



BAPTISMAL GODPARENT



SECTION A

One form per couple or one per individual

Your Name/s (print) _____ Phone _____

Name of your church: _____ City/ST of church _____

I/We understand and accept the responsibilities of a Godparent for:

(Name of child being baptized)

and promise to faithfully assist in his or her efforts to live a Catholic life that reflects the teachings of the Catholic Church.
I/We promise to encourage this Godchild through prayer and example.

(Signature/s of Godparent/s)

SECTION B

I/We understand that in order to serve as a Catholic Godparent for the Sacrament of Baptism, I/We must meet the following requirements established by Canon Law §874:

Please confirm each requirement with your initials.

At least 16 years of age.

Received the Sacraments of: Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation.

Active in the practice of the faith and receive the sacraments regularly.

Married in the Catholic Church by a priest. **OR...**

Single and NOT in a civil union or living with a boyfriend or girlfriend.

SECTION C THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPETED BY YOUR PRIEST

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that this person/couple is eligible to assume the responsibility of a Godparent.

(Date)

(Signature of Parish Priest)

Parish Name _____

Parish Address _____

Affix Parish Seal here