



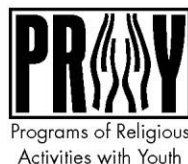
# The God and Service Award For Adults

## THE AWARD

The God and Service Award is a national recognition awarded by churches and national youth agencies cooperating in Programs of Religious Activities with Youth (P.R.A.Y.). It is given for distinguished service by adults in ministry to young people through service to the Church and one or more of the national youth agencies (Boy Scouts of America, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A., Camp Fire USA, American Heritage Girls). Self and spouse nominations will not be accepted.

## ELIGIBILITY A God and Service recipient should:

1. Have a minimum of 5 years of service to the church.
2. Have a minimum of 5 years of service to a national youth agency (be fully trained and exhibit past and present leadership in the youth agency program).
3. Encourage and assist young people in earning the God and Country award.
4. Promote religious observances at youth agency functions at all levels.
5. Encourage youth to participate in community service projects.
6. Recruit volunteers to give leadership to national youth agency programs.
7. Promote the organization of youth agency units among churches other than his or her own congregation.
8. Be a person whose Christian example is highly regarded by others in the church and whose lifestyle is a model for young people.



# GOD AND SERVICE APPLICATION

## Nomination Procedure

1. Nominations may be initiated by adults who serve alongside the nominee in the youth agency or in the church or by youth who have had their lives enriched through the relationship with the nominee.
2. The nominator must review the "Eligibility Guidelines" (see front page) and submit a letter of recommendation detailing the nominee's qualifications.
3. The nominator must obtain the required signatures.
4. The nominator must send in the completed application form along with payment of \$35.00 to P.R.A.Y. (8520 Mackenzie Road, Ste. 3, St. Louis, MO 63123-3413). Payment by check, money order, MasterCard or Visa is accepted. If credit card please provide the following information:

Circle one: MasterCard Visa Acct number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address \_\_\_\_\_

5. Special shipping is available for an additional \$15.00. Orders will be delivered in 1 or 2 days depending on your zipcode. A street address and day phone number are required. If you want special shipping, please indicate below:

I request special shipping and authorize the additional charges.

## Nominee Information

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed exactly as it should appear on the certificate)

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

## Church Information

Nominee's Congregation \_\_\_\_\_ Denomination \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years of service to church (minimum of 5) \_\_\_\_\_. List dates of service: \_\_\_\_\_

*In recognition of outstanding ministry to youth, our congregation recommends the nominee to receive the God and Service Award.*

Pastor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Agency Information

National Youth Agency in which adult is a member: Boy Scouts of America Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. Camp Fire USA American Heritage Girls

Number of years active as adult volunteer in agency (minimum of 5) \_\_\_\_\_. List dates of service: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Council \_\_\_\_\_

*In recognition of outstanding service to youth, our council recommends the nominee to receive the God and Service Award.*

Signature of Executive Director or Scout Executive \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Mailing Information: Person to whom recognition items are to be shipped:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (day contact) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_