



Collaborative Solutions Institute, Inc. (CSI) is seeking nominations for the 2011 Extraordinary/Ordinary Man of the Year Award. This award is an opportunity to celebrate men who make a positive impact on others' lives and their community through everyday actions in their neighborhoods, their faith communities, schools, social service agencies or through their voluntary service to others. Most men operate largely "under the radar" doing their good deeds, sharing their time and treasure quietly and selflessly. CSI would like to show appreciation for their efforts and kindness as well as raise the awareness of the impact one man can have on his community. Please consider nominating an Extraordinary/ Ordinary man you know.

Awards will be presented at a dinner on October 6, 2011 at 6 p.m. at the Holiday Inn and Suites, Bloomington. For more information on the event, please visit [www.collaborativesolutions.org](http://www.collaborativesolutions.org).

## Nomination Guidelines

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To nominate a candidate, please complete the information requested on the following page.

In addition, please attach **two letters of support** from others to the application form. These letters should be from individuals who feel strongly that the man you have nominated deserves this award. You may share this form and the criteria you identified with them to assist them in writing their own letters. Please ask them to include information about their relationship to the nominee, their personal observations of his Extraordinary/Ordinary contributions and specific reasons and examples why they feel he qualifies for this award.

Please e-mail the material to [eomnominee@hotmail.com](mailto:eomnominee@hotmail.com) or send nomination material to:

Extraordinary/Ordinary Man of the Year Award  
Collaborative Solutions Institute  
Suite 400A  
200 W. Front St.  
Bloomington, IL 61701

**Nominations must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, September 16, 2011. All nominees will be acknowledged at the dinner.**



CSI is a non-profit organization devoted to providing specialized counseling solutions to families and individuals struggling with a variety of psychological and emotional issues. The counselors are really teachers at heart working as a team to problem solve, develop action plans, and determine appropriate accommodations for client programs such as Crisis/Coping Skills, Planning for the Future, Anger Management, Conflict Resolution, Relationship Building, Domestic Violence Assessment, Victim/Offender Conferences and many others involving families, individuals, and groups. The work is important, challenging, and very often serves those who have limited access to professional help.

*"We make a living by what we get, we make a life by what we give." ~ Winston Churchill*

