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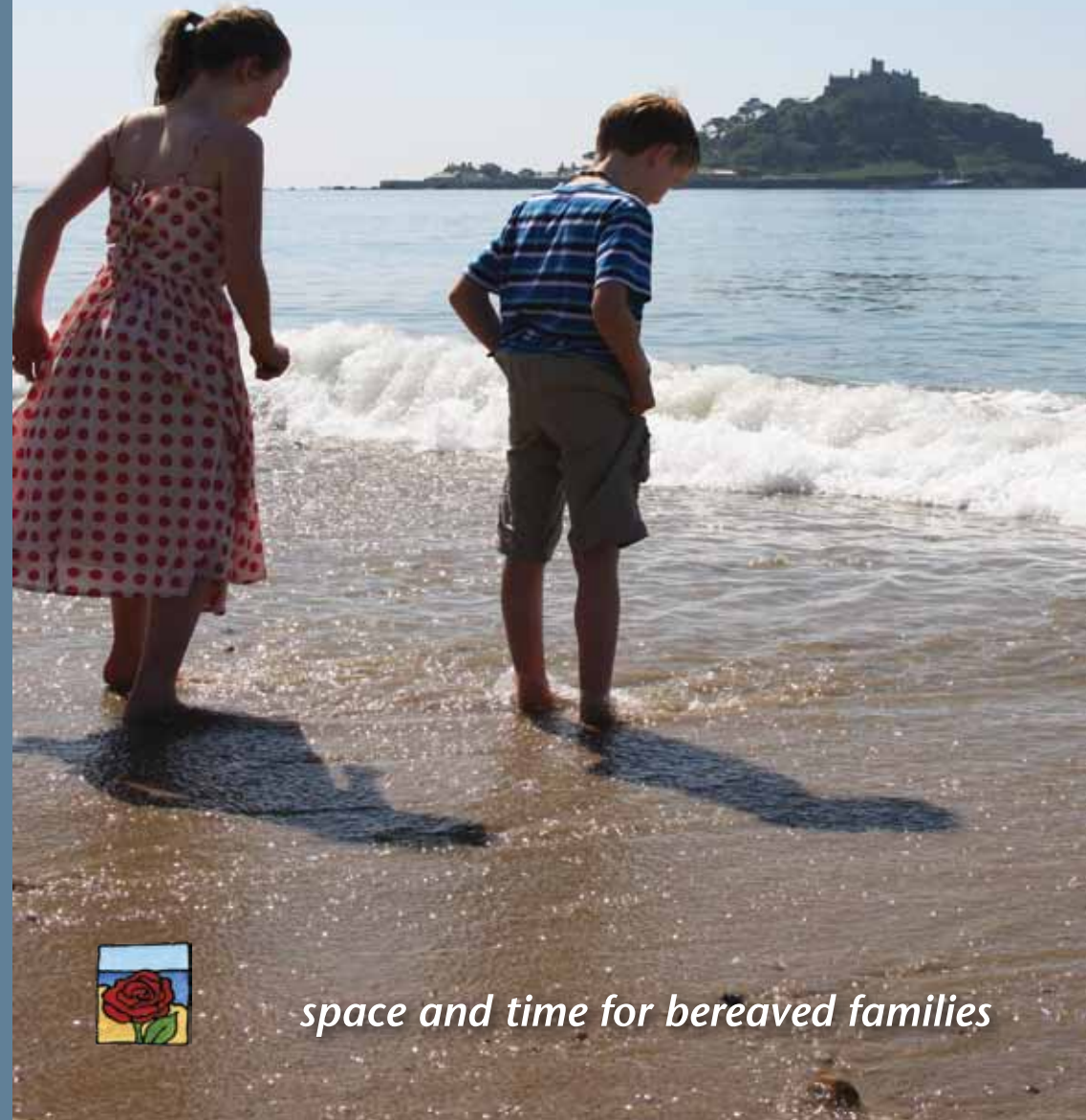
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About Sand Rose

Sand Rose provides free breaks to the bereaved, with particular emphasis on young families.

How painful it is when a child dies or for children to experience the loss of a parent. The family is changed forever. We aim to help such families adjust and become more able to cope with their loss.



Based in Cornwall, Sand Rose, as a national charity, extends to all local authority areas in England and Wales.

Our project base in Marazion, Cornwall, provides a special location needed by those suffering loss and grief.

What We Offer

We offer one or two week breaks in Cornwall. We can also offer short breaks if needed. Each of our 3 cottages sleeps 4 and larger families can use adjacent cottages.

Families can be referred by organizations or they can self-refer. Sand Rose works through a nomination process. All requests for a break must be supported by a nominee.

We usually book 3 – 6 months in advance. Subsidised travel costs are available upon request.

We offer a unique place for people to adjust and become more able to cope with their loss. Bereavement is isolating.

What we do not provide

- Counselling or therapeutic programmes
- One-to-one support
- Meals

We simply provide the venue, space and time for a break.

Experience shows that a break at Sand Rose provides that necessary stepping stone for people to move forward.

Our Cottages and Garden

Friendly, cosy and old, our three Cornish cottages provide flexible accommodation, support, privacy and security.

Fully equipped, furnished and maintained to a high standard they offer quality accommodation necessary to provide a 'home from home'.

The Cottages are set back in a quiet lane off the main street in Marazion. Quiet and totally private, yet close to amenities. Less than a five minute walk to shops, beach and the coast path.

Our garden is very special and much treasured by all who stay. Originally a walled garden it includes a variety of spaces: lawns, plentiful seating, patios, flowerbeds and fruit trees as well as games room, children's sculpture and garden room. Enclosed and calming with open views to the sea.