

SUGGESTIONS FOR CORD CUTTERS FROM GUTHRIE CENTER COMMUNICATIONS ON Streaming Services with Live TV

Are you planning to “cut the cord” from cable or satellite TV and switch to streaming over your internet connection? Guthrie Center Communications wants to simplify your search for the right streaming service for you that still enables you to watch your favorite LIVE TV networks. These **GOOD**, **BETTER**, **BEST** suggestions are based on our personal experiences as well as hundreds of online reviews.

GOOD: sling TELEVISION

Starting at \$20/month

Sling TV has three package levels—Sling Orange, Sling Blue, and Sling Orange & Blue. Sling Orange and Sling Blue are \$30/month after a one-month promo package.

Pros

- Cheap option to replace cable TV
- No contracts and easy online cancellation

Cons

- Sling TV encourages you to use an antenna for local channels.



BETTER: hulu

Live TV Package starting at \$54.99/month

Hulu Live comes with over 50 channels including local news channels and limited DVR.

Pros

- 50 hours of DVR recording
- Ad-free option for a price (Applies only to shows that are not live.)
- Good mix of sports, news, and entertainment networks plus local channels
- Hulu's on-demand library is included.
- No contract

Cons

- Interface isn't the easiest to use.
- Must upgrade DVR to fast forward through commercials.
- Two simultaneous streams
- Extra features such as enhanced cloud DVR, unlimited screens, premium networks, and network add-ons will cost you an additional fee on top of your monthly subscription.

BEST:

YouTubeTV

\$49.99/month

YouTube TV comes with over 60 channels and unlimited DVR.

Pros

- No hidden fees
- Great quality video
- Easy interface to use
- Unlimited DVR
- Always adding more channels
- 70+ channels including local news and sports
- Great on-demand platform
- Up to six accounts (Each family member can have their own login.)
- Watch everything you love while traveling.
- No contracts

Cons

- Three simultaneous streams
- Recent price increase

To enjoy the best experience while streaming, you may need more bandwidth. Call us at (641) 332-2000 or visit www.guthriecentercom.com.