

## Gathering In The Gap Music Festival Songwriting Contest

### OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ COWRITER: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**I certify that I have read and understand the OFFICIAL RULES (as posted on the website [gatheringinthegapmusicfestival.com](http://gatheringinthegapmusicfestival.com)) of the Gathering In The Gap Songwriting Contest, and I accept the terms and conditions of participation in the contest as stated in the OFFICIAL RULES.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: If entrant is under 18 years of age, the signature of a parent is required

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME of Song: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed\$: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Deadline:** April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017 by 4 p.m.

**Entry Fee:** \$10 first song, \$5 for second song. Check or money order paid to: Friends of the Southwest Virginia Museum. Do not send cash. Entry fees are non-refundable.

**Entry Mailed To:** Friends of the Southwest Virginia Museum, 106 West 1st Street North, Big Stone Gap, VA 24219 or entry may be dropped off during business hours at the Southwest Virginia Museum, Big Stone Gap, VA. All entries must arrive by deadline, not by postmark. Entries received too late to be judged will be returned unopened. The "Gathering in The Gap" Music Festival is not responsible for late, damaged, misdirected, insufficient postage, stolen, or misappropriated entries.

- One completed entry form per song; signature must be original
- One song entry per compact disc
- Lyrics submitted typed, double spaced
- Cd and lyric sheet must be labeled with the entrant's name, address, email, telephone number, song title, and co-author's name, if applicable.
- Cd and lyrics will not be returned
- Upon arrival of entry, contestant will receive notification of submittal by email

**Top ten finalists will be invited to compete at 1 p.m. on the Main Stage on May 27, 2017**