

Card exterior



How to print your very own St. Raphael Prayer Card:

1. Print this page
- 2) Turn paper over and place back in printer tray
- 3) Print card interior page (run a test first to see which way you need to orient your paper so that the interior of the card is right-side up)
- 4) Cut along the dotted trim lines and fold card at the center. Final card size is 4" x 5.5"

Card interior

Prayer to St. Raphael

St. Raphael, you were sent by God to guide young Tobias in choosing a good and virtuous spouse. Please help me in this important choice which will affect my whole future. You not only directed Tobias in finding a wife, but you also gave him guidelines which should be foremost in every Christian marriage: "Pray together before making important decisions." If through prayer we keep God as the "third Partner" in our marriage, we will have the strength and grace we need to always accept and do His will.

Amen.

Habits to Prepare You for Marriage

- Do I speak kindly?*
- Do I act selfishly?*
- Do I admit when I'm wrong?*
- Do I communicate effectively?*
- Do I act in an attractive way?*
- Do I practice self-sacrifice?*
- Do I look for ways to improve myself?*
- Do I believe that I am worth loving?*
- Do I try to put others before myself?*
- Do I remember to apologize without delay?*
- Do I face my responsibilities even if I don't feel like it?*
- Do I give away my heart and emotions too quickly?*