

IDENTITY AND BOUNDARIES

What makes people members and what makes them associates?

Religious take vows with consecrated life, with shared life, with a formal accepted Constitution, a Rule; their life involves governance and finances all according to the Rule.

Associates may have guidelines and policies; they have a prayer life, a spirituality, ministry and community.

What **Religious and Associates** have are the spirituality and the charism and mission, yet each vocation is absolutely separate and viable.

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