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**Milk and cookies for Santa**

**A tisket, a tasket...**

**Lutefisk for Christmas**



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3 Cookies and baked goods to make Santa smile  
New Glarus is a small town bakery making world class products. Meet Angela Anderson, the driving force behind some of the best baked goods you'll ever eat.

6 A tisket, a tasket, a holiday gift basket  
We present a few gift ideas for foodies and non-foodies alike.

10 The little dairy that did  
Some milk producers are now tackling the whole process of getting milk from the cow to the consumer. Blue Marble Dairy has done it right.

16 A toast to sparkling wine  
Scott Hallatt returns to tell you about sparkling wines to help you celebrate

18 Even the Vikings feared it  
Those who been exposed to Lutefisk know what an experience it is. For the rest of you, here's fair warning.

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