

Greek Orthodox Church of Saint George
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Mercedes Raffle 2009

Rules & Regulations of Drawing

May 3, 2009 6:00 PM

Sponsor:

The Mercedes Raffle 2009 is sponsored by the Greek Orthodox Church of Saint George of Clifton, NJ (a non profit organization and hereafter will be referred to as “the Church”) and conducted by the Church Raffle Committee (hereafter will be referred as “the committee”) appointed by the Church Parish Council. The following are the rules and regulations approved by the Committee. These rules will be adhered by all participants of this drawing. By purchasing the raffle ticket, participants agree to be bound by these rules as stipulated and will not dispute or challenge these rules and regulations in any court of law.

Eligibility:

Except as otherwise provided in these official rules, on licensed drivers (license can not be suspended), 18 years of age and older who are legal residents of the United States are eligible to participate and enter.

Rules of Drawing:

1. Only those valid raffle ticket stubs containing the participant’s name, address and telephone number will be eligible for drawing.
2. The raffle tickets will be valid for the drawing only after the participant’s payment is honored and is paid by his/her bank.

3. If more than one name is listed on the ticket stub, the first listed name will be considered as the participant for this drawing.
4. St. George Greek Orthodox Church of Clifton, NJ is not responsible for any illegible or erroneous information written on the ticket stub.
5. The winner of this drawing will be determined by a random drawing to be held on May 3, 2009 on or about 6:00 PM during our yearly Greek Festival at 818 Valley Road, Clifton, NJ 07013.
6. The Church Parish Council will be responsible for conducting this drawing.
7. The prize of this drawing that will be awarded is a 2009 Mercedes Benz C300 Luxury Sedan MSRP \$34,725
8. The car shown on advertisements is not necessarily the same car that you will be receiving. You can view this car directly at the dealership.
9. The winner will have the option of choosing his/her choice of basic colors.
10. If the winner chooses to get more options or a different series of the said vehicle, he/she will be liable for the difference of the price agreed between the Church and the car dealer.
11. The winner will be liable for all the applicable taxes, title, license, registration and any other destination fees of the vehicle.
12. St. George Greek Orthodox Church of Clifton, NJ does not provide any tax advice or opinions regarding the taxability of the proceeds received from this raffle. It is the winner's sole responsibility to report this winning to the Internal Revenue Service. Further, the winner will understand that, if the winner wants such advice or opinion that he/she will need to consult with a CPA or other tax professional.
13. The winner understands that the Church or members will not be liable for any claims and/or liabilities associated with the car, and that the 2009 Mercedes Benz C300 Luxury Sedan will be taken from the dealership 'as is' with the standard vehicle warranty offered by the manufacturer. Extended warranties, if desired, will have to be purchased by the winner from the car dealer. Any other issues with the car, including but not limited to mechanical and warranty problems/issues will need to be addressed with the car dealer. Winner will not request the Church to investigate or to pursue the possibility of such claims and/or liabilities and will hereby discharge the Church from any responsibility to do so.
14. Each entrant releases the Church, participation sponsors, directors, officers, and employees from any liability whatsoever, and waive any and all causes of action,

- for any claims, injuries, losses, or damages of any kind arising out of or in connection with or as a result of participation in this drawing of chance.
15. By submitting your email address, the Church reserves the right to market future fundraising events to you.
 16. Once a prize is awarded to the winner, the decision is final. No alternative prizes will be given.
 17. The ticket holder does not need be present during the drawing. If the winner is not present at the drawing, the Church Raffle Committee will notify the winner of the drawing either by phone or by mail.
 18. The winner must present the original winning ticket with a valid proof of identification (Drivers License or valid Passport) in order to claim the prize.
 19. In the event of any dispute or controversy regarding the identification of the winner, the winner will be required to produce additional information as requested by the Raffle Committee.
 20. As a condition of being awarded the Vehicle, the winner shall be required to execute and deliver to the Church a signed affidavit of eligibility, acceptance of these official rules and release of liability.
 21. Reasonable attempts will be made by the Raffle Committee to contact the winner through certified mail, phone number and email address provided in the ticket raffle stub. If the winner of this drawing could not be contacted after reasonable attempts by the Raffle Committee or the winner fails to claim the prize within 45 days of the drawing date, the prize will be considered forfeited and the cash equivalence will be reverted to the Church.
 22. In consideration of being awarded the Vehicle, the winner agrees and consents, without further authorization, compensation or remuneration of any kind, to the use of such person's name and/or likeness in any and all advertising, promotions and other publicity in any media, worldwide, in perpetuity by the Church.
 23. All the net proceeds of this drawing will go towards the Church General Fund.

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