

Serving with Cadence International

Elizabeth Elder



Dear friends and family,

This summer, I have the exciting opportunity to serve as an Intern with Cadence International. Cadence is an evangelical mission agency dedicated to reaching U.S. and foreign military personnel and their families with the good news of Jesus Christ. Founded in 1954, Cadence's mission is "to share the gospel and our lives with the military community."

With a focus on U.S. military communities, I will partner with local Cadence staff at Victory Ranch in South Carolina to reach the teens of Fort Jackson and Shaw Air Force Base



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with the gospel of Jesus Christ. Victory Ranch offers a peaceful location for military members and their families to get away from everyday distractions, connect with the Lord, and connect with each other. The property offers ministry opportunities, hiking, water activities on the three-acre pond, and many other recreation activities.

During my internship, I will experience military ministry, be disciplined in my walk with Jesus, and receive training to better equip me for Kingdom work. I will partner with local ministries to invest in teens by hosting a day on the lake, facilitating teen workdays, leading a Bible study, meeting one-on-one during the week, learning how to have meaningful goodbyes, and more.

I will work with Cadence Student Ministries, which reaches military students in grades 6–12 through relationships and programs designed to help them become disciples of Christ. Impacted by frequent moves and continual transition, military students are often spiritually receptive and eager for meaningful relationships. As I serve these teens, I will be equipped to teach the Bible, lead small groups, plan an outreach event, and develop fruitful relationships with them.

I have chosen to serve with Cadence because the mission sees the needs of the military community and is committed to sharing the gospel and their lives with them. Growing up as a military teen, I know firsthand the struggles that military families go through. I often felt unseen by God and others. But through the years, God showed up! He told me He saw me and loved me; I was not alone. I want to partner with God and Cadence to reach the military teens of South Carolina and share that God sees them, too, and loves them. He has come to set the captives free and bring the prisoners out of darkness.

Through this internship I will be prayerfully considering full-time Cadence ministry. I am looking forward to witnessing the awesome works God will do in the lives of the military teens at Victory Ranch!

My internship cannot be done alone. I need prayer and financial partners. Would you partner with me in reaching the teens of Fort Jackson and Shaw Airforce Base with the gospel of Jesus Christ? I need to raise \$10,700 by **May 1** to participate in this unique ministry opportunity. This amount includes all my travel and ministry expenses, as well as a small salary. My goal is to raise \$5,350 (50%) **by April 1!** A response slip is attached to this letter, which you can use to let me know if you will join me in prayer and/or give financially. You can also give online at Cadence.org/Elder. If you have any questions, please contact me at 910.286.3314 or Elizabeth.Elder@Cadence.org. I look forward to walking this out together!

I will be sending out regular prayer requests and ministry updates through Facebook. If you would like to receive



these updates, you can sign up by scanning the QR code below or going to facebook.com/share/g/19ZPLkapN9/ and requesting to join The Beacon at Victory Ranch Facebook group. I would love to keep you informed on how my internship is going and how God is working in the lives of the teens He will bring!

The Beacon at Victory Ranch Facebook group

Thank you for your support and prayers!

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