



## Free & Discounted Getaway Stays for Those in Ministry

This list is current as of March 31, 2021. All camps on this list are members of the Christian Camp and Conference Association (<https://cca.org>).

### TEXAS CAMPS

#### CAMP EAGLE

<https://campeagle.org/>

6424 Hackberry Road  
Rocksprings, Texas 78880  
130 miles NW of San Antonio  
160 miles SW of Austin

“We offer discounted stays for full-time ministry partners pending availability. We offer a 3-day retreat exclusively for ministry leaders with a ‘3-for-free’ discount. This means that the first three people, whether from the same family or church, attend the retreat for free. A few churches use this as a retreat for staff, and some pastors/leaders use this as a time to get away and refresh. This webpage has all the information and future dates for each of these retreats—<https://campeagle.org/retreats/ministers-escape/>.”

Carla Fiske, Retreats Registrar

#### FOREST GLEN CAMPS

<https://forestglen.org/>

Northshore + Lakeside  
34 Forest Glen  
Huntsville, Texas 77340-8996  
75 miles N of Houston

Springs  
557 County Road 331  
Rosebud, Texas 77340  
100 miles NE of Austin  
130 miles S of Dallas

“We have two locations; Huntsville, TX, north of Houston in the Sam Houston National Forest, and our central Texas campus south of Waco, TX. We are pleased to serve full time Christian workers on a no-cost basis, though most leave a small donation to help with utilities, etc. Individuals and families can be accommodated on a space available basis. If our dining hall is open, meals can be included, otherwise kitchen facilities may be available for self-prepared meals. Call 936 295-7641 for information and availability.”  
John Davidhizar

#### FRONTIER CAMP

<https://frontiercamp.org/>



131 Frontier Camp Road  
Grapeland, Texas 75844-9742  
140 miles SE of Dallas  
130 miles NW of Houston

“We have two facilities that we can offer to families in full-time ministry as a getaway free of charge, as long as it was in the middle of the week during the non-summer months. Each is equipped with a full kitchen, washer and dryer, and very comfortable accommodations:

1. Bethel Lodge: <https://frontiercamp.org/retreat-rentals/main-camp-facilities/#field>
2. Ft. Knox: <https://frontiercamp.org/fort-knox/>.<sup>1</sup> Matt Henderson

### **SABINE CREEK CAMP**

<https://sabinecreek.org/>  
576 Sabine Creek Road  
Royse City, TX 75189  
35 miles E of Dallas  
65 miles NE of Fort Worth

Space is available free of charge to EFCA TX-OK District ministry leaders and their families when there is availability.<sup>2</sup>

### **TWIN OAKS RANCH**

<https://twinoranch.com/>  
100 Marks Overlook  
Buda, TX 78610  
20 miles SW of Austin  
70 miles SW of San Antonio

Space is available free of charge to EFCA TX-OK District ministry leaders and their families when there is availability.<sup>3</sup>

### **HIGHLAND LAKES CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER (Baptist)**

<https://hlccc.org/>  
5902 Pace Bend Road N  
Spicewood, Texas 78669-1654  
35 miles W of Austin on Lake Travis

“We offer what we call pastoral stays, based upon our camp needs and availability. We offer two nights free of charge for you and your family. If we are serving meals in the Dining Hall, you are welcome to join us. We will need to know one week prior to your visit, so we can include you in our meal numbers. If you have any questions, want to

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check availability, or want to book a reservation, please contact the Camp Office at 512-264-1777 or [register@hlccc.org](mailto:register@hlccc.org).”

### **SKY RANCHES, INC.**

<https://skyranch.org/>  
24657 County Road 448  
Van, Texas 75790-4723  
80 miles E of Dallas

“Sky Ranch has four locations within the SKY brand: Texas, Oklahoma and two sites in Colorado. We are a venue site for group retreats and pastoral stays based on availability. Any of your ministry personnel who are seeking to experience the great outdoors can just go to our website to check out the options! There is not a structured discount amount that we give to ministry personnel, but we do consider case by case inquiries interested in staying at our different sites and see how we can come alongside these individuals. No question or request is too small to ask or for us to consider!” Whitney Baer

### **TEJAS CAMP AND RETREAT**

<https://mytejas.org/>  
1038 Private Road 2191  
Giddings, Texas 78942  
60 miles east of Austin, TX

