8 Gifts That Don’t Cost a Cent

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**The Gift of Listening:**
But you must really listen. No interrupting, no daydreaming, no planning your response. Just listening.

**The Gift of Affection:**
Be generous with appropriate hugs, kisses, pats on the back and handholds. Let these small actions demonstrate the love you have for family and friends.

**The Gift of Laughter:**
Clip cartoons. Share articles and funny stories. Your gift will say, “I love to laugh with you”.

**The Gift of a Written Note:**
It can be a simple “Thanks for the help” note or a full sonnet. A brief, handwritten note may be remembered for a lifetime, and may even change a life.

**The Gift of a Compliment:**
A simple and sincere, “You look great in red”, “You did a super job” or “That was a wonderful meal” can make someone’s day.

**The Gift of a Favor:**
Every day, go out of your way to do something kind.

**The Gift of Solitude:**
There are times when we want nothing better than to be left alone. Be sensitive to those times and give the gift of solitude to others.

**The Gift of a Cheerful Disposition:**
The easiest way to feel good is to make others feel good.