AUMP CHURCH and CONNECTION, INC

Scholarship Application

School Year _____to _____

Scholarship Opportunities:

The A.U.M.P. Conference has been generously endowed by church members who have, through gifts and memorials, established a scholarship fund that provides financial resources to be awarded to full-time undergraduate students each year. The value of each scholarship will vary according to the returns on the invested funds and the number of qualified applicants.

Application Procedure:

1. Applications will become available at the A.U.M.P. Annual Conference during the year of application. Applications may be picked up at the church office or may be acquired from the AUMP Conference website.

2. Completed applications, current school transcript(s), a letter of recommendation and a photo must be returned to the Scholarship Committee at the A.U.M.P. Conference office by January 31. Please check with the Scholarship Committee to verify that your application has been received by the Scholarship Committee Secretary. It's preferred that applications be typed. Additional paper may be used if more room is needed for any responses. It's most important that your responses are detailed and complete to help the Scholarship Committee better know you. Any questions should be directed to the Scholarship Committee Chairperson.

3. After reviewing all applications, the Scholarship Committee will contact all applicants by mail. The scholarship recipients will be invited to the presentation of awards during Annual Conference in MAY. Recipients are expected to attend this presentation. If unable to attend, the student must contact the chairperson of the Scholarship Committee prior to the awards service.

4. This application is for one academic school year; however, a student may reapply in following years if qualifications are met. Students could receive a total of four scholarships, one per school year, for four years. A school year is two semesters, Fall and Spring semesters.

Qualifications:

The goal is to award all qualified applicants and not to have to choose between applicants.

Scholarships are for students enrolled in full or part-time undergraduate study or a full or part-time seminary student.

Only one scholarship will be awarded to an individual per year.

A completed application including application form, two letters of recommendation, a personal essay and official transcript.

A determination that the candidate has a reasonable chance to be successful in college.
The applicant must be a member of a local A.U.M.P. Church and in good standing.
Attends his/her home A.U.M.P. Church or donates time or services or tithes or offerings to the church regularly.
Applicate must be full or part-time college student.
Full-time student is one that has a full load of course credits (Determined by the college)
Part-time student is one that has a one half load of course credits (Determined by the college)
Must present an official transcript of courses and credits to be taken for the semester.
Must present an official transcript of grades taken at the end of each semester.

Personal/Contact Information:

Name:_____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Your Email: _____

Your Home Church:_____ **Pastor:** _____

Home Church Address:_____

Church Phone Number:_____

School Activities:

List group or individual school activities in which you are or were an active member and identify any leadership role or responsibilities you may have had.

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Church Involvement:

Identify areas in which you are or have been active in your home A.U.M.P. Church.

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Leisure / Community Activities:

List activities outside of school such as your hobbies, interests, and any community service.
Identify any leadership role or responsibilities you may have. Be specific please.

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Your Faith Journey:

Please respond thoughtfully and specifically to each prompt or question, develop and express your answers completely on another sheet of paper. Typed responses are preferred.

1. **How has your home A.U.M.P Church influenced your life journey of faith?**

2. **In what ways has your religious background and faith impacted your life? Give specific examples of your personal religious beliefs and attitudes and how they guide you in how you live your daily life.**

3. **Explain why this scholarship is important to you.**

4. **Give a brief summary of the main events in your life.**

5. **Outline your personal as well as your educational goals.**

6. **Explain why this scholarship is important to you.**

Awards:

List any recognition, awards or honors that you've received in school, church, work, or community in the last several years.

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Academic:

Name of High School: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

High School Class Rank_____out of ____ __High School Grade Point Average_____*

College Attendng:_____

College Mailing Address:_____

College Status as of Current School Year

Circle one: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Cumulative College Grade Point Average _____ __ Number of Credits Taking_____

*** Major _____ Minor_____**

Do you plan to attend college as a full-time student for the full school year of _____?
YES_____ NO____ Part-time student? YES_____ NO_____

Have you received an ONMM Scholarship in the past? Yes_____ No_____

If yes, date it was awarded_____.

References/Letter of Recommendation:

Please give the name, address and phone number of two character references who can attest to your character, personal and educational goals. One should be the Pastor of your home A.U.M.P. Church and the other should be your high school guidance counselor or college counselor. Both should submit a written letter of recommendation on your behalf directly to the O'NEAL MONTGOMERY MEMORIAL Scholarship Committee by the deadline of APRIL 1.

Name 1: _____

Address:_____

Phone: _____

How do you know this person? _____

Name 2: _____

Address:_____

Phone: _____

How do you know this person? _____

Would you be available for a personal interview? Yes _____ No _____

**** Please include a copy of your academic transcripts with this application from high school or college as appropriate.**

Thank you for applying for an ONMM Scholarship!

By this signing application, I authorize the Scholarship Committee to verify my G.P.A., credits and class load by contacting the college indicated. (if under 18 years, parent/guardian must sign)

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Signature or parent/guardian **Date**

Scholarship Application Checklist:

_____Completed Typed Application **_____ School Transcript**
_____Recommendation Letter **_____Photo**

Date received by Scholarship Committee_____