



2001 Winner of the J. J. Young Award



Brother James Greteman, C.S.C.



Brother James Greteman is a Holy Cross Brother, trained in Jungian Therapy from the University of Notre Dame, and a clinical member of the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy.

Br. Greteman has provided deep insight into the separation and divorce process in a practical way through his writings, workshops, and counseling. As a psychologist he has always been a very effective, compassionate and understanding human being. Also a prolific author, he has written *Coping With Divorce*; *To Heal a Broken Image: A Guide to Divorce Ministry*; and *Helping Your Child Cope With Divorce*. Additionally, he has coauthored the support group program, *Divorce and Beyond*, and *Sunshine Out of Tears* (Divorce Adjustment).

Br. Greteman also served on the Professional Advisory Board to the North American Conference of Separated and Divorced Catholics from 1979 to 1983. NACSDC is pleased to honor him with this award.

About the Award

The J. J. Young Award is presented annually in tribute to, and in memory of, **Fr. James J. Young, CSP**, who's pioneering ministry to reconcile separated and divorced Catholics led to the foundation of the North American Conference of Separated and Divorced Catholics in 1975. The award serves as a recognition and affirmation of another's service that directly affected the beginning, development, or expansion, of pastoral care to separated, divorced, and remarried Catholic families. It also recognizes that service can be expressed in a variety of ways such as: support group ministry; program development; transformational leadership; research; teaching; outreach at the parish, (arch)diocesan, regional, national and international levels; movements; organizations; writing; and others. The award strives to identify some critical contribution that directly benefitted the community of separated, divorced and remarried Catholics and ministry to these families. While the original contribution may have been intended for a specific community, the award acknowledges that such a service has impact for the larger community as well.