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This week I love ...

... supporting local artisans.



I shop online a LOT. But I try to balance it out by purchasing locally-made goods as often as I'm able. And this weekend, they're making it easy for me: The Northrup King Building - a giant converted grain processing plant that is home to 100+ artists' studios, including Husband Mike's - will be hosting Art Attack this weekend. And I mean ALLLLL weekend.

A free annual event, Art Attack gives you the chance to roam the halls of the NKB, pop in and out of studios at your leisure, chat with artists and artisans about craft, chow down on abundant snacks and wine, and remind yourself how AMAZING the local arts scene is here in the Twin Cities.

And even if you can't pony up for my friend Meg's insanely gorgeous 20-foot mural, perhaps you can buy a "Badminton!" tee from Sean Tubridy, or a chunky rocket ring from Karin Jacobson. In addition to amazing sculpture, painting, woodwork, and ceramics, you'll find gorgeous hand-woven rugs, leather handbags, jewelry, clothes, and accessories. Plus, many artists offer special price cuts to Art Attackers.

Perhaps you could be convinced to stimulate the economy, just a tad?



Stop by, stock up on holiday gifts, and be sure to pop into HM's studio to say, "Hi." [More info about this awesome event here](#)



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