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A bottle of wine is the classic mishloach manos choice. Here's an elegant and unique way of packaging it. The diamond wrap cuts and glues easily and is simple to assemble. Paired with a matching box of cannolis, you'll have a classy presentation with minimal effort.

You will need:

- 1 bottle wine, schnapps, or grape juice
- plastic box to fit cannolis
- diamond wrap (available at many florists and fabric stores)
- ribbons
- glue gun

Measure area on wine bottle and box to be covered. Cut diamond wrap to size. Using a glue gun, glue diamond wrap in place. Wrap ribbon around wine bottle, finishing in a bow. Cut a small piece of diamond wrap and glue to center of bow.

Cannolis

- 18-oz (235 ml) pareve whipping cream
- 4 Tbsp instant vanilla pudding mix
- 1 6-oz (170-g) package Cannolis (I use Presidor Jonni Cannolis)
- 6 oz (170 g) baking chocolate

Beat whipping cream until firm. Add vanilla pudding mix and beat until smooth. Fit a pastry bag with a star tip, or cut a small hole in the corner of a ziplock bag, and fill with whipping cream mixture. Pipe whip into cannolis. Melt chocolate in double boiler or microwave. Dip the end of each cannoli into chocolate and allow to harden. Arrange in box.

Diamond wrap courtesy of Stitch N' Sew, Lakewood, NJ





