

SAFE HAVEN FOR CHILDREN



Congratulations to the 18 new churches who were added to our list of SAFE HAVENS in North Carolina during the last Gathering at Lenoir Rhyne College in June, 2004.

In today's society with all the many peer pressures, stress, and juggling of time, our children more than ever need our help and an ongoing relationship with caring adults.

For information about the SAFE HAVEN program: go to: www.ncwelca.org and click on projects. Then click on the Little Red Wagon: Safe Haven icon to get valuable information.

STORY OF THE LITTLE RED WAGON. "The little red wagon. A symbol of childhood. It could be filled with a child's hopes and dreams or weighed down with their burdens. Millions of American children need our help to pull that wagon along. Let's all pull together."

General Colin L. Powell USA(Ret.)

Someday, somewhere, somebody is going to ask you:

What did you do for the children?

Did you treat them right?

Do you have the answers?

We can make a difference for our youth--our future.

Every child in our state needs and deserves an ongoing relationship with a caring adult. Our youth need the support and opportunity we had. Children and young people are our nation's future. They need our congregations to point them in the right direction.

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Name of Congregation:

Address:

Phone number:

Number of children your congregation reaches:

List ways your youth and children are helped:

In the Congregation:

In the Schools:

In the Community:

List any resources used:

Plans for expansion:

To become a Safe Haven Congregation please complete the following form and mail to:

Lisa Overcash

Use the back of the form if necessary.