

Putnam County Family Violence Task Force, Inc

12th Grade

ESSAY CONTEST

Entries must be received by
November 2, 2009 at 5:00 p.m.

1st Prize : \$100.00

2nd Prize: \$ 50.00

Winners to be the special guests of
the Task Force and invited to read
the winning essays at the Nov. Task
Force Meeting.



Domestic Violence is Everyone's Problem

Contest Rules :

Essays to be 250 to 450 words, typed and on the topic, "Domestic Violence is Everyone's Problem"

A cover page should be attached with your name ,address, school, and telephone number

Submit essay to:

(by mail)

Putnam Family Violence Task Force
Post Office Box 4511
Eatonton, Ga. 31024

(by hand delivery)

Probate Court
Putnam County Courthouse
Suite 318
Eatonton, Ga. 31024

(all entries must be received by 5:00 p.m. on November 2, 2009.)

Domestic violence is a problem in every community. It is a leading cause of injuries for girls and women between the ages of 15 and 44. Domestic Violence has taken the lives of almost 500 Georgians in the last four years. It affects everyone: men, women, children, people of all ages, all races, and all socio economic groups.

There is much that can be done in communities to assist families with these issues. Law Enforcement, Departments of Family & Children Services, Churches, Judges, Attorneys, Probation Officers, Task Forces, Domestic Violence Programs, Court Clerks, Local Governments, Schools, Shelters and Medical Personnel can work together to offer & coordinate services .

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For more information call: 706 485 5476

*Dedicated to Bringing Victims of Domestic Violence
From Darkness Into the Light of a Brand New Day!*

Acknowledgements:

The Georgia Commission on family Violence
The Georgia Coalition Against Domestic Violence
Georgia's Fatality Review Project
The Circle of Love Shelter