



Looking for a Home to Rent or Buy in the Quantico Area? Call Jackie, a USMC spouse for help.

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My husband and I moved to Stafford last summer from Camp Pendleton to Quantico. Up to this point we had always lived on base, but we chose to rent a house in town because we heard you could get more bang for your buck! We haven't regretted that decision one bit (and have now started the process to purchase the house we are renting). The area is saturated with military and government workers which can still give you that protective feel with your neighbors while being able to branch out to meet different types of people.

Our daughter, Brooke, is five years old and started Kindergarten at Anne Moncure Elementary. We had heard great things about the schools in Virginia and again, we have not been disappointed.

To be brief here are the highlights that I like about Stafford: Close to Quantico and my husband rarely commutes, schools are great for the kids, most areas are really nice, you are close to DC and can go up on the weekends to experience all of the free museums and exciting events going on, living in Stafford gives you more home for your dollar without feeling far away from anything.

Let me also put it this way- if I had to do it all over again I would absolutely live in Stafford. However, if I could afford to move close to DC and either find a quality school for my children or pay for private school than I would do that. But for most people, Stafford is a great choice.