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SUMMER OF SERVING,



A GUIDE TO HELP YOUR
FAMILY TAKE ACTION.

SUMMER OF SERVICE

DON'T JUST PRETEND TO LOVE OTHERS.

REALLY LOVE THEM. HATE WHAT IS WRONG.

HOLD TIGHTLY TO WHAT IS GOOD.

LOVE EACH OTHER WITH GENUINE AFFECTION,

AND TAKE DELIGHT IN HONORING EACH OTHER.

NEVER BE LAZY,

BUT WORK HARD & SERVE THE LORD ENTHUSIASTICALLY.

REJOICE IN OUR CONFIDENT HOPE.

BE PATIENT IN TROUBLE, AND KEEP ON PRAYING.

WHEN GOD'S PEOPLE ARE IN NEED,

BE READY TO HELP THEM.

ALWAYS BE EAGER TO PRACTICE HOSPITALITY.

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⇒ SERVICE IDEAS ⇐

THERE ARE A MILLION THINGS YOU CAN DO TO SERVE IN YOUR HOME, COMMUNITY, AND BEYOND. HERE IS A LIST TO GET YOU BRAINSTORMING ABOUT WHAT YOU CAN DO TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE THIS SUMMER!

Practice gratitude, write someone in your house a note of thankfulness
Donate old toys and sporting equipment
Do your siblings chores
Write letters to elderly friends/grandparents
Write letter to a friend
Help someone before they ask
Leave a treat for your mailman
Call a relative to just tell them how you love them!
Go through books and decide to donate some
Write letters/emails to church missionaries
Give flowers to strangers or drop a vase at a friend's house
Surprise someone with donuts
Bake cookies for a neighbor
Make a meal for a friend
Volunteer with Meals on Wheels or other meal service programs
Offer to babysit for a family in need
Make bracelets and drop off to someone to brighten their day
Take a walk and pick up garbage
Mow an elderly neighbors yard
Do yard work for someone
Find a need in a local charity and meet the need
Take needed food to the Open Door Mission or Abide Network
Make Care Bags for the Homeless
Take water bottles to areas in need
Organize a car wash and donate the profits to charity
Paint kindness rocks and leave them for someone to find
Serve the fire station or police station in a creative way
Collect unused makeup and perfume to donate to a center for abused women
Deliver groceries and meals to elderly neighbors
Research the needs in your community and pick one as a family project
Raise money to help provide water in another country
"Adopt" a child through Compassion International

"Those who are happiest are those who do the most for others."
— Booker T. Washington


OUR SUMMER OF SERVING!

OUR WHY: _____

WHO WE WANT TO SERVE: _____

WHAT WE WANT TO DO: _____

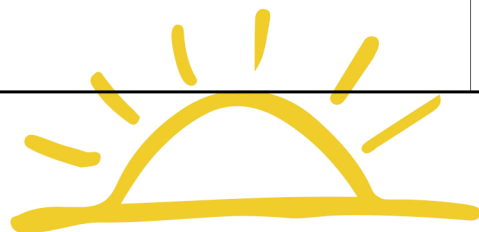
WHEN WE ARE GOING TO DO IT: _____

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SUMMER SERVICE PROJECTS & DATES

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"Life's most persistent and urgent question is:
What are you doing for others?" - Martin Luther King