“We offer \$70 per room per night private rooms for those in ministry, a 30% discount from the normal \$100. The only caveat is that the discount is available Sunday night thru Friday morning.”<sup>4</sup>

### **T BAR M CAMPS AND RETREATS**

<https://tbarm.org/>  
2549 Highway 46 W.  
New Braunfels, Texas 78132-4731  
60 miles SW of Austin  
35 miles NW of San Antonio

T Bar M provides, by faith, retreat facilities where pastors and their families can rest and enjoy the presence of God without having to worry about financial obligations. There is no set agenda, therefore, you can use your time for prayer, study, relaxation or play. The cost is free for Ministry workers. There is a two-night limit, based on availability. Reservations Required.<sup>5</sup>

### **TRINITY PINES CONFERENCE CENTER (Baptist)**

<http://trinitypines.org/>

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4341 FM 356  
Trinity, Texas 75862  
180 miles NW of Austin  
90 miles N of Houston

Outside of summer months, they offer 4 nights free/year in one of the cottages for full-time lead pastors, spouses, and their children. If meals are being served, they are able to enjoy free meals as well. Contact the office directly or fill out the retreat form link found at the bottom of the home page of their website.

## **AN INN & B&Bs IN TEXAS**

### **AZALEA PLANTATION B&B**

<http://azaleaplantation.com>

1400 Robinwood Drive  
Fort Worth, Texas 76111  
in the heart of Fort Worth

“We give a 10% discount to those in ministry.”<sup>6</sup>

### **BLUE HERON B&B**

<https://blueherongranbury.com/>

511 S. Baker St.  
Granbury, TX 76048  
40 miles SW of Ft. Worth  
On Lake Granbury

“It's just our heart to give back to pastors, and we are calling this ‘Be Still.’ We want them to take a moment in all the craziness life has brought and just reconnect with their spouse and with God. In this, we get to be spiritually fed, tithe back, and we ask pastors to advertise our stay. We offer a 95% discount for 1 night.”<sup>7</sup> Melissa Reitz

### **HAVEN RIVER INN**

<https://www.havenriverinn.com>

105 FM 473  
Comfort, Texas 78013  
50 miles northwest of San Antonio  
90 miles west of Austin

Previously through the Leadership Care Program, Lamb’s Tale Ministries has offered two complimentary nights a year to full-time Christian leaders and their spouses. Now, due to extra funding they are able to offer a third night of rest and relaxation at no charge. Fill out the request form on this webpage -

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<http://www.lambstale.org/leadership-care-program.html>. Once approved, Haven River Inn will contact you to schedule your stay.

## CAMPS IN OKLAHOMA

### **NEW LIFE RANCH**

<https://newliferanch.com/>

160 New Life Ranch Dr.  
Colcord, Oklahoma 74338-8100  
80 miles W of Tulsa

“We offer free stays for those in full-time ministry! Any available motel unit is offered at no charge for up to 3 nights if we are contacted in advance. Guests taking advantage of this option are also welcome to join us free of charge for any meals being served during their stay. This is separate from a church retreat and does not apply to a staff retreat. If you are a pastor or missionary interested in staying for a personal retreat, please fill out the form at the bottom of this webpage—<https://newliferanch.com/retreats>.”

Savannah Crittendon, Retreats and Reservations

### **SKY RANCH AT CAVE SPRINGS, INC.**

<http://www.skyranch.org>

7750 S. 655 Rd.  
Quapaw, Oklahoma 74363  
100 miles NW of Tulsa

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## **BONUS: COTTAGE IN CALIFORNIA**

### **THE HAVEN**

<http://www.cayucoschurch.org/the-haven/>

Cayucos Community Church has created The Haven, a ministry to bring rest and refreshment to vocational servants of God, and is available to EFCA pastoral families. The Haven is a fully furnished quaint beach cottage with two bedrooms, one bath, and a full kitchen one block away from the beach in Cayucos, California. One bedroom has a queen bed, the other room has a daybed with a trundle. The only charge is a non-refundable \$100



reservation/cleaning fee which must be submitted to confirm your reservation. Visit the website for further details.

## **BONUS: CAMPS IN COLORADO**

### **SKY RANCH AT HORN CREEK**

<http://www.skyranch.org>

6758 County Road 130

Westcliffe, CO 81252

90 miles SW of Colorado Springs

### **SKY RANCH AT UTE TRAIL**

<http://www.skyranch.org>

1329 State Highway 149

Powderhorn, CO 81243

210 miles SW of Colorado Springs

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