3-1/4", #30531, \$13 **3** Suncatcher – Dalmatian, size 4" x 2-1/2", #30529, **\$13** 4 Sa Oled Mulle Nii Kallis, in Estonian, 28 pages, 8 3/4" x 10 3/4", #30604, \$12 5 Vai Tu zini cik loti es Tevi milu, in Latvian, hardcover, 34 pages, 6 1/2" x 7 1/2", #4464, **\$9** 6 Ehita vormel – Make your own Formula 1 car, in Estonian, paperback, 16 pages, 10 1/2" x 9 1/2", #30542, **\$10** 7 Sacīkšu automobilis (Sērija "Veido pats"), in Latvian, paperback, 16 pages, 13" x 10", #4746, **\$11** 8 Apģērb fejas, princeses un balerīnas, in Latvian, 48 pages, 9" x 8 1/2", #4748, \$12 rokzvaigznes jisko divas un 9 Apģērb rokzvaigznes, disko dīvas un popa karalienes, in Latvian, paperback, 48 pages, 9" x 8 1/2", #4749, **\$12** 10 Rokkstaarid diskodiivad ja pop-printsessid, in Estonian, 48 pages, 9" x 8 1/2", #30603, **\$12** 8 **11** Wall decoration Lady bug, 12 1/2" × 11 1/4", LT, #11811, **\$16** fejas, princeses **12** Wall decoration Angel, 14 1/2" x 12 1/4", LT, #11812, **\$21** un balerinas! 13 Small wooden sailboat, length 4", #30504, \$6 14 A. A. Milne, Pukuotuko Pasaulis, in Lithuanian, 307 pages, 11 8" x 5 3/4", #11748, **\$17** 15 Mikė Pūkuotukas Brangus Prisiminimai, in Lithuanian, 94 pages, 11" x 8", #11773, \$22 16 Puhhi eriline oskus, in Estonian, paperback, 12 pages, 11" x 8 1/2", #30545, \$9 17 Minu esimene entsuklopeedia MAA, in Estonian, 191 pages, #30602, \$26 18 Mana visupirmā enciklopēdija, in Latvian, 191 pages, #4858, \$26 19 Vinnijs Pūks un viņa draugi, in Latvian, hardcover, 296 pages, 8" x 5 7/8", #4763, **\$12** An international classic, A. A. Milne's philosophical Pooh bear was, and still is, extremely popular in the Baltics - the series was one of the few Western works of literature allowed under Soviet rule. Don't be surprised to hear adults freely quoting Pooh, especially the favorite: "You never can tell with bees..." Help your

kids expand their vocabulary in Estonian, Latvian, or Lithuanian with their familiar friends in these colorful pages of educational encyclopedias and the "expotitions"



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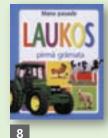
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Books with windows to open in latvian, 11 pages, 4"x4"

- 1 Mazais zaķītis, #4559, \$7 2 Mazais sunītis, #4560, \$7
- 3 Mazais jēriņš, #4561, \$7 4 Mazā zivtiņa, #4558, \$7
- 5 Čaklais traktors, #4742, \$11
- 9 Hand-knit cat and mouse fingerpuppets(2), 3-1/2" x 1", LV, #4159, **\$12**
- 6 Tas esmu es, 30 pages, 6"x5", #4585, \$9
- 7 Laukos, 34 pages, 6"x 5", #4739, **\$9** 8 Krāsas, #4740, **\$9**
- 9 Skaitli, sticker book, 12 pages, 12" x 9", #4751, \$8
- 10 Vārdi, sticker book, 12 pages, 12" x 9", #4750, **\$8**
- 11 Trusenītei nāk miegs, 12 pages, 6"x5", #4734, \$7
- **12 Lācēns un vēstules**, 12 pages, 6"x5", #4735, **\$7**
- **13** Darba automobili, 16 pages, 9"x8", #4752, **\$8**
- 14 Alberta meklē mīlestību, hardcover, 28 pages, #4743, **\$12 Cardboard books in Latvian:**
- 15 Mazais cālēns, #4730, \$7 16 Mazais telēns, #4733, \$7
- 17 Mazais siventiņš, #4732, \$7 18 Mazais jēriņš, #4731, \$7
- **19** Pelēns Peksis negrib ēst, 10-1/2" x 9-1/2", #4786, **\$12**
- **20** Pelēns Peksis negrib gulēt, 10-1/2" × 9-1/2", #4785, **\$12**
- 21 Laukos, coloring book, 66 pages, 11"x9", #4760, \$8
- **22** Blue Bunny pull-toy, wood, 5"x4", EE, #4154, **\$21**
- **23** Rolling wooden bug, wood, 7"x7", EE, #4153, **\$22**
- 24 Rolling wooden duck, wood, 4"x4", EE, #4152, \$22









