



to help your neighbor

- **1.** Write an unexpected handwritten note of encouragement to a friend.
- **2.** Write a recommendation on LinkedIn for a colleague.
- 3. Help a friend/colleague's child solve a problem or achieve a goal...they will never forget it.
- 4. Invite a colleague to co-write an article with you vs. you writing it by yourself.
- **5.** Invite a colleague to participate in a speaking panel with you.
- 6. Recommend a colleague for an industry award.
- **7.** Write a positive review on Amazon for a colleague's book.
- **8.** Pray with a friend going through a hard time vs. telling them you will pray for them.
- 9. Pray with a colleague for wisdom and discretion vs. telling them you will pray for them.
- **10.** Invite a friend to a networking group they don't know about.
- **11.** Invite a colleague to co-sponsor an event with you to share exposure.
- **12.** Invite colleagues to contribute to an article you are writing vs. writing it entirely by yourself.
- **13.** Refer a colleague to an article that may interest them.
- **14.** Refer a colleague to an association that could promote their interests.
- **15.** Refer a colleague to a professional that could help them.
- **16.** Direct a colleague to vacation destination or family experience that you believe aligns with their interests or values.
- **17.** Create awareness on LinkedIn about a colleague's passion project or non-profit they support.
- **18.** Celebrate/reshare a colleague's promotion on LinkedIn.
- **19.** Write a positive yelp review for a friend's business.
- **20.** Be a regular customer/supporter of a friend's new business.
- **21.** Offer excess office space to a professional who is in transition and needs an inspired place to launch the next phase of their career.
- **22.** Arrange a date night for a couple who need to invest in their marriage but lack means to do so.
- 23. Invite a colleague to participate in a mastermind group.
- **24.** Invite an industry colleague exploring career changes to shadow you at work.
- **25.** Invite an industry colleague's son or daughter to shadow you at work as a unique educational experience.

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- **26**. Recommend a book to a friend/colleague.
- 27. Recommend a podcast to a friend/colleague.
- 28. Write a summary of a self-help book (10 takeaways) and share with friend. Invite them to reciprocate.
- 29. Invite a friend or colleague to a book club.
- **30.** Offer to house or dog sit for a friend.
- **31.** Invite industry friends to partner in order to create mutually beneficial buying power.
- 32. Exercise with a friend who needs accountability...even if it is inconvenient for you.
- **33.** Make a friend/colleague belly laugh.
- **34.** Solve a problem over the phone so a business colleague doesn't have to travel/miss family time unnecessarily.
- 35. Offer mentorship to a colleague or friend who is new to your career field.
- **36.** Coach a friend who has not interviewed for a new job in a long time or ever.
- **37.** Help a friend create a compelling LinkedIn profile.
- **38.** Share an Instagram story that captures why a friend's business is special.
- **39.** Encourage your employees to support local businesses in your area.
- **40.** Share your "go-to" babysitter with a couple desperate for a date night. True selflessness...
- **41.** Take the time to read a book/article that a colleague wrote and discuss it with them.
- **42.** Share a friend or colleague's podcast on LinkedIn.
- **43.** Write a letter of recommendation for someone you work with to use at their future discretion.
- **44.** Recommend a promotion for a co-worker who has earned it.
- **45.** Share business best practices with non-profits who may benefit from your unique experience/perspectives.
- **46.** Smile and introduce yourself to new face in your community. Make them feel welcome.
- **47.** Send flowers to a teacher to let them know you appreciate their influence on your child.
- **48.** Volunteer to coach or assistant coach a youth sports team.
- **49.**Text someone a scripture or prayer to let them know you are thinking about them.
- **50.** Leave your phone in your car when you meet someone for lunch. Undivided attention is rarely offered these days.

*This list is a sample of the many ways that our friends in the Tuesdays with Tenney Group network have brought value to their neighbors over the past 5 years. We hope their ideas inspire and challenge you to profoundly impact the world around you.