

Old Songs Festival Lodging Opportunities • 2010

Here are some possible places to stay for those not camping on the Festival grounds or commuting from home. Many offer special festival rates as listed below. Be sure to mention the Old Songs Festival. Price estimates are subject to change; this listing is for your convenience. Old Songs does not endorse any of the lodgings included on this list.

BED & BREAKFAST

Altamont Old Stone House Inn, 1160 Berne-Altamont Rd., Altamont, NY 12009.

518/861-0200. 4 bedrooms w/ private bath, full breakfast, in-ground pool, veranda and porch. \$90 - \$150 per night. www.altamontinn.com

English Garden B & B, 205 Union St., Schenectady, NY 12305. 518/630-6760. The English Garden B & B is located in the heart of the Historic Stockade District. The Inn was built in 1775 and has four rooms available for lodging. Two rooms have porches overlooking the gardens. The room rate includes a full course breakfast. The rates have been discounted for Old Songs attendees ranging from \$110 to \$145. Please call Virginia Bohn for reservations and further explanation of the Bed and Breakfast. (10.5 miles from Altamont)

Mariaville Lake Bed & Breakfast. 176 Batter St, Mariaville Lake, NY. 518/864-5252. Five unique guest rooms, each filled with antiques; all with queen beds, private bath and lake view. The common rooms offer cable TV and wireless internet. Whenever possible, we purchase local or organic ingredients, and are always happy to accommodate a vegetarian lifestyle. www.mariavillelakebb.com (17.5 miles from Altamont)

Olde Judge Mansion B&B, 3300 Sixth Ave, Troy, NY. 518/274-5698. \$50 to \$90 w/ full breakfast, off street parking, TV, VCR, internet (wireless/cable) all included. Both private and shared baths. www.oldejudgetmansion.com (22.5 miles to Altamont)

The State House, historic brownstone rowhouse mansion. "Catering to the exclusive needs of discriminating guests." Downtown Albany: 393 State St, Albany, NY 12210, 888/427-6063; 518/427-6063. 16 private rooms. King or queen bed, private bathrooms, \$135 to \$224 per night. Mention the Old Songs Festival and you will receive a 10% discount off of regular rates; check their website for other possible specials. www.statehouse.com

MOTELS & HOTELS (WITHIN 10 MILES)

Best Western Sovereign Hotel, 1228 Western Ave, Albany, 518/489-2981 Cost @ \$87, 1 or 2 adults. Includes full hot breakfast, pool, sauna, cable. 1228 Grill restaurant on premises. Children under 17 stay free. Discounted breakfast for children. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special festival rate.*

Days Inn, 1230 Western Ave, Albany, 518/489-4423. 1 bed \$71.10, 2 beds \$80.10 (\$5.00 each person over 2 in double room). Room with 2 Queen beds \$89.10. Includes continental breakfast, free internet, exercise facility and HBO. *Mention Old Songs for these special rates.*

Holiday Inn Express, 1442 Western Ave, Albany, 518/438-0001 Cost @ \$112 per night w/hot breakfast. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special festival rate.*

Stardust Motor Inn, 2700 Curry Rd, Schenectady, 800/590-9088 Cost @ \$59/queen, \$69/double. + 10% discount for festival. *Mention Old Songs for this special festival rate.*

Super 8 Motel, 3083 Carman Rd (Rt 146), Schenectady, NY (off NY Thruway Exit 25), 800/624-8583, 518/355-2190. Cost @ \$81/1 or 2 people. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special festival rate.*

MOTELS & HOTELS (WITHIN 15 MILES)

Best Western Albany Airport Inn, 200 Wolf Rd, Albany NY, 518/458-1000. Cost per night @ \$75 to \$89. Indoor heated pool, complimentary full hot breakfast, on site restaurant and lounge, in-room microwave and refrigerator, complimentary airport shuttle, business center. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special festival rate.* www.bwalbanyairport.com

Clarion Hotel of Albany, 3 Watervliet Ave Ext, Albany NY, 518/438-8431. Cost @ \$79 for single or double. Conveniently located seconds off I-90 Exit 5. Includes deluxe hot breakfast, indoor heated pool, cable, wireless internet, fitness center, business center. Delta Blue Grill on premise. *Mention Old Songs for this special rate.* www.clarionhotelalbany.com

Cocca's Inn & Suites, 2 Wolf Rd, Albany, NY. 518/459-2240. Cost per night @ \$59.95 - \$79.95. www.coccas.com

