

Faith Calls: Theological Programs for Young People
A program of Southern Methodist University-Perkins School of Theology



Recommendation Form

Student's Name _____

Recommender's Name: _____

Recommender's Phone/Email: _____

TO THE RECOMMENDER:

1. Review the program with the applicant and confirm his/her commitment to participating if accepted into the program.
2. Do not leave any questions blank. You may attach additional sheets if necessary.
3. If you choose to write a recommendation letter, please address all the questions below.
4. Directly mail the recommendation form and/or letter in a sealed envelope to the Faith Calls program office.

Please print or type legibly.

1. How long and under what circumstances have you known the applicant?

2. Describe, as you are aware, the applicant's involvement in church and community activities.

3. Please comment on the applicant's intelligence and academic ability, including creativity, independence of thought, and the ability to communicate ideas.

4. What information can you give about the applicant's home conditions and family background that bears upon her/his suitability for admission?

5. Describe the applicant's usual way of relating to others (peers and adults), reaction to stress, and typical means of resolving conflict.

6. Please comment briefly on the applicant's:

Imagination:

Independence:

Emotional stability:

Acceptance of responsibility:

Persistence:

Tolerance of others:

Awareness/concern regarding social issues:

7. Overall, how would you evaluate this applicant's potential to contribute to and benefit from the *Faith Calls* program?

Return this form to:
Southern Methodist University
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