SIDE ORDER # 7 ~ RULES FOR DATING AND **RELATIONSHIPS**

Complete the chart with your parents about their rules for dating and have the sign it.

| Stage of Relationship | Friendship | Dating | Courtship (serious dating) | Engagement | Marriage |
|--------------------------|---|--------|----------------------------------|------------|----------|
| Appropriate Age | All your life | | | | |
| Rules | -Everyone hangs out together. -Be loyal, caring, respectful and trusting. | | | | |
| Purpose | -Learn to be social, make and keep friends. -Have Fun | | | | |
| Affection | -Hugs -High Fives -Spend Time -Acts of Service | | | | |

SIDE ORDER # 8 ~ PARENT DISCUSSION

Please spend a few minutes and have a discussion with your parent or guardian by asking them the following questions. Then have a parent sign that you completed this assignment.

- 1. What advice would you give me about overcoming sexual pressure?
- 2. How do you feel about abstinence until marriage?
- 3. Is there a difference between love and sex?
- 4. How do you know when you are really in love?
- 5. What advice do you have for me about dating?
- 6. As a teenager, were you ever pressured to do something you didn't want to do? What helped you stand up for your beliefs against the pressure?
- 7. What is the best way for us to continue these discussions in the future?