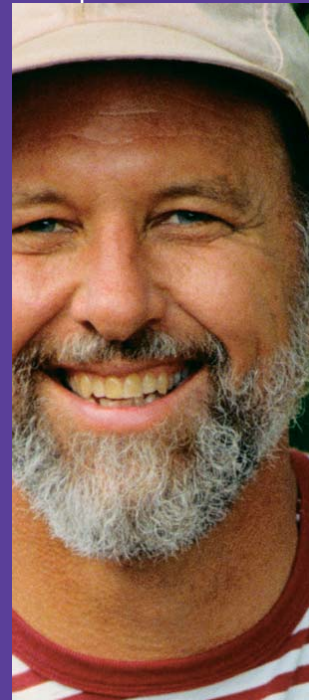




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A Christian Hospitality Exchange Network

Providing
*warm
hospitality,
exceptional
savings,
and
quality
accommodations*
for Christians
50 and older



“We just returned from a trip out west, and we were able to utilize several different Wayside hosts along the way. Not only did we save significant funds, but the fellowship was outstanding. We have made some Christian friends for life, and some wonderful prayer partners. Thank you for your fine organization.”

Wayside Travel Club, LLC provides a unique affordable way to travel and gives you a chance to meet fellow Christians along the way.

Do you have the gift of hospitality? Here's a great way to use it!



Here's How It Works

You may join Wayside as a Host or Guest Only member. When you join, you will receive a member card and a printed directory listing all the details of every member—including their occupations, interests and hobbies, and what church they attend. The host listings also give all the guest room, home and location details as well. All members of Wayside may stay in host member's homes. As of early 2004, Wayside has more than 800 host homes across North America.

Wayside members contact each other directly to make arrangements for a visit, and provide their hosts a lodging gratuity to help them cover the costs of entertaining.

Wayside Travel Club is a Christian club for those 50 and older. We ask our members to agree to our statement of faith, and we also require a church leader's reference in the application. All Wayside members are screened prior to entry into the directory.

Applications are accepted throughout the year, but will not be included in the printed directory. These listings will only be available to members on our members-only section of our website. The deadline to be included in the annual printed directory for the following year is October 1. Any applications received after that date will be included on the website only. Please allow 3-4 weeks for processing your application and delivery of your directory. Rush delivery is available for an extra fee.

Host Expectations

- Confirm whether or not you can host on date(s) requested by guests.
- If possible, provide about an hour upon your guests arrival to get acquainted, go over evening and breakfast plans, and help make your new friends comfortable. Some hosts may even agree to go to dinner or sightseeing with guests (Dutch Treat—each pay his own way).
- Provide a clean, comfortable sleeping room and bath. (We strongly suggest you "try out" your guest accommodations yourself to see if it really is comfortable!)
- Provide breakfast to your guests as agreed upon. Your directory listing will indicate what type of breakfast you want to provide.

Guest Expectations

- Call hosts as early as possible to request availability.
- Upon arrival, show your Wayside membership card and give your host the appropriate per night gratuity to help cover costs. (Please do not offer to increase the gratuity. Hosting is exercising the gift of hospitality, not a business. The gratuity is to help hosts cover the costs of entertaining.)
- Be thoughtful. Guests should be self-sufficient, reasonable, and considerate. Plan some outside activities during the day so your hosts can carry on with their normal activity.
- Limit your visit to no more than two nights. This program is designed as a "stop along the way"—not a longer "final destination" stay. We don't want to abuse our host's hospitality.

What Does it Cost?

	HOSTS	GUESTS ONLY
Annual membership dues*	\$45	\$65
Special ministry rate <i>(Full time or retired full time pastors and missionaries only please!)</i>	\$40	\$55
Lodging gratuities per night	\$15	SINGLE \$20
	\$20	COUPLE \$25
Each additional non-member	\$20	\$20

**Members who initially join during the year will pay the full year's dues. As all memberships are renewed at the end of the year, second year dues will be prorated to compensate for the first year's partial membership.*

Membership Application

Please complete the application and mail with payment to Wayside Travel Club, PO Box 6052, St. Charles, IL 60174-6052.

PART I: This section to be completed by all Wayside applicants

(Please print or write legibly!)

First person _____

Birth date: _____ / _____ / _____

Spouse name _____

Birth date: _____ / _____ / _____

Phone (_____) _____

Fax (_____) _____

Email address _____

Mailing address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____

Street address if you have a PO Box _____

Is this address valid all year? Yes No If not, list address, phone and applicable dates below. _____

Phone (_____) _____

Applicable dates: From _____ to _____

Is this the same every year? Yes No If no, please be responsible and advise us of any changes every year — particularly your address in December for directory mailing.

