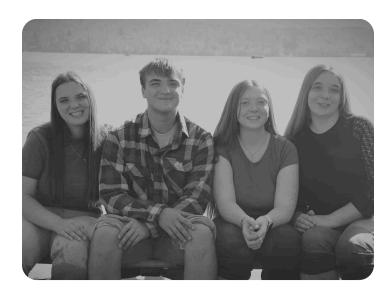


BUILDING BRIDGES FOR GENERATIONS TO COME

Keep Coming Back





One more week until Giving Tuesday! I hope you have enjoyed the many stories shared of how God is using the ministry of White Mountain Camps to spread the Gospel and encourage individuals in their faith.

Today, you will hear from three young people: Caleb, Abby, and Hannah Bell. Listen to their hearts as they share what God has done.

Our family has been attending the camp for years, and we three siblings (Caleb, Abby, and Hannah Bell, plus the hope of our youngest sister, Bekah, joining us next year) are the third generation to be involved here. Our grandfather attended Happy-T Ranch when he was a kid, and our grandparents, mom, and aunts used to camp in the Pines. For as long as any of us can remember, we have been coming up every summer, and it has been a highlight of our year. These are our stories of why we enjoy coming back year after year.

Caleb: I have been coming to the camp here to volunteer my time when I can for the past 4 years. This has been spent helping out wherever is needed, whether it be dishpit, cleaning, or maintenance. It was at this camp where I first began to grasp the idea of what servitude really meant. While I might have not been able to attend the summer camp, I have been able to experience and see firsthand what it takes to keep a camp running. This allows campers to comfortably stay so they might hear God's Word for a week. That is why I continue working here, knowing that my labor is not in vain and that the Gospel is being shared through this ministry. I have grown great relationships with many people here, but none compares to the relationship I have strengthened in the Lord. Being here played a huge part in that, and I am very thankful.



Abby: White Mountain Camps has always felt like a home for me, a safe place to be. We have been coming up here for my whole life. There is a community of people here who care and love you. Growing up, I loved going to the campfire and game nights in the Pines, because it was a wonderful time to spend with other people. I enjoy working at the camp, helping serve at the different retreats, and watching how God is moving in and through the camp. We have formed great friendships with people from working and camping up here. I keep coming back here because this camp is an amazing ministry to help serve the Lord by working here. There is a wonderful Christian community that helps you grow in your faith when you are serving.

Hannah: I have served at the White Mountain Camps for the past 3 years, and during these years I have experienced immense growth in my faith. I have seen God work in amazing ways in the lives of the kids who come to the camp. This is one of the many reasons I keep coming back to this camp. I have enjoyed the experience of serving alongside other believers, whether that be in the dining hall, kitchen, or housekeeping. I have also benefited greatly from the encouragement of hearing the testimonies of other staff members. One of the other reasons why I keep coming back to this camp is because it is the place where I feel complete peace and closest to God. I look forward to the years of service to come at this special camp.



The Bell kids have served as seasonal staff for a number of summers. It is not unusual to see them in the back of a trailer or truck hauling chairs, food, supplies, lumber, brush, or pine needles to their destination. A reliable working truck is essential for this camp. Our white truck has served us well for many years, but is no longer road-worthy. The new truck will be used to plow roads, haul trailers, and so much else, all to support the ministry here. This Tuesday, you will have the opportunity to help with the purchase of a truck, plow, and the necessary accessories.

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