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- Maxx Mount AM-SSP Standard Smartphone - Automobile Mount \$25-35
- Handbook 2017 Hard Cover with CD ROM \$39-\$49
- GRUNDIG Traveler III AM / FM / Longwave / Shortwave Portable Radio ~\$50 – (many options to choose from new and used for shortwave radios)
- Coax cable - various lengths (give good notes)
- New Mag Mount Antenna or Trunk Lip antenna
- License Upgrade - one of the best gifts you can give yourself!! I did!
- Rigrunner 4008 - 8 Outlets - 40 Amps ~\$70-80
- DIAMOND X50A 144 / 440 MHz Rugged Base / Repeater Fiberglass Vertical Antenna ~ \$80-90
- SDRplay RSP1 - Radio Spectrum Processor SDR Receiver includes SDR-UNO Software ~ \$120-130
- HT 2m/440 radios from as low as \$25 to \$500; Mobiles from \$75-\$1000
- YAESU FTM-3200DR 144 MHz 65 Watt C4FM Digital / FM Analog Mobile (introduction to Fusion)
- amplifier brick for 2m or 2m/440; speakers and/or headphones for almost any radio is useful;
- Books and Magazines – Kindle books, ARRL books; ARRL Membership; RSGB Membership; The Spectrum Monitor; CQ Magazine
- Software – logging software; monitoring software (Flightaware, PlanePlotter); digital mode software
- Scanners: analog; digital; or buy an HT with some big scanning ranges like the Yaesu FT-60
- ARRL has offered flat rate \$5 shipping on all books and store items
- test equipment: ~\$50 multimeter; test kit equipment like LCR meters, oscilloscopes, signal generators; soldering station with temperature control soldering;
 - Parts bins; magnifying lamp for looking at small parts;
- headset for listening and/or talking on the air;
- new antenna for your handheld
- Nifty manual for your particular radio
- gift certificates to radio stores!
- portable shortwave radio
- old classic boat anchor

- sound card interface
- desk mic
- new handheld covering a band or bands you might not have
- code oscillator
- single band radio kit
- Batteries
- backup power source
- Club Membership (s) – a great gift idea!
- Mugs/signs/clothing etc. with the person's call sign (I like the mug idea that shows the call sign and on the air when filled with coffee!!)