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Changing Focus Membership Dues

Dear _____,

It's that time of year again! Your Changing Focus (CF) membership dues for FY-2012 are due. Changing Focus supports individuals who have lost a spouse or significant other through death, divorce or separation in two support group programs, **Single Again (SA)** and **Healing Journey (HJ)**. Our organization also provides support groups that focus on building positive relationship skills, **Moving On to Health Relating (MOHR)** and **Exploring a Loving Relationship (ELR)**. Your membership will enable us to continue to provide valuable support to others, just as we have done for you!

We collect annual dues July 1st of each Fiscal Year (July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012). There are two General Membership categories: (1) **Active Members** who currently attend a program regularly, and (2) **Alumni** who no longer attend regularly but wish to remain supportive and /or involved in Changing Focus Activities. **Basic dues for all Members are \$50 per year.** If you pay your dues July 1st through March 31st, you pay the full \$50. If you pay your dues between April 1st and June 30th, your membership fee for that FY year is \$25. Supporting Memberships (\$100) and Sustaining Memberships (\$150) are also available.

Benefits of Membership Include:

- Special incentives and/or discounted admissions to fundraisers and events
- Seasonal issues of "Sharings" (the CF newsletter)
- E-mail announcements of Changing Focus activities
- Access to the "Members Only" section of the CF website
- Discounts on additional support or therapy groups offered by professional counselors affiliated with Changing Focus, e.g. Imago Groups, Personal Development Groups
- Opportunities to advertise professional services to members in the newsletter and on the web site
- Opportunities to request assistance or seek referrals to meet personal needs
- Social and Professional Networking with a large community of individuals with life experiences similar to your own
- Access to the on-line CF Membership Directory (Participation on the directory is voluntary.)

Your contributions are truly needed and greatly appreciated. We look forward to your continued support.

With thanks and kindest regards,

Rita M. Fullem
Executive Director

P.S. For those with extenuating financial circumstances, dues may be payable in installments or may be waived with concurrence of the Program Coordinator.

Annual Dues may or may not be Tax Deductible. Check with your tax consultant.
Changing Focus, Inc. is a tax exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code

Return this form with your payment to:

Changing Focus, Inc.
1657 Crofton Parkway
Crofton, MD 21114
410 721 0992
info@changingfocus.org

YES, I want to ensure Changing Focus, Inc. continues its mission of providing quality educational support programs to those who have lost a spouse by death, divorce or separation. Enclosed are my annual dues for FY-12.

_____ **Active or Alumni Membership: \$50**

_____ **Supporting: \$100 (\$50 Membership + \$50 donation)**

_____ **Sustaining: \$150 (\$50 membership + \$100 donation)**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email address: _____

_____ Please **DO NOT** include my contact information in a membership directory available only to CF members.

Please tell us about your involvement. Circle all that apply:

I am an: Active Member or Alumni

I attend(ed): Single Again MOHR Healing Journey Exploring a Loving Relationship

Location: Crofton Ellicott City/Columbia Towson

_____ **Check enclosed, made payable to Changing Focus, Inc.**

_____ **I will use Pay Pal on the CF Web Site to pay for my membership dues.**

Members with special financial circumstances are always welcome. Please contact your program coordinator or Executive Director for special payment arrangements.

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