



THE ECONOMY ISSUE

"We are each other's harvest; we are each other's business; we are each other's magnitude and bond."
~Gwendolyn Brooks

Hi Friends!

Thank you for joining us for the latest issue of *Live on Purpose*. This month we lend our attention to practical solutions. Although it was nearly six years ago; I remember my Economics class like it was yesterday. It added a slew of new words to my vocabulary and every term seemed to have an accompanying graph whose contents went over my head. The professor would talk in "theory" when I just wanted to know what had already been tried and proved true. Every assignment was a snoozer and every project like climbing a mountain but I skated out of that class with a "C". Years later I discovered that half of the topics we covered in class could be easily understood if you replaced the fancy lingo with layman's terms and practical application. We believe that many of the solutions to many of the nation's economic issues are found in local communities. Explore our Epiphany Read to find out how powerful your dollar is and try our Exercise for the Soul that encourages all of us to be more conscious of how and where we spend. Enjoy being a part of positive change this month :)
XOXO

Faith & Hope

Exercise for the Soul

TIPS FOR LOCAL GIFT SHOPPING:

1. Don't forget: art can make a great gift. Your city has hundreds of local artisans. Shop an open air market to find pieces you think your friends and family would like.
2. Gift cards are a great way to give an experience, as well as a present. Find a local boutique or specialty store you think fits their personality.

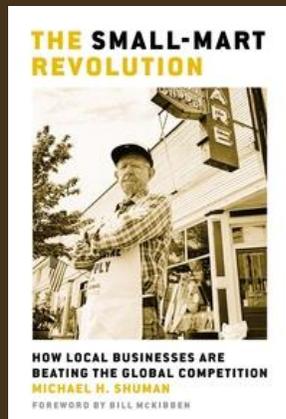


3. Customize your gifts. Pick up a custom T-Shirt from a local embroidery or screening shop.

Epiphany READ!

THE SMALL-MART REVOLUTION

BY: MICHAEL H SHUMAN



Shuman makes a compelling case for his alternative business model, one in which communities reap the benefits of "going local". He argues that local businesses give more to charity, adapt more easily to rising labor and environmental standards, and produce more wealth for a community. Check out his findings. Pick up a copy online or in your local library!

Good Karma!

THIS MONTH'S CHALLENGE:

For full details see-

www.moazenjewelry.com/good-karma-challenge



LAST MONTH'S CHALLENGE WINNER:

AMANDA STRICKLAND
CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

"MOUNITY" EVENT CALENDAR

11.30.2013 National Shop Local Day!

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Tailored Necklace

& other chic jewelry pieces
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