

Our goals for Quest Camp are:

- That you have a great time.
- That you make new friends, and become more connected.
- Our vision is lived out; even at Camp!

Quest Vision:

“Creatively love and lead people in a growing relationship with Christ.”

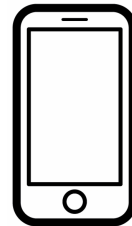
New Friends:

Name:

Ph#

Name:	Ph#

If you have ideas that you think might make Quest Camp better, Please let us know.



Your all inclusive Camp Booklet.



Get ready for a great weekend!

Your Camp site can be located of pages 3 & 4

Welcome to Quest Camp 2023

First of all, we're glad you are here with us. Get ready for a great time. This is always a highlight of the year, and this year will be no different.

The reason we value Quest camp so much is the opportunity it provides for closer relationships with God and others. Our goals for camp are one... That everyone will have a great time; and two, that everyone will live our vision, we exist to:

“Creatively love and lead people in a growing relationship with Jesus”

Just a reminder of some of the things going on this weekend:

QUEST Compassion Project - We'd like everyone to participate!

This is a fun activity that allows you to love people, while being “Undercover” (BTW - Not under the covers, undercover!) You can read about this on the next page (titled: “Covert Care”).

BBQ on Saturday at 4:30 Everyone brings a dish for the dinner.

A few reminders:

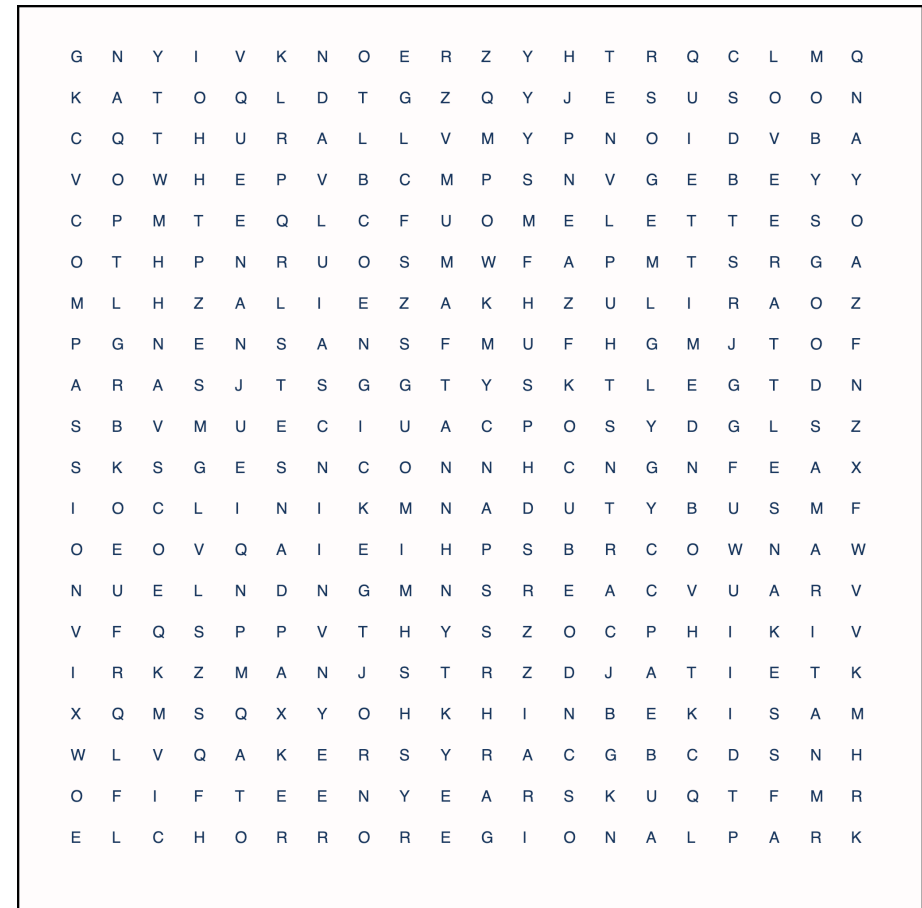
If you have **small children, please watch them**. There are plenty of things that can hurt them (moving vehicles, mountain lions, snakes, etc.), and we want them to be safe.

10 PM is quiet time. While you can be out and around the campfire, please keep your voice down. The camp attendant/Ranger **WILL** be patrolling and **WILL** make you quiet down. (we know from experience)

***We will not be providing Saturday morning breakfast this year**

Like every year, there will be video taken of the fun. Smile for the camera.

Have a great time!



