

Give the Gift of Experiences

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All of us fall into the habit of purchasing lots of gifts for birthdays and holidays. We do so to express our love, but perhaps, what our child, grandchild, niece, or nephew would value most is to spend time together creating some amazing new memories. If you are trying to figure out the best gift to give, consider gifting an experience--the gift of time.

What would get the recipient of your gift excited? Maybe it is a day spent at a wonderful museum with interactive exhibits about outer space, art, animals, or construction. It may be a special meal out with mom and dad without other siblings. Perhaps it is going on a train ride to discover a new place. Maybe it is going camping and fishing or attending a concert. How about learning a new skill like painting, using a potter's wheel, snowboarding, or gardening? Maybe it is a plane ticket to fly to visit you

during spring break. The possibilities are endless and limited only by your imagination.

I'd like to share a gift of experience from my childhood that I have included in my book: www.coachmyrna.org/7-gifts-to-give-your-child.html

I remember when my parents purchased two season passes to a series of local cultural events. Each month, one of my siblings or I went with one of our parents to experience a string quartet, a musical or a play. One of my favorite memories is seeing the musical performance of H.M.S. Pinafore. It meant getting dressed up and having time alone with my mom or dad. In addition, there was the opportunity to go backstage and meet the performers, see their costumes or instruments up close, and get them to sign the program. The memories of these evenings far outlasted any toy that I received. Looking back, I realize the reason that there were only two season tickets was probably financial, but it made the experience all that more special when it was my turn.

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