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was made a

**Sponsor**

for

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who was received into the household of God

On \_\_\_\_\_

In \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

 Signed \_\_\_\_\_

## Your Promises

### You have promised, in the name of this child:

- to renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God
- to renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God
- to renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God
- to turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour
- to put your whole trust in his grace and love
- to obey him as your Lord.

## Your Duties

### Your duties are:

- to be responsible for seeing that this child is nurtured in the faith and life of the Christian community
- to help this child by your prayers and witness to grow into the full stature of Christ.

## Prayers

HEAVENLY FATHER, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant the forgiveness of sin, and have raised him to the new life of grace. Sustain him, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give him an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

ALMIGHTY AND EVERLIVING GOD, let your fatherly hand ever be over this your servant; let your Holy Spirit ever be with him; and so lead him in the knowledge and obedience of your word, that he may serve you in this life, and dwell with you in the life to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**