THE ZOO





is More Than Just Flowers and Chocolates

This was another fantastic idea that I did early in our marriage. After I found out that she loves tigers, I called up our local zoo and set up this wonderful event. I picked her up for lunch and went immediately to the zoo with a picnic basket. After lunch I took her to the back of the tiger cage where the local zookeeper was waiting for us. He took us into the workshop area of the tiger cage where lunch was already waiting for these animals. After she feed the tigers and listened to the history of each animal the zookeeper brought her to a cage with one of the tigers inside and told her to grab the large rope that was half in the cage and half out. She then played a little game of tug-a-war with this tiger. The look on her face made my day.

The idea:

I took my wife on her lunch hour to the zoo to help feed the tigers. In addition, she was able to play tug-of-war with one of the tigers.

I would check with your local zoo to see if you can set up a time and help feed her favorite animal or help wash it. Most likely a donation will go a long way.

For example:

- 1) Feed the tigers
- 2) Wash the elephants
- **3)** etc.

Note:

Remember to bring your camera or video camera.