



STATISTICS:

Children from fatherless homes are at a much greater risk of criminal and promiscuous behavior, substance abuse, poverty, poor performance in school, and suicide (Fathers.com).

When dads are involved in the lives of their children, the children's overall performances increase academically, socially, cognitively, and emotionally (Fatherhood.gov).

In 1960 there were approximately 300,000 single father households; today there are over 2.6 million (Pewsocialtrends.org).

Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord. -Eph 6:4
(NASB)

MISSION STATEMENT:

"Impacting the lives of children by encouraging and equipping single fathers to be intentional leaders in their own lives and in the lives of their children."

A Father's Walk was founded in April of 2008. What began as a local small group is quickly growing into a national presence.

AFW now serves single fathers across the nation by partnering with churches, through local and national events, printed and online resources, social media, and other avenues of leadership. Our vision is to see the Body of Christ come alongside this invaluable portion of our society and to help transform generations for God's glory by keeping single fathers involved in the lives of their children. Together, we can help rewrite the face of fatherhood in our world, one family at a time.

A Father's Walk is located in Grand Rapids, MI. For more information on local small groups or how to form a single dad ministry in your area, please call (616) 581-4409 or email afatherswalk@gmail.com.



The Daddy Gap takes a look at the distress so many fatherless families are in nowadays and addresses the question of this generation: "Who's going to take my dad's place?"

Matt Haviland is the founder and president of AFW and the coauthor of **The Daddy Gap**.

He is available for speaking engagements, seminars, workshops, interviews, and other types of events. For more information on availability or to purchase the book, please visit our website: www.afatherswalk.org.



"Single fathers should never think they are any less valuable or important in training up and discipling their children."

-Stephen Kendrick, The Kendrick Brothers, producers of Fireproof, Courageous, War Room

"Never has there been a greater need for single dads to step up to the plate and lead their children in the ways of God. Earthly fathers remain a critical part in a child's view of God and the development of spiritual and emotional wellness. Single father ministries provide the belonging and support needed to thrive as a dad."

-Pam Kanaly, author, national advocate for single mothers and co-founder of Arise Ministries

"A Fathers Walk ministry focuses on these dads that want to participate in their children's lives to make a difference. There are countless statistics for the need for a fatherly role model in today's families...Praise God for these men that choose to be godly men for their children."

-Darrel Billups, Th.D. NCMM, Executive Director, National Coalition of Ministries to Men

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