



# SPONSOR CERTIFICATE FOR CONFIRMATION

**Due Oct 12, 2019**

Name of Person to be Confirmed: \_\_\_\_\_

## Requirements and Affirmation of the Sponsor

**From the Code of Canon Law:** A Sponsor for the Sacrament of Baptism or Confirmation must be a Catholic of at least 16 years of age who has received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. They must be free from canonical penalty and must lead a life in harmony with the faith in keeping with the function to be undertaken. (Canons # 874 & 893)

### INFORMATION ABOUT THE SPONSOR

Full Name of Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*In accord with Canon 874 of the Code of Canon Law, the prospective sponsor must meet **all 5** of the following qualifications. Please read and initial the following affirmations if they are true and sign.*

\_\_\_\_\_ I am at least 16 years of age, and I am not the parent of the person receiving the sacrament.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have received all three sacraments of initiation: Baptism\_\_\_\_\_ Confirmation\_\_\_\_\_ and Eucharist\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ I participate in Sunday Mass regularly.

\_\_\_\_\_ My marriage was witnessed in the Catholic Church by a priest or deacon. **OR** \_\_\_\_\_ I am not married.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a parishioner of (name of church) \_\_\_\_\_ since (date) \_\_\_\_\_.

**I affirm that I meet all the requirements listed above to act as a sponsor. I intend to continue the practice of my Catholic Faith, and will, to the best of my ability, carry out the obligations of my role as sponsor.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Sponsor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### CERTIFICATION OF SPONSOR'S PARISH

*~ Must be signed by the pastor of the **sponsor's** parish ~*

**To the best of my knowledge, this person is qualified to act as sponsor for the sacrament Confirmation.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Pastor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

PARISH

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Pastor

SEAL

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Name of Church, City, State

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