



Moving Day Tips

- Be available throughout your move. Movers will have questions.
- Don't forget about the Fridge. After you've thoroughly cleaned and dried the inside of your refrigerator, put a handful of fresh coffee, baking soda or charcoal in a sock or nylon stocking and place it inside to keep the interior smelling fresh.
- Pack Heavy - Pack Light Pack heavy items in small boxes and lighter items in larger boxes
- Protect Your Memories If it's irreplaceable, take it with you in the car (you don't want regrets later). But if you do decide to pack framed photos or art, place sheets or blankets between them for added protection.
- Know how to Pack Plates and Records. Plates and record albums should be packed on end vertically, rather than placed flat and stacked.
- Remember the Bare Necessities Toilet paper, telephone, toiletries, snacks, coffee (and pot), soap, flashlight, screwdriver, pliers, can opener, paper plates, cups, utensils, a couple of pans, paper towels, and cleaning supplies are some of the essentials you may need upon arrival at your new home. Pack a box with these types of items and ask your foreman to load it last so that it will be unloaded first.
- Be Nice to Your Plants When moving plants to your new residence via your car, try not to let foliage rest against the windows, as the leaves could scorch.
- Accompany the driver as he prepares your inventory Ask questions if you are unsure of the condition that the driver is noting.
- Provide the driver with contact information Before the foreman leaves for your destination residence, give him a phone number where you can be reached. It is also a good idea to provide him with an alternate contact in case you can't be reached.
- Valuables (cash, coin, jewelry, photographs, documents, etc.) should be taken with you or sent ahead by a trackable service such as UPS or FedEx.
- Get a good night's sleep and have a good breakfast the morning of the move.
- Enjoy the Help and leave the rest to the professionals. Sit back and relax, and look forward to the new opportunities, friends and experiences that are part of any move.