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Mazā raganiņa, audio book CD, #3986, \$13

4 Pasaka par Diegabiksi, fairy tale, #4770, \$15

9 Circeņa kāzās, Trīs no Pārdaugavas, #4859, \$15

5 Makss un Morics, musical story, #4771, \$15

2 Sipolina piedzivojumi 1, audio book CD, #3798, \$13

Sipolina piedzivojumi 2, audio book CD, #4222, \$13

7 Piena ceļš, R. Pauls & Dzeguzīte, songs for kids, #501, \$15

15 Faraona cigāri, hardcover, 62 pages, 12" x 9", #4759, \$22
16 Zilais lotoss, hardcover, 62 pages, 12" x 9", #4758, \$22

Labvakar, mazais draudzin! Bed-time stories, #4226, \$18

Nosapņotas murrādziesmiņas, Vitauts Ļūdēns, lyrics, #4854, \$14
 Svētku grāmata ģimenei, hardcover, 80 pages, 10" x 8", #3840, \$18
 Sudoku un citas prāta spēles, math and logic games, #4747, \$7
 Čārlijs un šokolādes fabrika, hardcover, 180 pages, 8"x6", #4762, \$9
 Pasaules valstu karogi, coloring book, 24 pages, 9"x8", #4755, \$10

6 Brālītis un Karlsons, by Astrid Lindgren (in Latvian), #4772, \$21

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If you grew up in a Latvian emigrant family in the 70s or 80s, chances are there was a "Trīs no Pārdaugavas" LP in your family's music collection. The musical trio from the East Coast enchanted audiences with satirical songs about the Latvian community in America and arranged new renditions of popular songs. In 1973, "Trīs no Pārdaugavas" released one of the first Latvian emigrant LPs for children, Circeņa Kāzās. A must-have for music fans, even those without kids!





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GARDEN

Let's guess – if you don't have a birch tree in your front yard, you most likely wish you could. The love of the Northern landscape is ingrained in us, descendants from a land with such natural beauty. Now that spring has finally come, nature is awakening, and it's time to get down and dirty in the garden, or at least spruce-up the yard in time for BBQ season!

Handmade Ceramic Flowerpot, H: 4 1/2", D: 5 1/2", LT, \$14.00

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   Orange, #11804
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   Cream colour, #11802
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   Green, #11803
- 4 Ceramic wind chimes, height 22", diameter 5", LT, #11829, **\$15**
- 5 Värvid aias, Christopher Lloyd, in Estonian, 192 pages, 8" x 10 3/4", EST, #30601, \$25
- 6 Korja loodusest söödavaid taimi, Beate Slipher, in Estonian, 136 pages, 7 7/8" x 10 1/4", EST, #30612, **\$27**
- 7 Augi telpās, in Latvian, 192 pages, 10" x 8", #4764, \$27
- 8 Vasaras puķes, dārzkopja enciklopēdija, in Latvian, 176 pages, 10" x 8" #4861, **\$27**
- **9** Sodo Augalai, Rosa Wolf, in Lithuanian, 243 pages, 10 1/2" x 8 1/4", LT, #11765, **\$46**
- **10 Hand made ceramic flowerpot (blue)**, H: 6", D: 6 1/2", LT, #11806, **\$18**
- **11** Hand made ceramic flowerpot (brown), H: 5 1/2", D: 7", LT, #11805, **\$18**
- **12** Handmade hanging basket, 11" x 6", LT, #11808, **\$20**
- **13** Turned-wood Mushroom, 6" x 2 1/2", LV, #4155, **\$18**
- 14 Sēnes, Rokasgrāmata dabā, 296 pages, 7 1/2" x 3 7/8", LV, #4761, **\$27**
- 15 Burnished zinc flowerpot, H: 6", D: 7", LV, #4160, **\$11** Lightweight and sturdy.