Occupations _____

Interests/Hobbies (besides travel—we know you like that!) _____

Name of church/location you attend _____

Church reference (pastor/small group leader—accessible by phone!) _____

Their daytime phone number (_____) _____

Statement of Faith/Disclaimer Conditions

As a Christian hospitality network for Christians 50 and older, we ask all members to affirm the following beliefs.

Statement of Faith — I/We are Christian and believe in one God—Father, Son and Holy Spirit—creator of heaven and earth. I/We believe Jesus Christ is God's one and only Son who was crucified and rose again. I/We believe in salvation by grace through faith alone in Jesus Christ and proclaim Him as my/our Lord and Savior. I/We believe the Bible to be God's Word and authoritative truth, and I/we strive to be obedient to God's Word. I/We believe the Church to be the Body of Christ, established for worship, witness and mutual edification.

Disclaimer Statement — I understand that the function of Wayside Travel Club, LLC (Wayside) is strictly limited to facilitating the formation and operation of a travelers' referral network for its members. I understand that Wayside cannot make any representations, warranties or guarantees as to the nature, extent, condition, habitability and availability of lodgings offered or furnished by members of Wayside nor can Wayside assume responsibility for the acts of omissions of Wayside members, their families and their guests. Therefore, I hereby agree to release and hold harmless Wayside from any claim or liability for damages arising from my membership and participation in Wayside. I agree that the information I have provided is truthful and accurate. Wayside reserves the right, at its sole discretion, as it deems in the best interests of the overall organization, to refuse or terminate without prior notice the membership of any member(s).

I certify that I am a Christian, aged 50 or older, and agree to the Statement of Faith and Disclaimer Statements above.

First applicant _____

Date _____

Spouse applicant _____

Date _____

How did you hear about Wayside? Website Significant Living

Friend TV Other _____

Wayside member _____

Membership Type (annual dues)

- \$45 Host/Guest (open my home to others)
- \$65 Guest Only (not hosting)

Special Ministry Rate (Full time or retired full time pastor/missionary only please)

- \$40 Host/Guest \$55 Guest Only

Rush Fee \$10

(via Priority Mail within 7 business days of receipt of application — continental US only)

TOTAL AMOUNT \$ _____

Payment

- Check (payable to Wayside Travel Club)
- Visa MasterCard Discover

Credit card number

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Exp. date □□-□□

Cardholder signature _____

You may apply online at www.gowayside.com

**HOST/
GUEST
MEMBERS
please
continue
part 2
on other
side of
application.**

PART 2: This section to be filled out by host/guest members

Closest major city _____

Distance in miles _____

Select the compass direction you live from that city:
 N S E W NE SE NW SW

Type of building: House Condo Townhouse
 Apartment Other: _____

Is your home mechanically air conditioned?
 Yes No A/C not necessary

Guest bedroom location: 1st floor 2nd floor
 Other: _____

Guest bed size: King Queen Double Twin(s)
 Other _____

Guest bath: Private Shared with Hosts

If 2nd guest room is available, please indicate:

Location: _____

Bed Size: _____

Bath: _____

Type of breakfast you will provide:
 Full breakfast Continental breakfast
 Flexible (whatever works best with guests)

Will you allow smoking in your home?
 Yes No Outside Only

Pets: Will you accept pets? No Yes

Do you have any pets? No Yes, type: _____

Will you accept multiple nights?
(We recommend 2 nights maximum and suggest hotels for longer stays)
 Yes No Possibly

Will you take short notice calls? (Around 48 hours notice)
 Yes No Possibly

Can you accommodate wheelchairs? Yes No

Would you be interested in occasionally joining your guests for Dutch-Treat dining? (each pays his own way) Yes No

Number of guests you can accommodate: _____

Is this home available year round? Yes No

If seasonal, list available dates: _____

Other comments: (list some area assets, locations to highways, opportunities, etc.) _____

Are you available to host in more than one location?
 No Yes—if so, please include above information on a separate sheet with the available dates, address and phone number.

Thank you for joining Wayside Travel Club!

Please allow 3-4 weeks for this application to be processed. Upon acceptance, you will receive the annual directory and membership card, and your listing will be included in the members-only website. New host members will also be included in a printed midyear update that will be mailed out to all Wayside members.

All members will pay the full annual dues upon joining Wayside. Their 2nd year renewal rates will be prorated to compensate for the first year's partial membership.

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“It has been a real joy to open our home and hearts to brothers and sisters in Christ. It is hard to say goodbye to them after having such a good time together and sharing our testimonies and life experiences.”



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