

How do we get what we want? Here is my story of “The Deer Cooler”...

We are enjoying ourselves with some of Bob’s friends at his high school reunion in Albuquerque. One of the organizing committee is handing out the list of items to be raffled off in hopes of selling more tickets. We notice the usual gift baskets, spa certificates. But then, “Deer Cooler”. And above it “Fish Cooler”. I’ve got to see this! We begin to speculate about this amongst those at our table. It must be an ice chest big enough to stash your deer in when you are hunting. You don’t want it to spoil on the way home. I kept looking at the table with the raffle prizes. Didn’t see the deer cooler...nothing BIG enough for that! My inner child was doubly intrigued. I even made a couple of pilgrimages over to the table in search of this amazing item. It felt like I was in a foreign country, trying to make an anthropological discovery of an item not yet grokked* by my culture.

As the evening went on, the winning raffle tickets were drawn. For a long time, we didn’t win. Finally, toward the end of the evening, our number was called!! The excitement of winning, going to the table to make our choice. No, not the California wine; I can get that at home. No, not the needlepoint of Pope John Paul. What will I choose? Bob left it up to me. And then I spotted it....



The deer cooler!!!

I just about doubled over in hysterics. No contest. This was my choice. All of the energy I had put into the deer cooler and I had manifested it for myself. When I took it to our table, we ALL had a serious laugh.

I had manifested the DEER COOLER! Not quite what I had expected, that’s for sure. But with all that energy I had been flowing in the direction of the deer cooler, it HAD to come to me. Imagine if we put that same kind of energy into manifesting the BIG things we want... what we could bring into our lives!!

Bob and I now race to be the first to claim the deer cooler for our lunches. An item that we would have never been attracted to by just seeing it in its regular, physical form, has become the most sought-after lunch bag we own! So, if you see us toting this cooler around, just remember “Where our attention goes, energy flows!”

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