Ever wonder what's the name for gooseberries in Estonian, or what do those flowers look like that Grandma said she grew in her garden before the war... Look them up in these handy reference books on gardening, worth owning for their high-quality pictures and detailed botanical drawings alone.

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Since prehistoric times Northern Europeans have known the healthful theraputic benefits of the sauna. We now offer an assortment of products that will allow you to recreate the experience in your own home. For the home sauna: a traditional head-rest, but now with a moisture-wicking linen support; a woolen mitt for hot handles; and of course, wooden buckets and ladles. Don't have a sauna? Natural honey skin scrubs and essential oils will leave your skin spa-perfect in your own bath. Instead of tropical eucalyptus, freshen your restroom with a spray of baltic brich, aspen or linden (if not inclined to use them for a traditional "beating"!)

1 Linden Sauna Whisk, length 20", LV, #4141, \$10

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- 2 Aspen Sauna Whisk, length 20", LV, #4140, \$10
- 3 Oak Sauna Whisk, length 20", LV, #4161, **\$10**
- 4 Meadowsweet sachet for sauna or bath, 6" × 6", LV, #4145, \$9
- 5 Sauna honey (skin moisturizer and exfoliant), volume 11.5 oz (330 gr), LV, #4148, \$16
  6 Natural soap set (4 bars): honey-milk, peppermint,
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- 7 Woolen sauna mitt, 10-1/2" x 5", LV, #4163, **\$13**
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- **10 Lielā pirts grāmata**, 251 pages, in Latvian, 9" x 6", LV, #4860, **\$22**
- **11** Organic essentials for the sauna (set), LT, #11789, **\$26**
- 12 Birch extract mixture for the sauna with lavender and lemon balm, 150 ml, LT, #11779, \$11
- 13 Birch and eucalyptus extract mixture for the sauna, 150 ml, LT, #11780, \$11
- **14** Traditional wooden sauna bucket (large), 11 1/2" x 10 1/2", EST, #4150, **\$50**
- **15 Wooden sauna ladle**, 14" x 4", LV, #4147, **\$19**

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- **16 Wooden sauna seat cover**, 16"x12", EST, #4146, **\$24**
- 17 Organic essential oil of Lavender, 10 ml, LT, #11782, \$8
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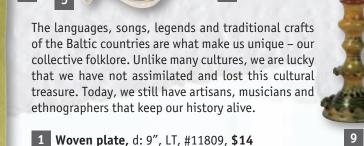
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- 2 Green linen tablecloth, 100% linen, 71" x 55", LT, #11828, \$39
- **3** Saaremaa limestone candlestick, h: 4-1/2", EST, #30501, **\$15**
- **4** Heaven pendant, st. silver, length 1-1/2", width 1", LV, #4802, **\$24**

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- 5 Livonian Water-Bird, st. silver, width 1-1/2", LV, #4248, \$89
- 6 Livonian Water-Bird, bronze, width 1-1/2", LV, #4794, \$40
- 7 Latgale Collection ceramic plate, d: 9", LV, #4420, \$24
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- 13 Polka-dot linnen tablecloth, 100% linen, 27-1/2" x 27-1/2", LT, #4832, \$25
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- 15 Traditional Latvian socks, Sizes: S, M, L, XL; hand knit, 100% wool, LV, #4457, \$24
- 16 Saules Takas Svajoniu Kelias, CD, 18 songs, LT, #11742, \$12
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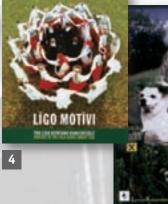


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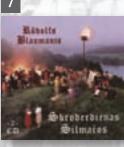
1 Large Wooden Stein, height 8 1/2", diameter 6 1/4", EST, #30338, \$70

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- 2 Small Wooden Stein, Height 5 1/4", diameter 4 7/8", EST, #30339, \$35
- **3** Juniper beer cup, length 6", diameter 2 1/2", EST, #30517, **\$30**
- 4 Ligo motivi, Concert of the Folk dance group Ligo, DVD, LV, #3501, \$22
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- 8 Ligo! Lai top!, Folkloras kopa Skandinieki, songs in Latvian, #3180, \$15
- 9 Best of Bellacord Electro Ligodziesmas, in Latvian, #21694, \$13
- 10 Zelta kolekcija Mikrofona Līgo nakts, 19 songs, in Latvian, #3390, \$15
- 11 Laiksne Jāņu nakti zelta rasa, 19 songs, in Latvian, #3398, \$15