PUZZLING!

- Where you will be on Sunday at 10:30 Sharp
- Name of the camp we're at.
- Project on page 5 of your Quest Camp Booklet.
- According to Colossians 3:12, the 1st thing we should clothe ourselves with is _____?
- How many years have we been doing Quest Camp?
- Who's staying at campsite R-1?
- An event at the Quest on July 12th at 6PM. (Be there)
- Whats for breakfast on Saturday at R-20?
- Our vision calls us to lead people in a relationship with who?
- We're all attending this on Saturday at 4:30.
- What happens 10PM?
- 1 Corinthians 14:1 says our greatest goal should be what?
- Watch out for these guys! seriously
- Luke 10:25 is a story about whom?
- The Quest would not be the Quest without whom?
- The best church in Fresno
- Our last Talk Series was Running with _____.
- The Quest Camp Director is.
- Danny Akers maiden name.
- Where did we have our first Quest Camp?
- Week #5 of our last Talk series was about whom?



Time to Reflect: Summer Lovin': You are Loved (Talk Notes from Sunday July 2, 2023)

- The secret to loving well is to first experience that you are loved well. 1 John 4:19 (NIV)
- The first step to love is not to step towards them; it is to step towards Him!
- Your lack of love for God does not affect God's abundance of love for you. Ephesians 3:18-19 (TLB)
- God wants everyone to discover and experience His love for themselves.

Types of Love: PHILEO = Brotherly love. EROS = Passionate love. AGAPE = Unconditional God love.

Definition:

Without any conditions, not contingent, not determined or influenced by someone or something else.

Another Definition is of Love: Not a feeling, it is desiring and doing the best for someone though it may not be reciprocated.

- God loving you doesn't mean you're in relationship with God.
- God's love for you is unconditional, but relationship with God is conditional. Romans 10:9 (NLT) Matthew 6:14-15 (NLT) 1 John 4:21 (MSG)
- God's love for you makes a relationship possible to you. Romans 5:8 (NLT) Acts 10:35 (MSG)
- Relationship with Jesus changes your identity. Ephesians 1:11

What we need to understand about God's love:

- God loves everyone the same. John 3:16 (NIV) Ephesians 1:4-5 (NLT) Psalm 145:8-9 (NLT)
- Love isn't just something God does, it's who God is. 1 John 4:8 (NLT)
- God's love gives us free will. Deuteronomy 30:19-20 (NLT)
- God's love is sacrificial. 1 John 4:9-10 (MSG)

How we Respond to God's Love:

- Love others with the same love that God has loved you. 1 John 4:7-8 (MSG) 1 John 4:19 (NIV)



Stuff to Bring: (That you might not think of)

Shelter'&'Bedding!

- tent
- tarp
- sleeping bag
- sleeping pad
- pillow

Cooking and Dining (optionals)

- water
- food
- cooler
- camp stove
- mess kit
- can opener
- charcoal

Cleaning'Items!

- broom
- dust pan
- whisk broom
- rake
- pans
- detergent
- dish rags
- pot scrubber

Clothes!

- T shirts
- shorts
- jeans/pants
- socks
- shoes/boots
- hat/cap
- sweater
- rain poncho
- underwear
- swim suit
- laundry bag

Personal'Hygiene!

- tooth brush
- tooth paste
- wash rag(s)

- towel(s)
- soap
- comb/brush
- nailclippers
- razor
- toilet paper

Stuff

- salt and pepper
- Food
- cooking oil
- paper towels
- napkins
- plastic trash bags
- tongs and spatula
- aluminum foil
- measuring cups
- plastic silverware
- paper plates/bowls
- plastic cups
- zip lock bags
- knives
- cutting board

First Aid Kit

- medication
- bandages
- aspirin, Tylenol
- medical tape
- gauze
- wipes
- antibiotic cream
- burn ointment
- sunburn lotion
- tweezers
- eye wash
- sanitary napkins

Miscellaneous Items

- Bible
- bug spray
- bungie cords
- camera

- Chairs
- cards, games
- cell phone
- clothes pins
- duct tape
- fishing gear
- flashlight
- knife
- lantern
- matches
- Rope
- Nice gift for pastor Dave

Camp Directory:

Many times people share a site with others. Space has been provided for you to list other campers.

