

Our Lady of Guadalupe Abbey

Pecos, New Mexico USA



Pecos Benedictine School of Spiritual Direction

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RECOMMENDATION FORM

(Applicant: Please complete top portion.)

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ City State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell 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 Pecos Benedictine Monastery. 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 and his or her ministry?

What is your personal appraisal of the applicant's gifts, calling, and actual works as a spiritual director for others? (Please note that "spiritual director" 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 director?

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 direction? 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):

Print Your Name _____ Date _____ Address _____
City State Zip _____ Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell # _____

Signature: _____

Completed Recommendation forms are to be sent to:

Pecos Benedictine School of Spiritual Direction

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