

Eco-Friendly **& Creative** **Gift Ideas for** *Valentine's Day*



This Valentine's Day, change things up a bit with these eco-friendly gifts instead of traditional cards, candy or flowers.

- Opt for a living plant from a local nursery instead of cut flowers or consider giving flower seeds. Your valentine can look forward to flowers springing up instead of throwing away a bouquet.
- Plan a picnic of organic and local fare instead of going out to a restaurant. Set out a basket and blanket and you have front row seats for Mother Nature's favorite show—a romantic sunset.
- Write a poem or letter on recycled paper. Nothing says I love you more than an old-fashioned love note.
- Instead of giving a stuffed animal, adopt a real one. Conservation organizations allow you to make adoption donations online which go towards protecting endangered species.
- Donate to a charity on behalf of your sweetie. You can donate in their name or purchase a certificate for them to do so. This is also a way to express your love for those in need.

Happy Valentine's Day!