C Loop:

C-25: Carolina Pocasangue _____

C-23: Doss Family _____

R Loop:

R-1: Bob & Sharon Jenkins _____

R-3: Ryan & Jamie Urasaki _____

R-4: Aaron & Jenny Gathright _____

R-5: Brandon & Corrie Frost _____

R-6: Dave Frost _____

R-7: Danny & Susie Myrick (Brent & Holly) _____

R-8: Dan & Mary Akers (Eric & Danielle) _____

R-9: David & Michelle Johnson _____

R-10: Dave & Cynthia Erickson _____

R-11: Steve & Jennifer Anderson _____

R-12: Wayne & Denise Nordyke _____

R-13: Dan & Teresa Bouchard _____

R-15: Richard Knight _____

R-16: John Woods _____

R-17: Eric & Teri Davis _____

R-19: Jeremiah Ellard _____

R-20: Jeff & Jenn Bohner _____

IMPORTANT.... PLEASE READ.

We do this activity every year because it is a value here at The Quest, and that value is generosity.

We call it:

QUEST COMPASSION Project

Part of what God has called us to be is a blessing others. To love each other beyond our words. To genuinely show compassion and care for each other. You may be aware of what offices do at Christmas, called "Secret Santa". It's kind of like that.

Here is what we are asking you to do:

We are asking **everyone** to select someone from the Quest (at camp), and secretly make or prepare something for them, along with a note expressing how special they are to you. There are 2 note cards available for you to use on page 12 of the booklet. Please feel free to be as creative as you want.

THIS IS IMPORTANT: **They can't know who blessed them...ever!**

A couple of rules:

It can't be a family member.

Don't spend more than \$5.

(you can pick more than one person if you would like, that's up to you).

Some ideas:

A coffee (made the way they like).

Soft drink

A shoebox of snacks

A cool picture in a frame of them

We are aware that there is the potential that some will get nothing, while others might get multiples. We want you to ask God who He wants you to bless. This is NOT about what we get, but how God uses us to bless others.

If you have any questions ask Dave.



SUN.



10:30 AM Quest Gathering

@ Morro Rock Beach (First Lifeguard Station)

*Followed by Baptisms

If you're interested in being Baptized, see pastor Dave.

(location Morro Rock, park cars on right side of Rock)

Sunday Afternoon is a great opportunity to connect with people from the Quest. Great places in Morro Bay to eat and walk around.



MON.

11:00 AM Checkout Time

*Please pick up your trash before you leave

Drive Safely and we'll see you at The QUEST on Sunday!



FRI.

● Check In at 3:00 PM

- When you arrive: Set up camp.
- Meet your neighbors

● Relax!

● Hang out with Friends.

This is generally the evening that we have more noise in the evening.

Please remember that noise needs to be reduced at 10pm.

SAT

● 4:30 PM ALL Camp BBQ & Potluck..

- Check with Jenn Bohner or Jenny Gathright about location.
- Church will provide meat and utensils
- **Everyone bring a side dish to share and your own drinks.**



This is optional, but you can use this for a devotional time:

One good deed...

Today we are looking at Compassion project. Similar to Secret Santa, we prefer to think of it as Secret Jesus. The principle really being that we give to others without any form of recognition. Many in today's culture expect affirmation for our kindness. We want the accolades, or "the pat on the back". Its so easy to fall into the trap of doing something nice for all the wrong reasons. In **Philippians 2:3-4** it says

³ Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves.

⁴ Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too.
Philippians 2:3-4 (NLT)

The truth is we can't always do something for others without them knowing, but the issue here is one of the heart. We must strive to do good things for all people (yes, even the ones who don't bring a smile). After all, it was Jesus Himself who gave His life for us. He endured unspeakable punishment, not for His benefit nor reward. He did it out of love for us, a deep, undefined love that crosses all obstacles. May we have that same desire and passion for others, to care and respond to people with acts of love and kindness, and may we do it with joy.

Application:

- 1 Follow the guidelines for Compassion Project, and give someone a gift without them knowing it came from you.
- 2 Plan to every week do one good deed for someone without trying to receive credit or validation from it. E.g. Pay for somebody's food when getting fast food through the drive thru.
- 3 Often times we forget those who are closest to us. Be sure to show your family and friends os's love. Whether by writing a note, or sending a text, or calling, aim to love someone that you normally wouldn't think needs the reminder. And remember, it's most often when we don't feel like doing something, that we should.

Today's prayer:

"God, I want to be a source of hope and joy to all I come across just as You are. May I have an attitude that is uplifting, and positive in whatever season of life I find myself. Give me the creativity and imagination to reach others and touch their hearts. To bring happiness in their time of pain, and comfort in their time of need. And may I do this all with heart that seeks no reward. May I rest in the fact my pursuit of selflessness brings a smile to Your face. Amen."

Map of the Morro Bay Area:

