C.O.P.S. Adult Children’s Retreat

June 16-19, 2017
YMCA Trout Lodge
Potosi, MO

Limited travel assistance may be available. Contact the C.O.P.S. National Office for additional information.

This program is planned for surviving adult children of fallen law enforcement heroes who died in the line of duty according to C.O.P.S. criteria.

C.O.P.S. is a 501(c)(3) corporation. Donations are tax deductible.

For more information, call the C.O.P.S. National Office - (573)346-4911
Who is invited to attend the retreat?

C.O.P.S. Adult Children’s Retreat is planned for surviving adult children and their spouse/domestic partner (21 years or older) of law enforcement officers who died in the line of duty, as determined by C.O.P.S. criteria. Other relatives and friends are not eligible to attend.

How will the retreat benefit me?

C.O.P.S. Adult Children’s Retreat will give you the opportunity to meet others who can relate to what you are going through. At times adult-aged children are very young when losing their parent and struggle with their loss as they grow into the milestones of adulthood; while others may have lost their parent in their adulthood. At the retreat, you will attend seminar sessions designed for your needs, participate in challenging and fun activities, and unwind in the evenings with new-found friends. It is our goal for you to leave the retreat feeling relaxed with a support system of peers and knowledge to help you in the future.

Where is the retreat located?

We will be staying at the YMCA Trout Lodge on Sunnen Lake in Potosi, MO, 90 minutes outside of St. Louis. Couples will be roomed together; those attending alone will share a room with another attendee.

How do I get to the retreat?

If you are flying, you should plan to arrive at St. Louis Lambert Airport (STL) between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Friday, June 16. You will be met by a C.O.P.S. representative at the airport and transported to the YMCA Trout Lodge by bus. You will be transported back to the St. Louis Airport on Monday, June 19, by 11:30 a.m. Please be sure your return flight is after 12:30 p.m. to allow time for check-in and security checks.

If you are driving, you will need to arrive at the YMCA Trout Lodge between 3:00-5:00 p.m. on Friday, June 16, and stay through breakfast on Monday, June 19. Meals and activities are planned; no late arrivals or early departures please.

What is the cost of the retreat?

Your only expense is your travel to and from the St. Louis Airport (if flying) or to and from the YMCA Trout Lodge (if driving). Providing your credit card information will serve as a deposit for participation in this program. If you attend the retreat as planned, C.O.P.S. will not charge your credit card. If you fail to cancel your reservation or do not show up for the program, your card could be charged a percentage of the cost per participant. A copy of the C.O.P.S. Cancellation Policy will be sent to you after we receive your registration request. Deadline for registration is May 29, 2017. Registrations will not be accepted after the deadline date.

This event is organized by National C.O.P.S. The sale of merchandise for any cause other than National C.O.P.S. is strictly prohibited. All merchandise sold or distributed at any Hands-On Program must be approved by National C.O.P.S. prior to the program.