

VOLUNTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY
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GIFTS AND SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

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Arrangements for memorial gifts and monetary donations to the library may be made with the Library Director. **All monetary donations must be donated to the Friends of the Library and not directly to the library.**

Gifts, which embody advertising material of a commercial or promotional nature, are, in general, not accepted by the library. However, items such as bookmarks or disposable bags for carrying books may be accepted at the discretion of the Library Director for voluntary distribution to the public. Acceptance of such items in no way implies library endorsement of the item or its supplier.

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The library does not provide appraisal for donated items.

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