

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

Friday, June 23-Wednesday, June 28, 2017

At Oakwood Friends School in Poughkeepsie, NY

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

**BIBLE STUDY
WORSHIP
QUIET TIME
EVENING EXPLORATIONS
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

Fees by freewill offering (guideline of roughly \$40-60/adult/day for dorm room & meals)
Deadline to register for the children's program: June 1st

More information & registration at www.quakerspring.org

Or contact the planning group at quakerspring@gmail.com

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