



Change Makers

## Nancy Eisen Fitzer | Double Doer

“Service is the rent we pay for living,” said Marian Wright Edelman, and Nancy could not agree more. As the Education Director for Upstate Forever, a non-profit that promotes sensible growth and protects special places in the Upstate region of SC, she is used to playing it forward. Nancy is also the mastermind behind Greenville’s Alternative Gift Fair, where each November people shop for holiday gifts, helping nonprofits locally and globally while giving a gift with meaning. “I have always been concerned about commercialism and materialism, and having worked in the nonprofit sector, I know how extensive the needs are in our communities. The smaller organizations, many of which are run entirely by volunteers, especially benefit from the exposure and funds this event brings them.” For more information on either of these worthy causes, go to [upstateforever.org](http://upstateforever.org) or [greenvilleuu.org/altgift](http://greenvilleuu.org/altgift).

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