



## 2010 Student Essay Contest

Theme:  
**iMission**

### For Grades 6 – 12, from Maryknoll

**ASSIGNMENT:** For the past 100 years Maryknoll missionaries have been following Jesus' command to "go out to the whole world and spread the Good News." Describe how you or another young person you know goes out to the world and spreads the Good News in this age of instant messaging and digital social networking.

**RULES:** Students in grades 6–8 (Division I) and grades 9–12 (Division II) qualify. Entries must be written in English. Only one entry per student. Please specify the division to which the entry is being submitted. Children of Maryknoll employees, Associates and Affiliates are not eligible.

**LENGTH:** 500–750 words. Pages should be typed and double-spaced or neatly handwritten in ink and stapled.

**Note:** Spelling and grammar count.

**DEADLINE:** Entries must be postmarked no later than Wednesday, **Dec. 1, 2010**. All entries become the property of Maryknoll and cannot be returned. Winning entries will be published in the May/June 2011 MARYKNOLL magazine and online at [www.maryknollsociety.org/winners](http://www.maryknollsociety.org/winners).

**PRIZES:**

- 1st place prizes \$1,000 per division
- 2nd place prizes \$300 per division
- 3rd place prizes \$150 per division

**ON FIRST PAGE, CLEARLY LABEL:**

- Student's name and grade.
- School name, address and phone number (including area code).
- Teacher's or catechist's name and e-mail.

**MAIL TO:**

2010 Student Essay Contest  
WEB Division  
P.O. Box 302  
Maryknoll, NY 10545-0302

**STUDENTS IN DIVISION II ONLY:**

You may submit essays online **by filling out and submitting the online form** or by e-mailing [essaycontest@maryknoll.org](mailto:essaycontest@maryknoll.org). All rules apply including one entry per student. Be sure to provide all pertinent information in your e-mail including contact information.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** [www.maryknollsociety.org/essay](http://www.maryknollsociety.org/essay); or call 1-888-627-9566. Ask for Student Essay Contest, ext. 2368.

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