



**1. Buy nothing!**

**2. Make a homemade gift!** Share the excitement of making homemade gifts with loved ones.

**3. Join a Black Friday protest** to advocate raising the minimum wage! The nation is witnessing a brand new movement to improve the living standards of fast food & retail workers. [FastFoodForward.org](http://FastFoodForward.org), [BlackFridayProtests.com](http://BlackFridayProtests.com)

**4. Move your money out of big banks** into a credit union or community bank and convince a friend to do so too.

**5. Give the gift of giving!** Organize a really, Really free market; it's like a potluck for whatever you want to give or take away—clothing, skills, food, furniture, whatever!

**6. Don't buy war crimes!** Boycott illegal Israeli settlement products AHAVA & SodaStream. [StolenBeauty.org](http://StolenBeauty.org)

**7. Give peace a chance!** Give to an organization working against the war such as: Veterans for Peace, Iraq Veterans Against the War and [CODEPINK.Org/Donate](http://CODEPINK.Org/Donate)

**8. BYOB: Bring Your Own Bag!**

Carry reusable bags which are better for the earth, wildlife & people.

**9. Support local business!** Buy recycled goods. Wear sweatshop-free or recycled clothes. Purchase animal cruelty free products. Buy local, organic foods at your local farmer's market or Community Supported Agriculture (CSA).

**10. Fair trade, not free trade!** Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) trade agreement will enrich greedy corporations at the expense of the economy, the environment and public health. Oppose TPP! [FlushTheTPP.org](http://FlushTheTPP.org), [CitizensTrade.org](http://CitizensTrade.org)

**11. Subscribe to alternative media:** Mother Jones, Extra!, In These Times, The Progressive, Ms. Magazine & The Nation.

**12. Support Mother Earth!** Plant a tree this winter for a green spring! Don't buy bottled water. Use an environmentally friendly water jug. Ride the bus, train, bike or walk instead of driving a car.

**12** Ways to  
**Occupy  
Black  
Friday**

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