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Opposite: Sprigs of lily-of-the-valley crafted from sugar seem to sprout from the tiers of this diminutive cake (it's just 12 inches tall) created by Ron Ben-Israel, a New York City baker. More flowers are piped in royal icing onto the soft-white fondant covering the cake. Left: Familiar and evocative, the image of lily-of-the-valley is used on wrapping paper for favor boxes, made by scanning copyright-free clip art into a computer and printing the design on ivory copier paper (the design could be made into a rubber stamp instead). The favors themselves—creamy white-chocolate mints—also have a lily-of-the-valley pattern. Below: Pink lily-of-the-valley, a rare variety, peeks out from among the plant's spiky green leaves.

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LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

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