Are you longing for more quiet opportunities to worship & share with other Friends?

Would you enjoy taking part in a radically unprogrammed retreat with Friends

from a variety of theological backgrounds for a week or just a few days?

Have you heard of Quaker Spring?

Quaker Spring:

Experiencing the Inward Christ Together

Monday, June 21 - Thursday, June 24, 2021

An online gathering

Our program will be shaped by God's leading as the week unfolds. Each day will include:

Bible Study
Waiting Worship
Sessions to Seek God's Guidance Together
around Shared Concerns
Fellowship

The intent of all speaking [in meeting for worship] is to bring into the Life, and to walk in, and to possess the same, and to live in and enjoy [that Life], and to feel God's presence, and that is in the silence, (not the wandering whirling tempestuous part of man or woman)... There is the flock lying down at noon-day, and the feeding of the bread of life, and drinking of the springs of life, when they do not speak words. For words declared are to bring people to [the Life] and [are for] confessing God's goodness and love, as they are moved by the eternal God and his spirit....

Adapted from *The Works of George Fox* volume IV p.174 (Philadelphia: Marcus T.C.Gould, 1831

Welcoming to Friends of all Branches

This is a free gathering. Assistance is available for help obtaining internet minutes if needed.

Deadline to register for children's program: June 1st

More information & registration at www.quakerspring.org

Or contact the planning group at <u>quakerspring@gmail.com</u> or Deborah Haines, 2794 Fort Scott Drive, Arlington VA 22202 703-706-8176)

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