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- 12 Raha Paneb, Rattad Käima..., Õlle ja napsilaulud, 22 songs, in Estonian, #30571, \$12
- 13 Beer stein with Lithuanian crest, size: 15 oz. (0.42 Liters), USA, #4834, \$56
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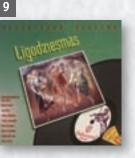
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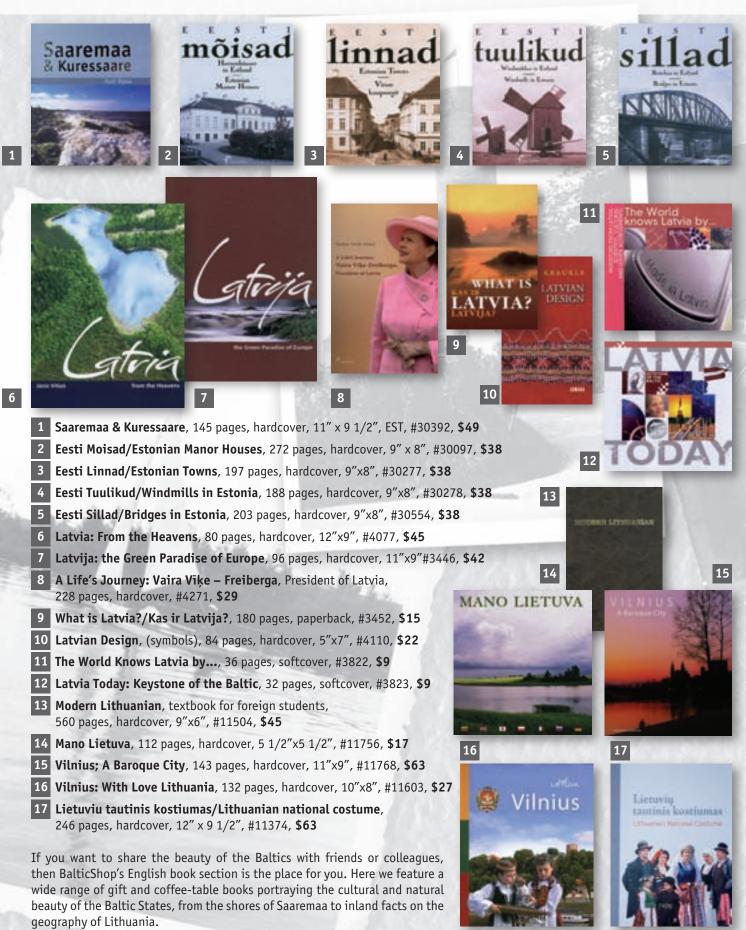




In the Northern lands, summer was the most important time of the year; in a few short months, enough food had to be produced to last the long, dark winter. And so the Summer Solstice the longest day and the shortest night of the year - has been celebrated as a glorification of the Sun since time immemorial. Estonia and Latvia are the only two countries left in the world where the Summer Solstice is a national holiday! So hold on to your roots - make a big bonfire, sing 'til you're hoarse, and snack on fresh cheese while enjoying a cold beer.



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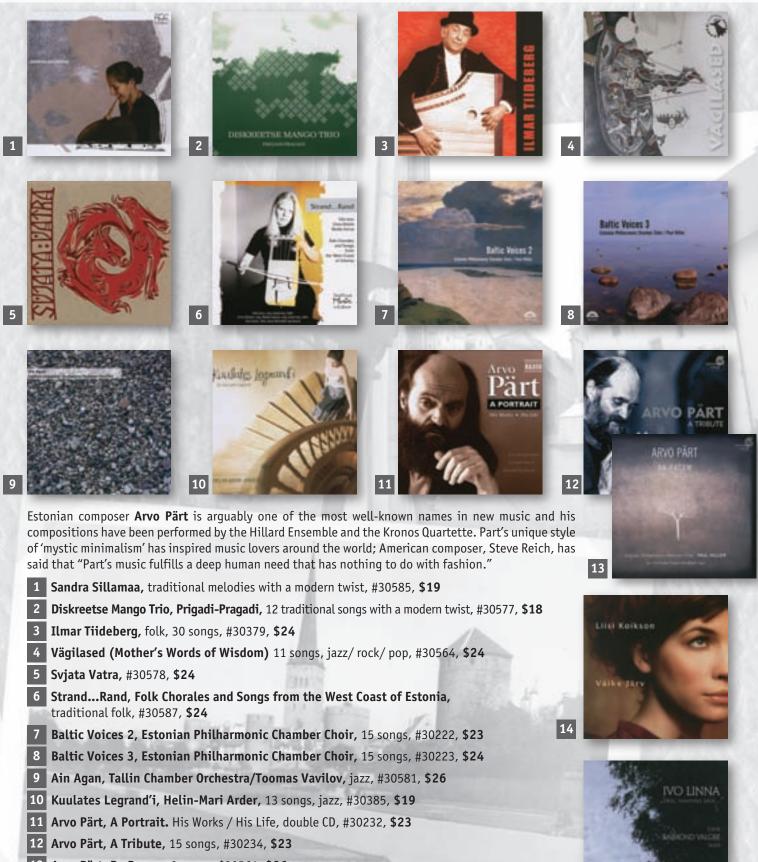
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#### Jonas Mekas

