

## POEM

# I Miss Camp

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Walking along, singing a song  
I miss camp.

In the sun, having fun  
I miss camp.

The woods are deep, such great sleep! Good friends are near, the time is dear.  
I miss camp.

Gather at night, the music is right  
I miss camp.

Meals together, in *any* weather  
I miss camp.

The night creatures sing, the class bell rings. You're on your own but never alone.  
I miss camp.

Hot and sticky, never *too* icky  
I miss camp.

Rain comes, too, mud in my shoe  
I miss camp.

We go for a swim, dive right in. Embrace the laughter; it's what we're after.  
I miss camp.

Chores to do, campfires, too  
I miss camp.

Dancing's great, stay up late  
I miss camp.

We gather round making sensational sound. Sweet sights and smells, time will tell.  
I miss camp.

Days roll by, say good-bye  
I miss camp.

Joyful daze, memory's haze  
I miss camp.

It's a special place. I know your face. In summer's glory, we shared a story.  
I missed camp.

*Dedicated to the 2020 camp season.*



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