



Society of the Divine Savior

- Salvatorian Vocations Office -

“Let’s Get Acquainted”

So that we can be better prepared to assist you, please complete this form and return it to us soon. Thanks!
Please note, this is NOT an application for entrance into our community.

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: BRYAN V HEWING Age: 30 Phone: (217) 895-2823

Address: 252 County Road 700 N

City: Neoga State: IL Zip: 62447

E-Mail address (if you have one): big-b@big-b.net

With whom do you live? ON MY OWN / WITH FAMILY * / OTHER: _____

*Looking for a full-time Position and an apartment to move into.

Year of Baptism (or Reception) into the Catholic Church: 1975

Parish in which you are currently active: Immaculate Conception (Mattoon, IL) & St. Anthony’s memorial Hospital Chapel (Effingham, IL)

Have you ever been married? YES / NO If ‘yes’: WIDOWED / DIVORCED / CHURCH ANNULLED

Do you have any dependents? (Children, parents, others) No

Do you have, or have you ever had, any serious or chronic illness (physical, psychological)? Describe:

Tourette Syndrome

EDUCATION INFORMATION:

Last grade level completed: 4 year College Last school attended: Eastern Illinois University

Degrees received: Bachelor of Arts

Other training received: Radio-TV Broadcasting, Video Production, Website Design and Maintenance

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION:

Are you currently employed? YES / NO If ‘yes’: FULL TIME / PART TIME

Please list your last three jobs, beginning with your current one:

Employer: Hit Mix 88.9 WEILL-FM Position: Board Operator How long? 1½ yrs

Employer: WICD-TV Position: Master Control Operator How long? 4 months

Employer: WEILL-TV Position: News Staff/Production How long? 2½ yrs
(over)

OTHER INFORMATION:

Please list any activities and ministries in which you are currently involved (both civic and church):
Christian Television Volunteer for *WEIL-LP / Believer's Broadcasting Corp.*, Webmaster / Mass Coordinator, Sacristan, Lector & Fill-in Lector at *Immaculate Conception Catholic Church* in Mattoon, Shooting, Editing, Producing Videos (for free), Altar Mass Server at the weekday Masses (Monday - Friday) in the Chapel at St. Anthony's Hospital in Effingham, IL with Fr. Ralph Zetzel O.F.M., the chaplain there. I also write commentaries under the name **The Big B Files**. More Details can be found at <http://big-b.net/Resume5b.pdf> and look under "Volunteer Work History."

With whom have you discussed your possible vocation? _____

Who is your Spiritual Director? Fr. John Titus

Have you ever been an applicant / candidate for a Seminary or religious community? YES / NO

If 'yes', where? _____

Date of entrance: _____ Date of departure: _____

Reason for departure: _____

I am interested in the PRIESTHOOD / BROTHERHOOD because:

I am wanting to help spread the good news of Jesus. I have a such great love of the mass that I feel that it is part of my calling to religious life.

Briefly relate some experiences or thoughts that lead you to look more serious into religious life:

see attached sheet

Is there anything in particular about the Salvatorian community that appeals to you most?

The innovative ways the Salvatorians use to spread the good news a.k.a. the Gospel of Jesus Christ to people from all walks of life.

Are there any other questions, concerns, or comments?

If you have a VCR and want to see our **VOCATION / FORMATION VIDEO**, check here: ✓

Please return this form to: Vocations Office Phone: 414-258-1735

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E-Mail address for the Vocation Office: **VocationDirectors@SDSvocations.com**

Our home-page on the WEB: **SDSvocations.com**

It can give you more information about us, some current news about what's going on in our community, and some helpful articles about discerning a vocation to religious life and ministry.

My Calling to the Priesthood & Religious Life



THE SHORT STORY . . . IN MY OWN WORDS

In Elementary and High School, I always wanted to be a priest. I would always be an altar server, Lector, and Eucharistic Minister every chance I could. In Short, I was so fascinated with priests that I just simply could not wait to be one.

When I inquired with the priest who was the Vocations Director for the Diocese of Springfield, IL, he informed me that I needed a Bachelor's Degree and come back to see him. So I thought that it would get my Bachelor's Degree and then enter the seminary. During College, I began to fall in love with something else . . . Radio-TV Broadcasting. During my college years, I even rejected the suggestion of others that I should enter the religious life instead of going into the Broadcasting Field.

It was not until after t had spent 1½ years searching for a job in Broadcasting (After losing my first job in Broadcasting) that I began taking stock of my life . . . basically re-evaluating myself. It was at that time that I began to feel that God was calling me to the religious life as a priest.

- Mr. Bryan V. Hewing