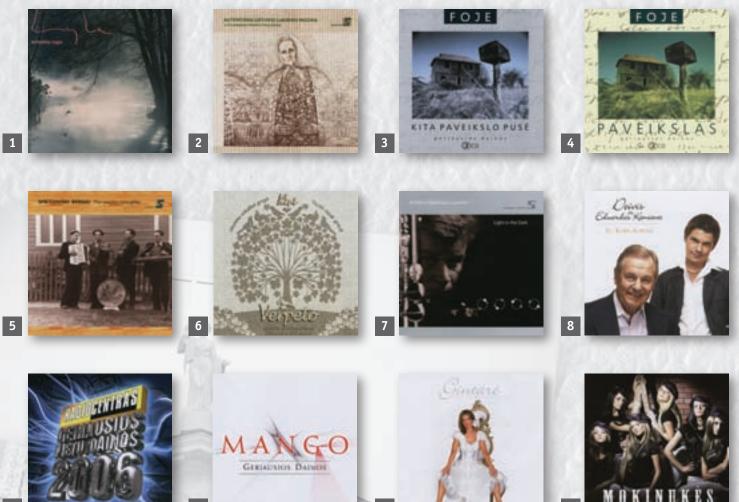
2007 marks the 75th anniversary of Lithuanian filmmaker and poet Jonas Mekas, whose cinematic and literary work has had a profound influence on the American avantgarde. He has collaborated with Allen Ginsburg, Andy Warhol, and Yoko Ono and is currently releasing a series of 365 short films on his website **www.jonasmekas.com** for Apple iVideo.

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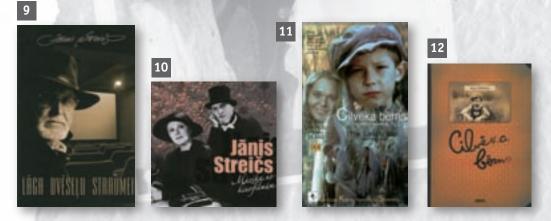






#### Margarita Stāraste

In her long career, Margarita Stāraste has illustrated more than 20 Latvian children's books. It is no exaggeration when we say that there is not a Latvian alive in Latvia today who does not hold Stāraste's charming realm of personified flowers, bugs and animals as one of their fondest childhood memories. In her 93rd year, the artist continues to bring her magical world alive, and we are happy to offer you a selection of her best-known work.



Janis Streičs has directed many Latvian now-classic films, including "Limuzins Jāņu nakts krāsā", as featured on our Solstice page, and "Cilvēka berns", based on the classic novel by J. Klīdzējs. He recently celebrated his 70th birthday and is still actively directing and writing.

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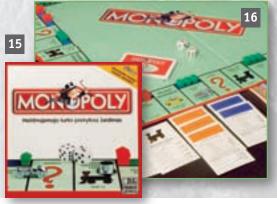
3 Official Latvian Soccer Federation Adidas baseball hat, 84% polyamide, 14% cotton, 2% elastane, #4614, **\$24** 

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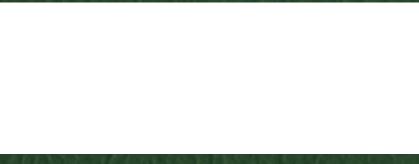
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