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FINAL INTERVIEW WITH PASTOR OR
CERTIFIED CATECHIST TRAINER

To be completed by the pastor or Master Catechist/Catechist Trainer, **not** the catechist.

Name of Catechist: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Parish / School where currently serving: _____

Parish / School Address: _____

Date of Interview: ____/____/____

Name of Person leading the Interview: _____

Directions: Please record the catechist's responses on this form.

1. What is a catechist? Why are you a catechist?
2. Describe your relationship with Christ. In what ways has He called you to serve the Church as a catechist?
3. What role does prayer have in your service as a catechist?
4. Looking back over your formation as a catechist, what impacted you the most? Why?
5. What are the greatest needs, spiritually and catechetically, of those you catechize?

6. What is the most challenging teaching of the Church to accept for those you catechize? Why do you think that is the case?

7. Summarize God's plan of salvation in one paragraph.

8. What are the major themes of catechesis?

9. On a scale of 1-10, 10 being highest, how well do you know the teachings of the Church?

10. Given the following areas of catechist formation, develop a growth plan for each area. In that plan, write down one next step for formation you can take over the next year in each area:
 - a. Catechetical content – Scripture and Tradition

 - b. Methodology

 - c. Your personal Prayer life

 - d. Specialization Skills in your area of catechesis (children, youth, RCIA/Adults)

FOR PASTOR OR MASTER CATECHIST/CATECHIST TRAINER

I have reviewed this form and the content of these answers as written by the catechist.

Name of Pastor or Master Catechist/Catechist Trainer: _____

Signature of Pastor or Master Catechist/Catechist Trainer: _____

Date: ____/____/____