Scholarship for Gather Retreat ~ Nicaragua 2022

Thank you for taking the time to apply for this scholarship. The intention of this offering is that we can further expand the community of Gather by allowing a softening of the financial cost of attendance for those who are unable to pay the full cost of the retreat.

What does Gather mean to its founders?

"An invitation to support one another by healing at the level of the individual and the community."

The scholarship recipient will receive \$800 off of the retreat cost. This includes a bed in a 3 or 4 person room/casita, all meals, access to all of the offerings included in the retreat. This does not include your transportation to or from the retreat, additional excursions, treatments or food/gifts that are not included in the retreat price.

By completing and submitting this application, you are willing to invest in some or all of the following.

- O Increase awareness and expand Gather community by posting on your personal and Gathers social media platforms before, during and after the retreat
- **O** Take photos of retreat. If you do not have a phone or camera, facilitators will provide one for you
- O assistance in communications with Gatherers' at the retreat regarding schedule, accommodations, transport details and any additional needs of the Gatherer to increase comfort and support for attendees + facilitators
- **O** Communicate openly with facilitators of Gather as well as the faculty of Costa Dulce retreat center
- **O** Moving + transportation of items needed for classes + ceremonies such a props, yoga mats, art supplies, ect.

By applying for this scholarship, you are willing to spend up to 3 hours collectively per day of the retreat as the Gather "lesion" (performing the above tasks) and up to 1 hour per week leading up to the retreat sharing posts on social media and for any necessary communication, which may be done over the phone or over a video meeting platform such as Zoom.

Please help us get to know you by completing a few questions below.

What does the word + sentiment "Gather" mean to you?

Why do you wish to join this Gathering?

Is there something unique that you can offer to the Gathering? This can include a particular ceremony, educational course, art/music or anything else that inspires you.

What life circumstances contribute to your need for this financial scholarship?

Would you like to discuss a payment plan with us?

Is there anything else you would like to share?

Please submit your completed application by emailing it to both <u>jennarae82@gmail.com</u> and marybeth.donahoe@gmail.com. You will hear from us by September 7th 2022 at the latest in regards to the acceptance of your application.