

SAMPLE SCRIPT FOR INVITING GUESTS

I am serving as a Table Host for Pathway to Hope's Annual Gala, Night of Hope and I would be honored to have you join me at my table.

The Reception & Gala will be held on **Thursday, October 10th** at the Sheraton Overland Park Hotel at the Convention Center. We will have a wonderful pre-event starting at 6:00 pm, where there will be a raffle, music, a meet & greet with our Founder's Award nomination finalists and other fun activities.

This year's Founder Award portion of the gala will recognize those who are working hard in the community and have done significant work for the individuals and families affected by mental illness in our community. The winner will be announced during the dinner portion of the event, starting at 7:00. I'm really looking forward to the organizational update. You can learn more about Pathway to Hope before the event on their website. www.pathwaytohope.org. This year the theme is the "Power of WE" and the program will include stories about what the champions and volunteers of Pathway To Hope are doing to make and impact in our community - so that no one faces mental illness alone.

As you may know, I care deeply about Pathway to Hope. *[Insert why you care deeply about Pathway To Hope here.]*

There will be an opportunity to financially support the organization, so I encourage you to be prepared to consider what support you can provide to help Pathway to Hope and their work of making it possible that no one faces mental illness alone. The Gala raises critical funds necessary to support individuals and families facing complex and difficult situations.

I sincerely hope you can join me to celebrate and support these efforts. Please let me know as soon as possible if you will be able to attend. I will follow up with you {insert date}. I know that you'll want to learn more about this wonderful organization.