

Date: _____

Dear _____,

_____ & _____ plan to attend a Walk to Emmaus on Men's Walk (date) _____ and (Women's Walk) (date) _____. The Walk to Emmaus is a weekend of spiritual renewal that offers many beautiful gifts and surprises to participants. One surprise is the mail that persons attending receive from their loved ones.

As their sponsor, I am contacting family members and close friends and asking each to write a note or letter to each of them with whom you have had a connection that will be given to him/her during this special weekend.

This letter gives you an opportunity to express your appreciation for them and to say something about the meaning of your relationship with him/her. You might want to recall some humorous event or some experience the two of you have shared. This is a letter of love and will be read only by the person to whom it is intended.

Please help make their Walk to Emmaus special by doing the following:

1. Write a letter (only – no gifts) to each pilgrim you wish to and sign it.
2. Put it into a envelope seal it.
3. Print their full name (but not yours) on the envelope.
4. Put "Spouse", "Pastor", "Friend", "Family", "Child" or "Sponsor" in the right hand corner to signify who you are.
5. Put the envelope in a larger envelope and mail it to me by _____ so I can get it to the proper place on time.

This letter should be a complete surprise to them so please do not mention it until the Emmaus weekend has ended.

Occasionally sponsors have to do a little detective work to get names and addresses of persons from whom we need help. Please let me know address of anyone you know that they would like to hear from.

I hope you'll help by providing a letter. It will be greatly appreciated. If you have an questions, please call me. Thank you.

(Name)

(Address)

(Phone)

(Email)