



CAMP CONQUEST

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Dear Friends,

Thank you for your support of this ministry of evangelism and discipleship in the camp setting. Thank you for taking the time to consider this year-end request from Camp Conquest.

You may be aware that camp is facing a huge infrastructure challenge – a failing septic system. The board is addressing this situation and a land development plan encompassing the research, planning and permitting for a new system is underway. So far this year, friends like you have contributed over \$70,000.

In another demonstration of generosity and support this year friends of Camp Conquest have contributed over \$37,000 toward the Bob Kern Memorial Endowment Fund. Pastor Bob's memorial fund will provide campership funds for deserving children for years to come.

Now, we must ask for another show of support. While the two campaigns listed above are focused on the long term health and future ministry of the camp, we have a very current need. There has been a short fall of General Fund Gifts. This combined with decreased guest group usage has left the camp facing a year-end obligation of approximately \$40,000.

The board and staff are working diligently to overcome this shortfall and have recently met with a financial consultant to help solve this issue for now and for future years. As a result Camp Conquest, in addition to paying off this year's shortfall, is seeking to establish a reserve fund. This internal line of credit will allow the camp to borrow money from ourselves at times when cash flow is limited due to decrease usage such as in the winter. Our initial goal to get this fund started is \$20,000.

Friends, as you prepare your year-end contributions, please consider Camp Conquest. We are praying that God, through you, will provide \$60,000 toward camp operations by year-end. Would you join us in prayer and giving so that Camp Conquest can settle our year end obligations and move into 2012 with the funds necessary to reach children and teens with the life changing message of the gospel of Jesus Christ?

Thank you for supporting Camp Conquest. Thank you for supporting the children who attend our camp? Thank you for your partnership in this unique ministry of evangelism and discipleship in the camp setting.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,
Joe DePoto
Board Chairman

P.S. One way to increase the effectiveness of this endowment fund is to consider a planned gift or a non-cash gift such as stocks, bonds, property or life insurance. Leaving this fund in your will is another way to honor the memory of a dear friend and contribute to the work of the ministry that he believed in so strongly. Contact Mike at 717.336.2541 for more information. Thank you.

For the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ—Ephesians 4:12