









#### What is Camp Agape?

Camp Agape is a safe place that provides a fun and supportive atmosphere for fostering faith, healing, and hope for children, teens, and families through their grief journey. Since 2000, our holistic approach has addressed the emotional, physical, and spiritual aspects of the healing process. All of our supportive care services are provided at no cost throughout the year. Our programs include Kids Summer Camp, Family Retreat, and Footprints After-School Program.

#### Footprints After-School Program

This eight-week after-school program provides sessions of grief support for children ages 6-10 and 11-15, and their parents or guardians who have lost a loved one due to death. This safe and nurturing environment assists both children and adults in learning healthy communication and coping skills surrounding their loss by engaging in fun group activities. Most importantly, our goal is for children to complete the program understanding, "I am not alone in my grief."



#### **Family Retreat**



All ages of families who have suffered the loss of a loved one have a place at Family Retreat. This retreat gives families tools to process their grief as a family unit and to support each family member through their grief journey. Participants are given the opportunity to bond with a supportive community and engage in activities that assist with the grieving process.





#### Kid's Summer Camp

Camp Agape's Summer Camp is available to children 7-12 years of age who have suffered the loss of a loved one. Our unique program offers all the fun of a typical summer camp, including swimming, fishing, arts and crafts, music, and outdoor games. This high-energy environment is blended with group sessions of art, music, equine therapy, and play therapy that promotes emotional healing. Each child is matched with an adult "Buddy" who will assist their camper in all activities, so they are never alone in their grief journey. In addition, our faith-based program offers a sense of hope in their time of loss.

#### Transforming lives. That's the power of camp.

- Former Volunteer

#### I hope heaven is just like Camp Agape!

- Former Camper

## Be a part of healing little hurting hearts.

Join Camp Agape in three ways:

#### 1 VOLUNTEER

People who have experienced loss in their life struggle to know how to share or use their story of grief. Camp Agape offers an opportunity for these people to witness their past pain and have a present purpose in transforming the life of a child in a fun, energetic camp setting. As a result, they will gain more confidence in sharing their story of grief and enjoy helping Camp Agape fulfill its mission of healing little hurting hearts.

Become a "Buddy" and witness the transformation of your camper and even your own heart. Don't worry; you will receive extensive training equipping you to lead your camper confidently. See our website for a complete list of other volunteer opportunities.

#### DONATE

Consider supporting Camp Agape by sponsoring children or families. As a 501-C3 non-profit organization, all gifts are tax-deductible.

#### ADVOCATE

We are grateful for those willing to share the word about Camp Agape and our healing programs for those on a grief journey. Visit our website for ways to be an advocate.



Camp can't happen without you.

#### You can help a hurting child.

Camp Agape's programs are supported entirely by volunteers and donors. Your help will make a difference.



**Connect With Us** 

Donations can be made online or by check to Camp Agape, P.O. Box 1484 Marble Falls, TX 78654.



To volunteer or request more information, please contact us: 830-385-8916 | campagapetexas.org



### Healing Little Hurting Hearts

"A ministry that brings hope to grieving children and their families."

# Has grief stolen a piece of your heart?

If you've lost someone significant in your life, then you know what it's like to carry the daily burden and loneliness of grief.

No one-especially a child-should have to experience this kind of deep hurt alone.



"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2

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