



Birmingham Tres Días

Sponsorship Form

Must accompany Candidate Applications

Dear Sponsor,

Sponsorship must be viewed as a total commitment, not just a partial act of selection. Sponsorship means to help someone become more of a leader for Christ through the Tres Dias experience. As a Sponsor, consider the following:

1. Realize Tres Dias is not for everyone.
2. When offering Tres Dias to someone, I must be willing to make a significant commitment to that person.
3. Do I know the person or do I just know about the person?
4. Have I prayed for guidance and sought counsel with other experienced Pescadores? Is this the right time for the Candidate?
5. How do I feel regarding sponsorship of this person's spouse? ***Birmingham Tres Dias strongly recommends married couples to attend jointly.*** Married couples applying together are given preference. Married couples should apply on the same application form.

If you sponsor a Candidate, please make sure you inform your Candidate:

1. It is a cloistered weekend. This is a weekend for **Christian** Candidates to deepen their personal relationship with Jesus. One way we accomplish this is by removing outside distractions.
2. Inform your Candidate that there will be a period of silence at bedtime Thursday night that will only last until after Friday morning's chapel. This helps with the transition into the weekend.
3. Discuss the **NO** cell phones or pagers request as they would interrupt the talks, singing and personal fellowship. Their loved ones will be supplied with an emergency number.
4. Discuss the expense of the weekend which is now \$120.00 per person. If there are financial difficulties, find out what they could afford to pay. Each Candidate's fee should be collected in full prior to the weekend. This is your responsibility as Sponsor. Checks should be made out to BTD and sent to the Pre-Weekend Couple with the application.

Weekend Support includes providing transportation, praying for the weekend, providing a general palanca letter to the weekend, in addition to a personal palanca letter to your Candidate(s), offering to help the Candidate's family, providing baby-sitting for children if needed, attending the opening and closing, or meeting any other needs that would be helpful.

Fourth Day Support is your commitment to help the new Pescadore live the Fourth Day as it is presented on the weekend, by encouraging the new Pescadore to join or form a Reunion Group and to attend Secuelas. In general, the Sponsor should be responsive to the needs of the new Pescadore until he or she is established in the Fourth Day.

I have read the above and agree to support my Candidate on the weekend and during the Fourth Day.

YOUR SIGNATURE: _____

YOUR NAME: _____ TELEPHONE _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY _____

STATE/ZIP _____ YOUR CHURCH _____

WHEN AND WHERE DID YOU ATTEND TRES DIAS? _____

(Please fill out Page 2 of this form)

Today's Date: _____

Candidate's Name: _____

Why do you think the Candidate should attend a Tres Dias Weekend?

How long have you known and how well do you know your Candidate?

How would you describe your Candidate? (outgoing, quiet, leader, follower etc.)

Other information which might be helpful to better support your Candidate on the Weekend?

Are you active in Fourth Day Activities? (please circle) Reunion Group Secuelas Other (specify) _____

If not in a Reunion Group, would you be willing to join or to start one? YES NO

Would you like to be contacted concerning Reunion Groups? YES NO

Please read the sponsorship responsibilities as outlined on the reverse side of this form under Weekend Support and Fourth Day Support and indicate who will provide the following:

- Transportation and attendance at: Send-off _____
Closing _____
- Prayer Support _____
- General Palanca _____
- Personal Palanca _____
- Attending Opening/Closing _____
- Assisting Candidate's Family _____
- Finding a Reunion Group _____

Please send Candidate Application Form, this completed Sponsorship Form and \$25 deposit for each applicant to: and Margaret Ramsey
Pre-Weekend Couple
6204 Chappelle Lane
Montgomery, AL 36117

Birmingham Tres Dias Candidate Application Please print clearly

Date: _____

Pastor/Associate Pastor Yes No Full-time Vocational Minister Yes No

Last Name _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ - _____

Telephone (Home) (____) _____ - _____ Church You Attend _____

Married Yes No If married, has spouse been to a Tres Dias/Emmaus/Cursillo weekend? Yes No

Note: Husband and wife please use the same application form

Male Applicant

Female Applicant

First Name		
Preferred Badge Name (If different)		
Cell Phone	() -	() -
Work Phone	() -	() -
Email		
Date of Birth	/ /	/ /
Medical Restrictions		
Dietary Restrictions		

There is a \$120 fee for the Weekend. A \$25 deposit per person is required with application. Please make checks payable to Birmingham Tres Dias (BTD).

I have, and do hereby, release Birmingham Tres Dias, its directors, and/or agents from all liability associated with participating in Birmingham Tres Dias.

Male Applicant Signature

Female Applicant Signature

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Please return this form to your sponsor:

Sponsor's Name _____

Phone Number (____) _____ - _____ Cell Phone Number (____) _____ - _____

Sponsor: **You must include completed Sponsorship Form with this application**