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Lucky ones get jewelry with candy

What could be better than chocolate?

It might be jewelry from Mark Loren if you happened to find it in your box of chocolates.

It could happen.

Mark Loren and Norman Love are teaming up to give customers sweet surprises during the duo's "12 Gems of Christmas" promotion.

The idea is a spinoff of Loren's "Finders Keepers" promotion, when he and his staff at Mark Loren Designs placed his jewelry around Lee County for residents and visitors to find and keep.

This time you don't have to look farther than a box of Norman Love chocolate.

The jewels will range in value from \$300 to \$3,000. Signature chocolate boxes, which range in price from \$13 for five pieces to \$95 for 50 pieces, purchased in Norman Love Confections Chocolate Salon or ordered by corporate customers are included in the promotion. The promotion runs Dec. 1-24.

Customers purchasing or

receiving boxes of Love's signature chocolates may find one of these Loren pieces beginning Dec. 1:

- 18k white gold ring with .31 carats diamonds and orange mother-of-pearl
- 14k yellow gold pearl cross pendant

• 18k yellow gold and sterling silver bangle bracelet with 3.50 carats of rose-cut diamonds

• 14k yellow gold ring with .25 carats of diamonds and round Lannyte

• Platinum ring set with .50 carats of channel set diamonds

• Multi-color freshwater pearl

bracelet

• 14k yellow gold mother-of-pearl diamond cufflinks

• 10.78-carat sculpted Bolivian ametrine gemstone

• 9.83-carat bi-color topaz

• Broadflash Australian opal doublet gemstone

• 13.93-carat catseye Sillimanite gemstone

• Sterling ring channel-set with 1.09 carats of oval cut purple sapphire

Visit Norman Love Confections at 11380 Lindbergh Blvd., off Daniels Parkway, in Fort Myers; call toll free 866-515-2121 or visit normanloveconfections.com.

Employees and friends of Uhler & Vertich Financial Planners helped celebrate Thanksgiving by lending a hand to help children.

The group loaded more than 600 backpacks of food to help feed Orange River Elementary School students during the holiday weekend. The firm also made a special contribution of \$2,500 to United Way of Lee, Hendry and Glades.