

EAST OHIO EMMANUEL EMMAUS SPONSOR INFORMATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT AND FILL OUT COMPLETELY

Candidate Name: _____ Phone/Cell number: () _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Why do you feel this person would be a good candidate?

SPONSOR'S Information - PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____ Phone/Cell number: () _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State/Zip: _____

*****. Please provide a current email address so an acceptance/sponsor letter can be sent promptly. Also, The EOOE Newsletter is now published online

Email Address: _____

Attending church regularly? YES/NO Name of Church _____

Are you in a Reunion Group? ()YES/()NO Do you attend Gatherings regularly? ()YES/()NO

I made _____ Walk# _____ and sat at the table of _____

If candidate's spouse attended prior to this application: Emmaus Walk# _____ Location: _____

Does the Candidate have any physical/mental/emotional problems or concerns, which should be brought to the Lay Leader and/or Spiritual Directors attention? () No () Yes

If yes, please explain:

SPONSOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ~Pray, pray, pray. Talk to the candidate and spouse together to introduce them to the weekend and to encourage that married persons attend and submit the application at the SAME time.
- ~Explain transportation, cost, meals, lodging, supplies, bedding, clothing, book table. Please specify NO cameras, timepieces or cellphones.
- ~Explain Group Reunion and Gatherings to candidate(s).
- ~Assist the candidate in getting to and from the weekend.
- ~Be in contact with the Candidate's family during the weekend. Help where needed.
- ~Attend Sponsor's activities - Sponsor Hour (after Thursday evening meal), Candlelight (Saturday night) and Closing ONLY! If you cannot attend, please arrange for a substitute.
- ~Have minimal contact with your Candidate during the weekend. The spouse of the candidate (who has walked) should ONLY ATTEND candlelight and closing and should not serve meals during this weekend. CHILDREN are NOT to attend.
- ~Pray and sacrifice for your Candidate.
- ~Help your candidate find and attend Group Reunions and Gatherings for at least six months after his/her weekend.
- ~NOTICE: Collect and drop off agape. Agape from family, relatives and close friends must be marked PERSONAL on the envelope along with the pilgrim's name. It is important to keep it separate from the general agape.

How long have you personally known this candidate? _____ I understand that the Upper Room and the EOOE Board strongly encourages spouses to attend during the same walk season. I have approached both husband and wife about attending and understanding the Walk to Emmaus. If spouse is not attending, please explain:

When sponsoring a candidate, remember that the Walk to Emmaus is NOT a means purposely set to correct one's character, morals, emotions or an unstable marriage or situation. The Walk is a method of giving those who attend a personal encounter with Christ, to fulfill the design of "Christian leaders" in their church, and to help strengthen their church through their leadership. The Walk gives the candidate the tools to bring Christ into his/her own church, life and environment and to share with everyone around him/her. Sponsor signature represents your understanding of the sponsor's responsibilities and your commitment to support the candidate as outlined on the Sponsor's Information Sheet.

Sponsor's signature: _____ Date: _____

Please indicate who will pay the \$215.00 for the weekend and how much they will be paying or have paid.

The full amount is due two weeks before the Walk.

\$ _____ Pilgrim \$ _____ Sponsor \$ _____ Other: (explain) _____

Mail Candidate's Application, Sponsor Sheet & Deposit to: PREWALK COMMITTEE- see newsletter for address

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