

## The Package on the Car

A young man was busy at his job of taking out the groceries for the local supermarket. He had been in and out of the store on his helpful errands a number of times that morning.

Something drew his attention to a woman in the parking lot who was struggling with her groceries. Her cart was abundantly filled, as were her arms.

His path back to the store took him in her direction. Like many people, she put one of her packages on the roof of the car while she hunted for her keys and opened the door. Then she began to load her packages from the cart to the automobile.

As she got in, started up her car and began to drive away, the grocery store clerk saw that she had forgotten to retrieve the package she had placed on the roof. Now he was closer to the car, and he began to run after her, to tell her of the oversight.

When she made a turn to exit the parking lot, the package on the roof rolled off.

Fortunately, the young man caught the package – a baby – just before striking the pavement.

A couple of conclusions from this story:

1. We can never predict what opportunities may develop in front of us if we are alert to the possibilities.
2. A simple act of kindness can lead to a result of major proportions.

My guess is that you will have some of those opportunities today.

– Beecher Hunter

