



THE BASILICA OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

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Certificate of Sponsorship for Baptism/Confirmation

I acknowledge that to serve as a sponsor I must meet the following criteria:

I am a registered, active parishioner of the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of
at least three months. Yes___ No___

I am a Catholic who has been confirmed and who is currently receiving the
Sacrament of the Eucharist. Yes___ No___

I am at least sixteen years of age. (An exception may be made by the pastor
for just cause.) Yes___ No___

I will undertake the ministry of a sponsor and promise to lead a life of faith
in harmony with that ministry. Yes___ No___

I affirm that I am not the parent of the child to be baptized or confirmed. Yes___ No___

If married, I was married in accordance with the requirements of the
Roman Catholic Church? Yes___ No___

If therefore, you seek to be admitted as a sponsor and are convinced that you qualify in accord with the conditions listed above, kindly make the following solemn affirmation:

I, (print full name) _____, a practicing Catholic who seeks to be admitted as a sponsor, solemnly affirm that I fulfill the requirements of the Catholic Church for this role as presented above. I intend, with the grace of God, to continue the practice of my Catholic faith and I will, to the best of my ability, carry out the obligations of my role as sponsor.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name of candidate for Baptism or Confirmation: _____

Date of Baptism/Confirmation: _____

Name of church where the Baptism/Confirmation will take place: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

(Office Use)

I hereby testify that _____ is a registered member of the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and has permission to serve as sponsor for Baptism/Confirmation outside of this parish if he/she fulfills the requirements of your parish.

Signature of Parish Priest/Deacon _____

Date _____

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