

*The Homestead at JBER*



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“Exalting Christ in the Nations through the transformed lives of Military Personnel”  
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## Our Story

Imagine that you have moved to a new town or even Country, with a new job and few friends. You have no family nearby. The holidays are coming, and you do not know where you will eat Thanksgiving dinner or spend Christmas Day. Enter Cadence International hospitality houses. They offer a Christ-centered “home away from home” for military people. Often these young men and women have never been this far from home and are having to learn to make it on their own. Cadence hospitality houses provide the godly community, friendship, and mentoring that every parent prays is available for their child after leaving the nest.

The Homestead provides this atmosphere for Airmen and Soldiers, within a large home with a heated barn, sitting on 2 1/2 Acres and located 20 minutes from Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson (JBER) in Anchorage, AK. It is ideal for reaching young military people. There are areas for sharing meals, large and small group Bible studies, childcare during meetings, spiritual mentoring, as well as life skill training including managing finances, vehicle maintenance, developing skills in construction and wood working and it is a great launching place for Alaskan adventures.

At the Homestead, an extended Christian family seeks to be a stabilizing presence in the lives of our precious service members and their families. The verse that best describes who we are and how we live is I Thessalonians 2:8, “Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well.”

**In November of 2018, a 7.1 earthquake** shook open a one-inch crack stretching from the barn across the entire backyard, exposing the reality of a significant danger to the stability of the foundation of the house and yard.

A Civil Engineer was hired who verified the damage and that the slope of unpacked fill dirt directly behind the house was too great. A Two-Phase Restructuring of the land was suggested that would protect the house and expand the yard to ensure years of viable and strategic ministry to JBER.

**Total cost of the project is approximately \$200,000.**

Would you invest your prayers and finances, to help us protect this property and continue to reach these young service members and their families with the good news of Christ?

To make a tax-deductible donation, go to [Cadence.org/HomesteadProject](http://Cadence.org/HomesteadProject).

Thank you for standing with us. In His Constant Loving Presence,

Bob Caudle

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*If I find in myself desires which nothing in this world can satisfy, the only logical explanation is that I was made for another world.*  
- C.S. Lewis