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The Way in the Manger

One of my favorite versions of the carol “Away in a Manger” is sung by Nat King Cole. Every time I hear this song I feel like I am brought right beside the manger.

Allow me to play on the words here - to separate “away” into “a way.” The baby lying humbly in the manger would lead the way to the Father and to eternal life. He is the way, the truth, and the life.

Jesus is the greatest gift we could ever receive. He is a gift of true love. His birth represents an invitation to all of us to become children of God and heirs to the Kingdom.

The invitation was manifested that night in the manger. Extend the invitation to those around you. It is the greatest and most important invitation they will ever receive or we will ever give.



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Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” ~ John 14:6



Merry Christmas

from

Becca, Cheryl, Cynthia, Debbie, Juanita,
Kenda, Raelyn, Renee, Rolando, and Ruby

DECEMBER INTEREST RATES

FIXED RATE

One Year Note	4.250%	(4.32% APY)
Three Year Note	4.150%	(4.22% APY)
Five Year Note	4.000%	(4.06% APY)
Jumbo Investment*	4.350%	(4.42% APY)

*\$100,000 minimum, 18 month term

FLOATING RATE

One Year Note	3.000%	(3.03% APY)
Three Year Note	3.250%	(3.29% APY)
Five Year Note	3.500%	(3.55% APY)
Flex Savings	1.000%	(1.00% APY)
Rainy Day Fund**	1.250%	(1.26% APY)

**Amounts over \$10,000 receive the Flex Savings rate

CONGREGATIONS

Savings	1.250%	(1.26% APY)
Building Fund	3.500%	(3.56% APY)

All individual Texas District CEF investments (FLEX, fixed and floating rate notes) may be included in a person's IRA portfolio, through our custodian GoldStar Trust Company. www.texascef.org/ira.html (1) Subject to penalty for early withdrawal. (2) Rates subject to change. Rates reviewed monthly. Texas District Church Extension Fund is a nonprofit religious organization; therefore, CEF investments are not SIPC or FDIC-insured bank deposit accounts. This does not constitute an offer to sell or a request to buy. The offer is made solely by CEF's Offering Circular.



Through investments from Texas District LCMS congregations and their members, Church Extension Fund will be the preferred financial resources partner for district ministries focused on multiplying followers of Jesus.

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