

## Qualifications for Nominees to the Province VIII Board

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### Discipleship 101: Principles of Leadership in DOK

1. DOK leadership requires leading by example, i.e.
  - a. Praying, serving, and witnessing – fulfilling our vows
  - b. Serving other Daughters in love – *Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking. It is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. I Cor. 13: 4-7*
  - c. Using God-given gifts and talents to glorify God and bless The Order
  - d. Manifesting in some degree the fruits of the Spirit (love, joy, peace, etc.)
2. DOK leadership requires sensitivity to God’s will as discerned through:
  - a. Scripture
  - b. Godly counsel
  - c. Intelligent assessment
  - d. Inner awareness of the Holy Spirit’s direction

In the Order’s prayer, we ask to remember “that it is Your work we are called to do” – not our own, or even the Order’s, but Christ’s.

***A fully functioning Board is a gift to God. Kindly review the items below to ensure that, with God’s help, you as a nominee will be willing and able to assume the duties of a Province VIII Board Member.***

As well as the spiritual component of servant leadership, a Board member is called to serve in an administrative capacity, as well as holding a fiduciary responsibility to The Order. To perform these administrative responsibilities, a Provincial Board member agrees to:

- Be able and available to travel to Board meetings and Provincial Assemblies once or twice a year. Be available for monthly Zoom conference calls with the Executive Board and the entire board as scheduled.
- Be willing to communicate in a timely manner with other Board members via telephone and email between Board meetings.
- Be available to answer questions, consider and vote on decisions and develop strategy, and plan and implement projects associated with any chairmanship or committee role assumed on the Board.
- Be available to communicate in a timely manner with the National Office when there are decisions that need to be made and documents created that are required to complete the business of The Order in Province VIII.
- Be willing to accept assistance in fulfilling one’s duties, if temporarily incapacitated.
- Be willing to step down when personal or other circumstances prohibit you from fully functioning in the position assumed.