

Hesychia School of Spiritual Direction

Redemptorist Renewal Center At Picture Rocks

RECOMMENDATION FORM (Applicant: Please complete top portion.)

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____
Street/Apt. # _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Dear Friend,

You have been asked to respond to the following recommendation format for the above person who is applying for admission into the Spiritual Directors Training program at Redemptorist Retreat & Renewal Center at Picture Rocks. This form has been prepared to assist you in writing your recommendation. Thank you for your interest in the applicant and for your support of spiritual direction formation. **YOUR RESPONSE WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.**

In what way are you acquainted with the applicant?

What is your personal appraisal of the applicant's gifts, calling, and actual works as a spiritual guide for others? (Please note that "spiritual guide" implies attending specifically to people's prayer life, communion with life, felt relationship with God spiritual experiences, and the like.)

Can you relate any comments from other people regarding the applicant's gifts and abilities as a spiritual guide?

What is your appraisal of the applicant's personal spiritual maturity and practice?

What is your opinion of the applicant's psychological maturity and stability?

Would you have any hesitation in referring someone to the applicant for spiritual guidance? Please comment.

Please mention at least one area of the applicant's life or work which you feel is in need of growth.

Additional Comments (please use extra page if necessary):

Name (Printed): _____ Date _____
Address _____
 Street/Apt. # City State Zip
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____
Signature _____

Please send completed form to Teresa Blythe at teresa@teresablythe.net

Or by mail to:
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