Comfort Inn, 1606 Central Ave, Albany, 518/869-5327. Cost @ \$89.99 standard; \$109.99 suite (includes pull-out sofa bed, microwave). Deluxe continental breakfast, indoor pool. *Special festival rate; mention Old Songs. Book by June 15.*

Comfort Inn, Glenmont. 37 Route 9W, Glenmont NY. 518/465-8811. Cost @ \$79 for a double. Includes hot breakfast, fitness center, pool, whirlpool, wireless internet, and restaurant onsite. (30 minutes to Altamont; 0.25 mi from I-90, I-87, I-787). *Mention Old Songs for this rate.*

Cresthill Suites, 1415 Washington Ave, Albany NY, 518/454-0007. Cost @ \$109 for studio suite or 1 bedroom suite. Deluxe continental breakfast, apartment-style luxury suites w/ kitchen, living room, internet. *Mention Old Songs for this rate.*

Days Inn, 16 Wolf Road, Albany, 518/459-3600 Cost @ \$79 per night. Includes continental breakfast and free WI-Fi. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special festival rate.*

Travelodge Inn & Suites, 42 Wolf Rd, Albany NY, 518/459-5670 Cost per night @ \$59.95/single; \$89.95/double.

Howard Johnson, 1614 Central Ave, Albany, NY, 518/869-0281. Cost per night @ \$69 single or double. Free continental breakfast, outdoor pool, fitness center, free wi-fi; free local calls, free HBO w/ cable. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special rate.*

Marriott Courtyard Albany Airport, 168 Wolf Rd, Albany NY, 866/541-6400 or 518/482-8800. Indoor pool, fitness room, breakfast in restaurant, free Road Runner. See website for weekend rates: www.marriott.com/albca

Marriott Courtyard Albany Thruway, 1455 Washington Ave, Albany NY, 866/541-5900, 518/435-1600. Indoor pool, fitness room, breakfast in restaurant, free Road Runner. See website for weekend rates: www.marriott.com/albws

Motel 6, 1600 Central Ave, Albany NY, 518/456-8982. Cost per night from \$59.99 and up for single or double. *Mention the Old Songs Festival for this special festival rate.*

Quality Inn Albany Airport, 1632 Central Ave, Albany NY, 518/456-8811 Cost per night @ \$68. Pool, Jacuzzi, fitness room, spa, high speed wireless internet in rooms, free breakfast. *Mention Old Songs for this special festival rate.* www.qualityinn.com/hotel/ny120

Red Carpet Inn & Suites, 1385 Washington Ave, Albany NY, Reservations: 518/459-3100 800/251-1962. Cost @ \$45.95/1 person, \$54.95/2 people per night. (last year's rate; may not be valid for 2010; check with Inn)

Super 8 Motel, 1579 Central Ave., Albany, 800-800-8000, 518-869-8471. Cost per night @ \$55/2 people and 1 bed. \$60 2 people, 2 beds. *Mention Old Songs for this special rate.*

MOTELS & HOTELS (WITHIN 20 MILES)

Cocca's Inn & Suites, Route 9, Latham, NY. 518/785-0776. Cost per night @ \$59.95 - \$69.95 www.coccas.com

LaQuinta Inn & Suites, 833 New Loudon Rd, Latham, NY. 518/640-2200. Cost per night @ \$105 - \$129 www.lq.com

Travelodge Inn & Suites, 831 New Loudon Rd, Latham, NY. 518/785-6626. Cost per night @ \$69.95 - \$79.95 www.travelodge.com

CAMPING (other than on the festival grounds)

Thompsons Lake State Park – East Berne NY. The only local public campground (6.5 miles away) off Route 157 outside Altamont. 140 sites. Reserve through Reserve America: 800/456-2267. Local #: 518/872-1674. Reserve at least 7 days in advance but earlier is recommended (4th of July is near). Pets allowed with 6-foot leash and proof of rabies inoculation. 2 vehicles allowed per site (fee for guests and additional vehicles). \$19 per night for tent or trailer; includes \$9.00 non-refundable reservation fee. www.reserveamerica.com

PET LODGING

Altamont Country Kennels. 220 Brandle Rd, Altamont NY 518/861-8391. www.altamontkennels.com

Pinebush Kennels. 274 New Karner Rd, Albany NY. 518/456-0700. www.pinebushkennels.com