

# The Philanthropist I Know Personally and Admire the Most

The philanthropist I know personally and admire the most is Steve Caulkins. I think a philanthropist is someone who donates their time or things to organizations that benefit others. The real definition is a person who seeks to promote the wellbeing of others. Steve Caulkins is a great fit for both of those descriptions.

Steve donates his time to many organizations and groups like the Cloverdale Community Youth League. The league allows kids from all ages to play softball and baseball.

He was on the Cloverdale Community Youth League board and coached my team for five years. Even though his daughter was playing, he coached it because he wanted to help do something with the kids in our community. He not only taught us how to play softball, but he also taught us how to be a team, and win or lose at the end of the game we did our best. He not only volunteers at the Cloverdale Community Youth League he also volunteers for the Cloverdale Youth Football League. That is one reason I admire him for, he has fun while being involved with his community.

Steve also volunteers at the Cloverdale Fire Department. He is on the fire department knowing that he might have to get up in the middle of the night and put out a fire. He not only deals with fires, but he also puts his life in danger by helping with car accidents. I think that is just amazing that he can volunteer for these things and still have time for his family and his actual job that he gets paid for.

I just admire Steve so much because he can do all these things sacrificing his time and sometimes risking his life all just to help people. I think that it is just crazy because I don't think I would ever build up the confidence or the strength to risk my life or even take that much time out of my day to volunteer for all of that. That is why I admire him; he gives selflessly.