

*Hello friends and family,*

As many of you probably know, I have volunteered at Camp Daniel for each of the past six years; this summer I was a 2<sup>nd</sup> year Summer Intern. I would like to thank you everyone who supported me as an intern, as I would not have been able to do it without your support. Over the course of the summer, I decided to commit the next year of my life to being a Year-long Missionary Intern at Camp Daniel. At the time of writing this, I have already moved in and have begun the work I will be doing while here, in the woods of northern Wisconsin. This is an amazing opportunity for me that I will be sharing with four other guys that have also committed to living at camp as year-interns.



Growing up in the foster care system, I had a cynical view of what family meant. In recent years, my view of family has slowly changed, thanks in large part to Debbie Woods and Camp Daniel. Camp Daniel is not only a summer camp for people with developmental and intellectual disabilities, but also a place that values community and family. My foster mother, Debbie, was the one who first brought me to camp. Even though I had a bad attitude and didn't really want to go, she knew that it would be good for me. When faced with the love and acceptance that I experienced while I was there, I knew that Camp Daniel was a place where I could grow and learn. After all I have received through giving of my time at Camp Daniel, I am confident in my decision to be a year intern.



We five interns, as Camp Daniel missionaries, will give a lot of ourselves in the physical labor of the construction on the grounds, and we will also be challenged to grow personally and spiritually. I will learn a variety of practical construction while pushing towards our goal of finishing Camp Daniel's new campus in time for next summer. We will also be maintaining the grounds, and living and working together as a family with three Camp Daniel residents, who each has a disability. Weekly, we will help lead in the youth ministry group in Crivitz called The Hub, attend The Able Church in Green Bay, and help coach Special Olympics.

As mentioned before, I am so grateful for all of the past support; I will most certainly still need help throughout the next year. I am asking for your financial and spiritual support as I continue my journey as a Camp Daniel team member. The Year Long Internship is a missionary experience, and just like all the staff at Camp Daniel, I will need to raise \$600 in monthly support for rent, food, gas, and other living expenses from September 2019 to August 2020. I have included a simple form that will further explain the donation process. Whether or not you can donate money monthly, give a one-time donation, or support me in a different way, I ask for your prayers during this year-long journey. I will be giving updates quarterly to my supporters. You can also keep-up with my progress this year by checking out my camp profile at [campdaniel.org/intern/zechariah-benoit](http://campdaniel.org/intern/zechariah-benoit) and following my social media as well as Camp Daniel's Facebook and Instagram pages.

Sincerely,  
*Zechariah Benoit*



Camp Daniel is a non-profit 501(c)-3 organization, which means that all donations are tax deductible. A receipt will be mailed to you for each donation. If you make more than one donation throughout the year, you will receive an annual receipt.

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