



Dear Applicant,

Greetings from the Arkansas District Ladies Department! We appreciate your interest in the Ladies Ministries Scholarship and are happy to provide you the application and forms necessary to complete the application process. No applications will be received before FEBRUARY 1<sup>st</sup>! This is to prevent overlapping applications.

We are pleased to provide the Ladies Ministries Scholarship in the amount of \$1000 annually, to a male and female recipient, to the United Pentecostal Church International Endorsed College of their choice. The entire scholarship is made available to the recipient during the first year of enrollment, with the funds being disbursed at the beginning of each term or semester. Please note also that the scholarship applicants are not restricted to high school graduating seniors, however they must be under 25 years of age, a United States Citizen and currently live in the state of Arkansas. Further, to have attended a UPCI endorsed college or any other secular college previously would disqualify an applicant from consideration.

With this letter you will find the application form, pastoral reference form and an application completion check list. It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to see that your **completed** application is **received by MAY 1<sup>st</sup>**. The pastoral reference form must be completed and mailed by the pastor. It is suggested that you provide your pastor with a stamped envelope addressed to the Ladies Ministries application address. It is also required that a copy of your most current high school transcript accompany your application. In order for your application to be valid, every question or blank must be answered completely, and a recent photo must be attached.

If you have any questions please contact us.

Sincerely,

Arkansas Ladies Ministries Executive Committee



## Scholarship Application

Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Name (first, last) \_\_\_\_\_  
Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
Marital Status (circle one) Single Married Widowed Divorced  
Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Scholastic History

List all schools you have attended.  
Include: Name/City, State/Major/GPA/Dates attended/Graduation Date/Degree\*

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(If you need more space, continue on a separate piece of paper and attach)

List any other scholastic information relevant to your application (i.e. honors, awards, clubs) (300 hundred words maximum)

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## Employment History

Beginning with your most recent job list your employment history (list only your three most recent jobs). Include: Company Name / Address / Dates Employed / Full or Part Time? / Job title & brief description. \*

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(If you need more space, continue on a separate piece of paper and attach)

## Academic Budget Projection

Please accurately estimate expenses and revenue for the entire academic year. (Check the college's website or contact the administration office for tuition, fees, and dormitory information.)

Estimated Total Expenses \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Total Financial Resources \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Unmet Financial Need \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Describe any unusual personal expenses or income situations that make it difficult for you and your family to contribute to the cost of your education. (300 words maximum)

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# Christian Service

Have you been baptized in Jesus name? \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received the baptism of the Holy Ghost according to Acts 2:4? \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the United Pentecostal Church you currently attend

\_\_\_\_\_

How long have you attended this church \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's name \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor or church's phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's  
address \_\_\_\_\_

Are you living a consistent Christian life to the best of your ability? Explain in 300 words maximum.

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List and describe any church related activities in which you have been or are now involved (youth ministry, bible quizzing, Sunday school, choir, evangelism, Hyphen, etc.) 300 words maximum.

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Do you feel a call to any particular area of Christian service? Explain in 300 words maximum.

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## Essay

On a separate piece of paper, express in your own words why you would like to attend college. Explain what contribution you believe education can make to your life and how you plan to utilize these benefits in your future. The essay should be 250-300 words, typed and double spaced.

## College Choice

Indicate below which UPCI endorsed institution you are interested in attending.

Apostolic Bible Institute St. Paul, MN

Christian Life College Stockton, CA

Indiana Bible College Indianapolis, IN

Texas Bible College Lufkin, TX

Urshan College St. Louis, MO

Secular College (please list name, city, state) \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicant Signature

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Date

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Pastor's Signature

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Date

**IMPORTANT:** It is your responsibility to see that your completed application is received by the Ladies Ministries Department by May 1<sup>st</sup>. Your application will not be complete without ALL of the required documents.

RETURN APPLICATION TO:  
Arkansas District Ladies Ministries  
Erica O'Connell, Secretary  
8179 Hwy 63 N  
Bono, AR 72416

## Completed Application Check List

\_\_\_\_ Completed Application

\_\_\_\_ Photo

\_\_\_\_ Typed Essay

\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_ Pastor's Signature

\_\_\_\_ Pastor has received a copy of the Pastoral Reference Form  
with \_\_\_\_\_ addressed envelope

\_\_\_\_ Copy of official transcripts included with application



## Pastoral Reference Form: 2 pages (Confidential)

The student who has given you this reference form is applying for a scholarship provided by the Arkansas District Ladies Ministries. Your prompt reply is greatly appreciated and will be held in strictest confidence. It is important to know that the student's application will not be complete without this form and therefore would not be eligible for consideration of this scholarship. Please complete and mail this form by May 1<sup>st</sup> to:

Arkansas District Ladies Ministries  
Gina Sanders, Secretary  
PO Box 116  
Nashville, AR 71852

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you know the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

Has applicant been baptized in Jesus name and received the Holy Ghost according to Acts 2:4 to the best of your knowledge? \_\_\_\_\_

Does applicant live according to the Biblical principles and UPCI stance on modesty and appearance to the best of your knowledge? \_\_\_\_\_

Please evaluate applicant in the following areas:

	<u>Above average</u>	<u>Average</u>
<u>Below Average</u>		
<u>Emotional</u>		
<u>Stability</u>		
<u>Personal</u>		
<u>appearance</u>		
<u>Moral</u>		
<u>character</u>		
<u>Cooperativeness</u>		

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Respect for  
Authority \_\_\_\_\_  
Leadership  
Ability \_\_\_\_\_  
Consideration for  
others \_\_\_\_\_  
Personal  
Responsibility \_\_\_\_\_

(continued Pastoral Reference Form)

Is the applicant actively involved in the activities of the church? \_\_\_\_\_  
Please list the activities and describe their involvement in these activities (youth ministry, bible quizzing, Sunday school, choir, evangelism, Hyphen, etc.):

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Do you know of any health factors physical or emotional of which we should be aware?

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Would you recommend this individual, without exception, for a scholarship?

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If not, explain:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Pastor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date