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## **Random Acts of Kindness**

Research has shown that performing an act of kindness produces the single most reliable momentary increase in well-being of any exercise that has been tested. We challenge you to find one wholly unexpected kind act to do — and simply do it!

- 1. Buy a stranger a lottery ticket
- 2. Bring flowers to a nursing home
- 3. Leave money at the laundromat with a note This load is on me.
- 4. Let somebody go ahead of you in line
- 5. Send a faraway friend a \$5 gift card to get coffee
- 6. Slip money in a book at the bookstore
- Leave a diaper and wipes on a changing table
- 8. Leave bubbles at the park
- Donate your books to the library
- 10. Pick up litter

