

HEARTLAND CRADLESONG – DUBLIN, OHIO - 2007

Friends of the Creche National Convention

Thursday, November 8, to Saturday, November 10, 2007

REGISTRATION FORM

Friends of the Creche member and spouse or same household family member: \$180.00 USD **each**.

Non-members: \$210.00 USD (includes one-year membership in *Friends of the Creche* and subscription to *Creche Herald*).

Registration includes admission to all lectures, presentations, and exhibits, Friday dinner and evening concert, Saturday lunch and banquet, plus access to the Manger Mart and the opportunity to buy raffle tickets and bid at auction.

Optional tour: Columbus Highlights Thurs. Nov. 8, morning or afternoon: \$25.00 USD per person. See over for details.

Please Print Clearly (Circle title, if desired)

1. Mr., Mrs., Ms., Dr., Fr., Rev. _____

Name desired on name tag _____

2. Mr., Mrs., Ms., Dr., Fr., Rev. _____

Name desired on name tag _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____ Email Address _____

- This will be my first FOTC Convention.
- I will serve as a sponsor for a first-time Convention participant.
- Member's Manger Museum – I would like to exhibit one or more nativities: Number? _____ Attach description.
- Auction/Raffle – I will donate one or more Nativity related items for auction or raffle. Specify on reverse side.
- Manger Mart – I would like one or two 8' tables to sell Nativity related items (@\$75 USD per table).
- Volunteer – I would like to help wherever needed (any preference? _____)
- I am submitting one or more recipes for the cookbook. See reverse for details.

Please indicate any special needs _____

All fees are due no later than September 1, 2007. Refunds are subject to a charge of \$75.00, transfers to another person to a charge of \$50. Request must be made in writing on or before September 1, 2007. No refunds after that date.

Make hotel reservations directly with the hotel no later than September 15, 2007. Mention *Friends of the Creche* for the special rate of \$125.00, including full breakfast. This rate applies 2 days before and 2 days after the Convention.

Make hotel reservations with: Embassy Suites Hotel Telephone: 614-790-9000 or 1-800-220-9219
5100 Upper Metro Pl Fax: 614-798-8390
Dublin OH 43017

Registration: \$180.00 USD Individual member \$ _____
\$180.00 USD Spouse or same household family member \$ _____
\$210.00 USD Non-member (incl. membership in *Friends of the Creche*) \$ _____

Optional Tour: Morning (9:00 AM): \$25.00 USD per person--# of persons _____ = \$ _____
Afternoon (1:30 PM) \$25.00 USD per person--# of persons _____ = \$ _____

Manger Mart: Tables @\$75.00 USD. # of tables _____ (limit of 2) = \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

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Please give a description of items you wish to donate to the raffle or auction. If appropriate, include size, material, number of pieces in set, and country of origin. Include estimated value if known. You will receive a receipt for tax purposes for the donated items.

1. _____

Estimated Value: \$ _____

2. _____

Estimated Value: \$ _____

3. _____

Estimated Value: \$ _____

4. _____

Estimated Value: \$ _____

I will bring item/s for the White Elephant table. Value \$ _____

Pre-Convention Tour: Highlights of Columbus, Ohio: \$25.00 USD

The tour will include guided tours of the beautiful Byzantine-style Greek Orthodox Church and the Columbus Museum of Art and will conclude with a visit to the life-size outdoor public nativity of the State Auto Insurance Company, which will be in the process of being set up at the time of the convention. The tour will also pass some of the prominent sights of the area: the Ohio State Capitol, the replica of Columbus’ flagship the Santa Maria, the charming German village historic district, and Dublin’s famous public sculpture, the Field of Corn. Cost covers transportation and admission to the Museum of Art. The tour will last about four hours and may be taken either in the morning or the afternoon, provided enough participants register. The fee will be refunded in full if the tour is cancelled.

Call for Family Recipes

In keeping with the melting pot theme of the 2007 Heartland Cradlesong convention, we are planning some of the meals to reflect our heritage. We would like to invite each of you to submit one or more of your favorite Christmas recipes. Recipes submitted will be edited for publication in a cookbook available at the convention. We would also like to know the origin, ethnicity or family connection, and accounts of the role food plays or played in your family celebrations. Tell us about your old or new traditions. Submit recipes, preferably by e-mail to dlhahm83@yahoo.com; or submit them with your registration form.

Make check or money order in U.S. funds, payable to *Friends of the Creche*

Mail registration form and convention fees to:

**Bonnie Johnston, Convention Registrar
3372 River Landings Blvd,
Hilliard OH 43026**