

Never use lighted candles near trees or boughs

Keep poisonous plants out of reach of children and pets

Keep trees away from fireplaces, radiators and other heat sources



Choose an artificial tree that is labeled fire resistant



If using a natural tree, make sure it is well watered

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Check holiday lights for fraying, bare spots, gaps in the insulation or excessive kinking in the wire



Turn off all tree lights and decorations when not in use



When putting up decorations, use a step stool or ladder to reach high places

Designate a sober driver



When preparing a meal, wash hands, utensils, sink and anything else that touches raw meat

Reheat leftovers to at least 165°F 12





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