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Worthy Regent,

Attached are the Circle of Love reporting forms for a local territorial court. Each report form contains the name and address of the National Chairman to whom it should be sent upon completion.

One of our goals is to increase the number of courts reporting their Circle of Love accomplishments in every area of the Circle of Love. The purpose of collecting this data is to share the best projects with Catholic Daughters in other states and to recognize outstanding projects going on in our Order. As was done for the last two National Conventions, a booklet will be produced containing descriptions of the top projects submitted in each area of the Circle of Love. It is our belief that the booklet is a useful tool for sharing new ideas. It not only contains a description of each project but also the name and location of the court that is using the project. This allows an interested court to contact the original court for more details or suggestions on the best way to implement the program in their court. This booklet will be distributed at the national convention and will be posted on the national website, www.catholicdaughters.org, shortly after the close of the national convention. Please encourage all local courts to share their most successful projects.

Attached you will find copies of the revised and updated forms to be used this year to report your wonderful projects and activities. The local territorial court form is for a two-year period, March 1, 2010 – February 29, 2012.

Thank you for promoting the Circle of Love programs in your local court. I hope and pray you will send a report for every area of the Circle of Love. God bless you for all that you do for The Catholic Daughters of the Americas.

"With God, All Things Are Possible." ~ Mathew 19:26

In Unity and Charity,

Joanne Tomassi, National Regent



**Territorial Court to National Chairman
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
LEADERSHIP
Circle of Love Reporting Form
March 1, 2010 – February 29, 2012**

Court Name _____ Number _____

Regent _____ Local Chairman _____

Number of Members _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Territorial Court Chairman: Please fill out this form (Print/Type), send one copy to your National Representative and mail the original to:

National Chairman: Helene Shepard 845-496-9213
P O Box 455
Washingtonville, NY 10992
misshelene2000@yahoo.com

1. Describe how your court has demonstrated leadership in your parish and community, especially with the increased need of participation from the laity.
2. Describe any outreach activities in which your court is involved.
3. Describe the impact of your outreach activities for the court, parish and civic community.
4. Does your local library have a copy of the *History of the Catholic Daughters*? (Have you considered donating one?)

Please use the back of this page or additional sheets if necessary. Thank you for completing this report. We suggest that you keep a copy to pass on to the next chairman.



**Territorial Court to National Chairman
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
NATIONAL PROJECTS
Circle of Love Reporting Form
March 1, 2010 – February 29, 2012**

Court Name _____ Number _____

Regent _____ Local Chairman _____

Number of Members _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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National Chairman: Helene Shepard 845-496-9213
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1. Does your court give the minimum suggested amount of \$20.00 for each of the five national projects every year? Indicate if more is given and for which project.
2. In addition to your financial gift how have you supported any of the following **projects**? Habitat for Humanity, SOAR, Holy Cross Family Ministries, Smile Train, Disaster Relief. What form did the support take?
3. Describe which of the **projects** has special meaning for your court and why?
4. What type of publicity did you use to increase awareness of these projects in your community?
5. Describe the impact of these activities?
6. In addition to your financial gifts, how has your court supported any of these **charities**? (North American College, Apostleship of the Sea, Covenant House, Mother Teresa, Tutwiler Clinic, Catholic Relief Services, Morality in Media, Project Handclasp and the Laboure Society) Please indicate how this support is shown through participation in fundraisers, collections and projects, etc.
7. How do you participate in the WRAP (**White Ribbons Against Pornography**) Campaign?

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**Territorial Court to National Chairman
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
EDUCATION
Circle of Love Reporting Form
March 1, 2010 – February 29, 2012**

Court Name _____ Number _____

Regent _____ Local Chairman _____

Number of Members _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Territorial Court Chairman: Please fill out this form (Print/Type), send one copy to your National Representative and mail the original to:

National Chairman: Sherry Nilles 712-324-0125
711 25th Avenue
Sheldon, IA 51201-1768
lnilles@nethtc.net

1. Describe how your court participates in education within your community.
2. Describe how your court presents the education contest to the local schools. How many schools do you invite? Do you include all schools (Catholic, private, public)?
3. What awards do you give for the local winners?
4. How are the awards / certificates / prizes distributed? Please give details.
5. Do you use this as an opportunity to educate the parents about Catholic Daughters and especially about your court? If so, how?

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**Territorial Court to National Chairman
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
LEGISLATION
Circle of Love Reporting Form
March 1, 2010 – February 29, 2012**

Court Name _____ Number _____

Regent _____ Local Chairman _____

Number of Members _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Territorial Court Chairman: Please fill out this form (Print/Type), send one copy to your National Representative and mail the original to:

National Chairman: Margaret Sitte 701-255-4885
808 West Avenue C
Bismarck, ND 58501
davids@wdata.com

1. Describe how your court participates in the Legislative Involvement of CDA.
2. Does your court meeting agenda include a report from the Legislative Chairman?
3. How do you communicate the legislative alerts when you receive them from the National Chairman? How long does it take to get the information to your individual members?
4. Do you have a legislative contact tree such as an email tree or a phone tree to help speed up notification when urgent alerts are received?
5. Describe one successful project your court has accomplished regarding legislative involvement.

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**Territorial Court to National Chairman
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
YOUTH / JCDA
Circle of Love Reporting Form
March 1, 2010 – February 29, 2012**

Court Name _____ Number _____

Part II: JCDA

1. Does your court sponsor a Junior or Juniorette court?
2. If you answered no to the above question, are you planning on starting one soon? Please include details.
3. If you answered yes, please answer the following questions.
4. What is the name of the Junior court and how many members are in the court?
5. What is the name of the Juniorette court and how many members are in the court?
6. Describe ONE outstanding project from the Junior or Juniorette Court. Please include details.
7. How are the members of the Junior or Juniorette Court involved in the parish and/or the community?

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