



RA Leaders Honored

Celebrating the Lasting Influence of Royal Ambassadors

TEXAS BAPTIST MEN LEGION OF HONOR AWARD

Two of our UBA long-time RA leaders have been selected to receive the Texas Baptist Men (TBM) Legion of Honor.

Raymond Cardenas, a member of First Baptist Church of South Houston, has served Royal Ambassadors for 21 years at the local church, UBA, and state levels. His influence has been multiplied as one of his past RAs now also serves as an RA leader in his local church and on the Associational Ra/Challenger Committee.

The second honoree, **Anderson Evans**, a member of Bethany Baptist Church, has served for almost that long. Evans has logged 20 years of service in RA/Challenger leadership positions, also at the local, associational, and national levels.

The Legion of Honor Award is the highest recognition given to an RA leader by Texas Baptist Men. Those selected to receive it have demonstrated an extraordinary dedication to the task of bringing boys and young men to Christ. They have committed themselves to assisting those under their leadership to develop personally and spiritually through involvement in missions education and mission action programs.

Congratulations to **Raymond Cardenas** and **Anderson Evans** for their dedication to the spiritual development of our boys and young men. They will receive their awards at the State RA/Challenger Congress in April.

ARCHERY INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION

Congratulations are also in order for **John Clayton**, a member of Houston's First Baptist Church, who has recently been certified by the National Archery Association as a Level 1 Archery Instructor. Clayton has been an Ra/Challenger leader for many years at both his local church and the associational level. Beyond serving on the UBA RA/Challenger Committee, Clayton is the Director of the RA Summer Camp at Trinity Pines.

A list of those who have been honored with the Legion of Honor Award can be found at the link below:

<http://www.texasbaptistmen.org/DNN/Ministries/RoyalAmbassadors/LegionofHonor/AwardRecipients/tabid/374/Default.aspx>