



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church

1811 Pueblo Vista Dr., Las Vegas, Nevada 89128

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Requirements for the Role of a Sponsor for Confirmation

Name of youth to be confirmed (print): _____

Name of sponsor (print): _____

Youth are encouraged to choose a sponsor among family and friends qualified to serve in that capacity. The sponsor not only serves as a witness at the ceremony of initiation but also assist the child in leading a Christian life. Therefore, Church law requires that sponsors be people who are living the Catholic faith and meet the following qualifications (Canons 872-874):

*Please
Initial Each*

_____ I am at least 16 years of age.

_____ I am a practicing Catholic who has received the three Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Holy Communion and Confirmation.

_____ As a practicing Catholic, I attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation at my home parish of _____ in _____
(City/State/Country)

_____ If I am married, my current marriage is a valid Catholic marriage. I was married in _____ at _____
(City/State/Country) (Name of Parish)

_____ I am not cohabitating, which is living together without marriage.

_____ I am not a parent of the child to be initiated.

_____ I promise that I intend to assist the parents of the child in their duty as Christian parents by being a witness to the Catholic faith and by helping the child lead a Christian life.

I hereby declare that I am a registered member of the Catholic parish named below and that I meet the above qualifications to be a sponsor for the child named above.

Prospective sponsor's signature: _____ Date: _____

I am a registered member of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church, Las Vegas, NV. Parish envelope number _____

I am a member of another Parish. **(The form below is to be completed by that parish.)**

I certify that (print) _____ is a registered member of our parish, is a practicing Catholic, and is qualified to serve as a sponsor for the sacrament of Christian Initiation.

Signature of Pastor/Delegate: _____ **Date:** _____

Parish Name: _____

Parish Seal

City: _____ **State:** _____



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Choosing a sponsor is important as this sponsor's role is to continue to guide and form the confirmandi's faith.

In the second year of Confirmation, sponsors will be notified and asked to take up their role and actively participation within the Confirmation Program. In order to keep them up-to-date and informed please provide us with their contact information.

Name: _____

Residential City and State: _____

Contact Email: _____