

SD CDA Member Achievement Award

State Convention - April 2025

Do you know a special Catholic Daughter member or maybe two or three, who exemplifies the true meaning of the Catholic Daughter organization? Why not nominate them for the SD CDA Member Achievement Award? This can be a member who just joined or someone who has been a member for many years.

Nominations will be accepted from anyone. You may nominate as many Catholic Daughters as you would like. The following guidelines are to be followed for nominating someone:

- 1) Nominee should be a member in good standing.
- 2) Current State Officers are not eligible for nomination.
- 3) You or your court may nominate a member.
- 4) If you have previously nominated someone who was not chosen for this award, you are free to submit another nomination for that same CDA member.
- 5) Entries will be judged by a panel of (non-CDA members) judges.
- 6) Nominee should be recognized for following our motto "Unity and Charity".

Examples:

- Did she start a new project for the Youth, Veterans or Seminarians?
- Did she encourage or develop a program that involved your Parish and community?
- How does she share our Catholic faith with everyone in the community?
- How is everyone impacted?
- What has She done to make a difference for CDA?

Don't restrict your thoughts to just the above things – these were only examples.

- 7) Nominations are to be 300 words or less.
- 8) Describe why you feel the nominee should be presented this award of Achievement.
- 9) Describe how she lives out CDA Unity & Charity.
- 10) Include her name and the name of her Court along with your brief description.
- 11) Deadline: Feb. 15, 2025; this Postmark will be strictly adhered to.

Mail all nominations to: JoAnn Hoffman, 2nd Vice State Regent
PO Box 716 – Parkston SD 57366

We feel that many Catholic Daughter members in South Dakota are worthy of a nomination for her dedication, work and love to our organization. Please help us honor that someone "special", submit your nomination today. CDA Achievement Award will be recognized at the 2025 State Convention.