



## Jr. Counselor Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School and grade completed this year: \_\_\_\_\_ Peer Ministry Year: \_\_20\_\_

Applying to Counsel @ (circle one or both): Jr. High Castaway (Spring, April) Jr. High Summer Festival (Summer, July)

1. Have you been in a counselor position either at Summer Festival or Castaway or another camp or retreat setting? Was it a Christian camp?
2. Why are you applying for this position?
3. What Venture Youth Ministry activities have you participated in this year?
4. Did you complete the Venture Youth Ministry Peer Ministry course?
5. What was the most important information you learned in Peer Ministry?
6. What was your number one reason for doing Peer Ministry?
7. What do you feel are your spiritual gifts? Take time to reflect before answering. There is no wrong answer here!
8. What are the traits of a good camp counselor?
9. What are the responsibilities of a camp counselor?
10. What's the most important responsibility of a camp counselor?



11. An important role is small group leader. Are you comfortable in this position? What are your strengths and weaknesses in this area?
  
12. Are you comfortable sharing your faith with others? How do you share your faith with others?
  
13. St. Francis of Assisi said, "Preach the Gospel, and when necessary use words." How do you model your faith in your life through your actions?
  
14. How would you model your faith at a Christian camp/retreat setting?
  
15. References: Please list two people outside of the Venture Youth Ministry program and your family that would recommend you for this position:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ # of years known: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ # of years known: \_\_\_\_\_

It is important for leaders to role model behaviors that we teach. Are you prepared to be an example and practice what we preach? To be specific, we as leaders in the Venture program agree to refrain from using illegal substances (tobacco, marijuana, alcohol, and all non-prescribed drugs) and to refrain from all sexually activity.

Signature of agreement \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for taking your time to fill this out. Please mail or drop off to  
Venture Youth Ministry 5029 Zenith Ave. S. Mpls MN 55410  
We will be in contact with you soon!**