

A Season of  
**GIVING**

24 Days of  
(random)  
Acts of Kindness

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DECEMBER 2013

## Sunday

**1** Take dinner to a single mom or a wife with a deployed spouse.

**8** Sponsor a child for Christmas through a local organization.

**15** Clip coupons--donate free items to shelters or expired coupons (up to 6 months) to the overseas military.

**22** Keep peanut butter crackers in the car to give to panhandlers--it's better than cash.

## Monday

**2** Buy "cause wear" for Christmas gifts or put on your own Christmas list.

**9** Donate your frequent flier miles or credit card points to charity.

**16** Collect all of your spare change and dump it in the red bucket!

**23** Do something kind for your cashier. This is a tough time of year to be working retail!

## Tuesday

**3** Send a restaurant gift card to an ill friend who lives far away.

**10** Organize a canned food drive with your friends and neighbors.

**17** Drive nicely. Let the other guy merge--maybe even more than once.

**24** Invite someone to Christmas dinner who would otherwise be spending the holiday alone.

## Wednesday

**4** Prepare a care package for a deployed soldier.

**11** Clean out your closets and donate items you no longer want or need.

**18** Donate to a pet shelter or volunteer to foster a rescue pet over the holidays.

*Merry  
Christmas*

## Thursday

**5** Organize a coat drive with your friends and neighbors.

**12** Volunteer at your kids' school--read or do a craft with the kids and let the teacher take a break.

**19** Pay it forward to a stranger in the drive-thru.

## Friday

**6** Donate hotel-sized toiletries to a homeless shelter or domestic violence shelter.

**13** Invite friends to join you at church and for Sunday dinner this weekend.

**20** Organize a cookie exchange or group gift wrapping session and invite a new neighbor.

## Saturday

**7** Deliver cookies to the fire or police station.

**14** Offer to babysit for a mom in need. Bake Christmas cookies with the kids or take them shopping to buy her a gift.

**21** Join a run (or walk!) that raises money for charity.

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