

Directions to Camp Tekakwitha VIA I-59 (from the North)

*** Please note: Except when an event or activity is in progress, the camp gates are kept locked and the property is posted “No Trespassing, No Fishing and No Hunting.” Please contact the Youth Office at the Diocese if you would like to arrange a visit.**

You should know that there is no cell phone service within the camp. And you should use insect repellent - the bugs are very active and we do have a chigger problem!

Take Springville Exit 154 from I-59 (there is a McDonalds at this exit)

Go past the McDonalds and continue through a four- way stop

---- You will travel a bit less than one mile before the turn onto Village Spring Rd

Turn **Left** onto Village Spring Rd (you will see a large church on the Right at this turn). Village Spring Rd becomes **Clayton Rd** when you enter Jefferson County.

Travel about 5 miles

Turn **Right** onto Zuber Rd. (This turn comes up rather quickly after a very large home on the right side and just before a small bridge). If you get to Lowe Rd. You have gone too far on Clayton Rd.

Travel about 1.7 miles (until Zuber Rd ends)

Turn Right onto Deer Haven Rd

Deer Haven Rd. dead ends at the camp gate. –

*** As you approach the camp you will see several “No Trespassing” signs. IF you are on Deer Haven Road and IF you have permission to be on the camp property or are attending a scheduled event – Come on in.**

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Using a GPS? The camp address is 8500 Deer Haven Rd, Springville AL 35146. However...

Mapping software is not always reliable when giving directions to the camp. Please ignore any directions that mention Canoe Creek Rd. The only way into camp is from the South by way of Deer Haven Rd.

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The address of the camp is 8500 Deer Haven Road, Springville AL 35146. However, if you plug this address into some GPS and mapping software it will suggest you come to the camp by way of Canoe Creek Road - **THIS WILL NOT WORK**. The only entrance to camp is by way of Deer Haven Rd, which dead ends at Camp. So, you will come in from the South on Deer Haven Rd.

I-59 Exit 143 is between Trussville and Springville

1. I-59 to DEERFOOT PKWY exit, EXIT 143
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2. Take the ramp toward CLAY. Turn West on Deerfoot Parkway toward Clay.
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3. Merge onto DEERFOOT PKWY. 2.0 mi
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4. Turn RIGHT onto TRUSSVILLE CLAY RD/CR-153. 1.4 mi
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5. Turn RIGHT onto OLD SPRINGVILLE RD/CR-30. Continue to follow OLD SPRINGVILLE RD. 2.1 mi
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6. Turn LEFT onto CLAYTON RD. (There is a very large rock house at this turn) 2.0 mi
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7. Turn LEFT onto ZUBER RD. 1.7 mi (This turn comes up right at the end of a small bridge – it’s easy to miss!)
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8. Turn RIGHT onto DEER HAVEN RD. 0.8 mi
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9. Deer Haven Rd dead ends at Camp Tekawitha.

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