



GIFTS THAT GIVE

Central Pennsylvania's First Alternative Gift Fair

*Are you looking for ways to eliminate the holiday stress?
Does the commercialism of the holiday season get you down?
Do you have more stuff than you know what to do with?*

The Alternative Gift Fair, "**Gifts that Give**" offers holiday shoppers an alternative to traditional gift giving and is a perfect way to get in the real spirit of the season. A way to find gifts that not only honor special people on your gift list but help others who are not on anyone's gift list.

There are families in our own town that need a hot meal and a safe place to sleep. This is just one example of the needs you help meet by shopping at the Fair. Think of the person on your gift list who would be pleased if you provided food and shelter for a homeless family in their honor. That person will receive a handsome card telling them about your gift.

That's the true spirit of the holiday.

Gifts are chosen to honor family and friends with donations to causes that fit their values while supporting the participating local & international non-profit organizations in a festive atmosphere. The Lancaster Fair will feature local food vendors that will provide an international flair as they are representative of many different countries; Uganda, Morocco, and Vietnam, (to name a few!), as well as live strolling musicians.

WHAT

Lancaster-Elizabethtown
"Gifts that Give" Fair

WHEN

Saturday, November 22nd
10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

WHERE

Farm and Home Center
1383 Arcadia Rd
Lancaster, PA 17601

Please call or email

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www.theladieshalf.org/giftsthatgive.html

A section of the fair will be devoted entirely to children with several child friendly organizations including Kids and Cultures, Heifer International's "Read to Feed" program and Pennies for Peace.

Children's book author Christi Hoover Seidel will be reading her inspirational book, 'Bethlehem Star' during the event. This is a mother's Christmas story to her child. She weaves the story of the birth of Christ out of the elements of the family Christmas tree. The shiny colorful decorations, even the tree itself, become props in her story of the very first Christmas in Bethlehem. Every copy of this enchanting bedtime Christmas book helps to fund the work of Open Bethlehem. Autographed copies of the book will be available for purchase the day of the Gift Fair.

