

metaphorical coal

Santa's list isn't the only one that includes someone who deserves coal. You really hate the idea of parting with cold, hard cash to bestow them with any kind of holiday cheer, and like hell you're breaking out the glue gun to craft for their cold, shrunken hearts.

In the spirit of the generosity of Mike Pence, make a donation in their name. Think — and we mean really think — of the snarkiest thing you could give money to. Planned

Parenthood is a great place to start, but the Eugene Mission (eugenemission.org), Greenhill Humane Society (green-hill.org) and Mount Pisgah Arboretum (mountpisgaharboretum.com) are worthy of your generous gift. Perhaps the Eugene Symphony (eugenesyphony.org) for the world's most hardcore headbanger. Even if the idea of giving a gift to them makes your skin crawl, you know that a deserving nonprofit will have a slightly better 2017 because of your gift.

Or ship that annoying person a glitter bomb. Pick up glitter and fill your Christmas cards. Punishment to the guilty rendered.

Happy holidays, and enjoy that the end of 2016 is almost here.

May 2017 be better.