



NEW MEMBER FORM

Date: _____

Your Name: _____

Spouse/Partner Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (DAY): _____ Phone (EVENING): _____

Email Address: _____

Relationship to child PARENT(S) YES NO OTHER _____

Full Name of Child _____

Gender Male Female

Date of Birth _____ Date of Death _____

Age _____

Cause of Death (this information is confidential) _____

Name of surviving sibling(s) _____ Age(s) _____

SPOUSE INFORMATION

- Do you want the newsletter to be addressed to both you and your partner/spouse? **YES/ NO**
- Do you wish for your spouse/partner or the other parent of the child to be noted in the newsletter remembrance? Usually the newsletter will state "Daughter of Jane and Joe Smith" **YES / NO**

How did you hear about the Compassionate Friends?

- Newsletter Doctor or Therapist National Website
- National Website Religious affiliation Newspaper or other media
- Friend _____ Other _____

- Each month the newsletter publishes our member's children who have an anniversary during that month for either their birth date or the date that they passed. Do you wish to have your child mentioned? **YES / NO**
- Do you wish to be part of our confidential member's directory so that other members can contact you? **YES / NO**

The mission of The Compassionate Friends is to assist families toward the positive resolution of grief following the death of a child of any age and to provide information to help others be supportive. The Compassionate Friends is a national nonprofit, self-help support organization that offers friendship, understanding, and hope to bereaved parents, grandparents and siblings. There is no religious affiliation and there are no membership dues or fees. The secret of TCF's success is simple: As seasoned grievers reach out to the newly bereaved, energy that has been directed inward begins to flow outward and both are helped to heal. *The vision of The Compassionate Friends is that everyone who needs us will find us and everyone who finds us will be helped.* TCF HOTLINE 609- 498-4698 www.tcfmercer.org