



Truelight Community Fellowship  
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# Scholarship Application

## Award Description

Award Name	Description	Amount
Founder's Award	In honor of the founding Pastor and First Lady of GTLBC. Pastor Henry W. & Sister Leontine Lee. This award will be awarded specifically to applicants pursuing a degree or certificate in Ministry, Biblical Studies, Mortuary Science, Fashion Design, Cosmetology, or Engineering ( <u>Applicants can be either a graduating senior or an adult returning to school</u> )	\$1,500.00
Legacy Award	In honor of all the occupations held by the founding members of GTLBC. This will be awarded specifically to applicants pursuing a degree or certificate in Organizational Leadership, Public Safety, Finance, Agricultural studies and or anything within the medical field ( <u>Applicants can be either a graduating senior or an adult returning to school</u> )	\$1,000.00
Be The Light Award BOL	Awarded to an applicant who goes above the call of duty as related to Christian service within both the community and church. ( <u>Applicants can be either a graduating senior or an adult returning to school</u> )	\$500.00

\*\* Recipients are eligible to receive awards once every 4 years. All completed applications will be reviewed however, not all applicants will be awarded a scholarship\*\*

## Award Eligibility Requirements and Supporting Documentation

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be a high school senior or an adult returning to school.</li> <li>• Be an active member of a church ministry</li> <li>• Pursue education at an accredited four-year college, two year college, or trade school,</li> <li>• if in high school you must present an official transcript with a minimum cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 on most recent grade transcript.</li> <li>• Applicants must present an acceptance letter to higher education institution.</li> <li>• Complete the required essay.</li> <li>• Complete the in person interview</li> <li>• Submit a completed application along with your essay by March 30, 2024.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Applicants must complete and submit an application and attach all of the supporting documents referenced below.</li> <li>• The completed, signed original application and all supporting documents must be mailed to the Truelight Community Scholarship Fund Committee postmarked by March 30, 2024. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.</li> <li>• Applications must be signed by the applicant and the applicant's parent or legal guardian (if applicant is under age 18) certifying that all information provided is true and correct.</li> <li>• Scholarship recipients will be notified both by mail and email. All awards will be presented with a scholarship certificate on the 29<sup>th</sup> of June 2024 during the Ministries Annual Graduation Ceremony.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (For high school applicants) An official high school transcript must be submitted and attached to the application. The transcript must verify the minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher. Applicant must be and eligibility for graduation in spring of 2024.</li> <li>• High school applicants must submit a one page letter of recommendation from one of the applicant's current teachers or a school official. The letter should at minimum detail the applicant's background, academic and extracurricular achievements and contributions.</li> <li>• All applicants must submit a one page letter of recommendation from a church member serving in a leadership capacity of the applicant's church of membership. The letter should detail applicant's membership status and length of membership, participation in church activities, leadership abilities, community service, and any contributions the applicant has made to the church community, including unpaid volunteer work.</li> <li>• Applicant must submit a one page character reference letter from a school, church, or community organization, which describes the applicant's character. The character reference letter cannot be from a family member or from the same person providing the church and school recommendation letters</li> <li>• Applicant must submit a 1,000 word essay. See application for essay format and content requirements.</li> </ul>

\*\*APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 30, 2024\*\*

## Applicant Information

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

\_\_\_\_\_

City State ZIP Code

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been baptized?      YES      NO      Name of Church where membership is held:  
            \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

## Education

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Did you graduate?      YES      NO      Diploma: \_\_\_\_\_  
     

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Counselor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide the information below, to the best of your knowledge. This information will be verified using the official transcripts and test scores provided.

<b>Overall GPA</b>

## Colleges and Universities

List all colleges and universities that you have applied for admissions during the 2024-2025 academic school year.

Name of University, College, or Trade School	Have you been accepted for admission to the college/university? (√ response)		
	Yes	No	Pending Response

(If additional space is needed please attach a separate sheet, labeled "Colleges and Universities".)

## School Extracurricular Activities

List all extracurricular activities and/or organizations ( Volunteer service, sports, clubs, theater, etc.), that you have been involved in during the last four years of high school. (Exclude activities for which you received course credit.) Describe the purpose of the activity or organization. Indicate any positions/offices of leadership held, the duration of your leadership position/office, and a description of your leadership roles and responsibilities.

Name of Activity and Purpose and Organization	Position Held	Duration From	Duration To

## Most Recent Work Experience

Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Job Position: \_\_\_\_\_  
 From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

## Supporting Documentation Checklist

In order to ensure timely review of applications please ensure the following is attached with your application:

- Official High School Transcript (If graduating from High School)
- Letter of Recommendation – High School (If graduating from High School)
- Letter of Recommendation – Church
- Letter of Recommendation – Character Reference
- Letter of Acceptance to institution
- Applicant’s Essay

**Essay Question:** “While walking down the street you see a person laying on the side of the road badly beaten. You observe some people taking pictures and others just walking by, what do you do and why? ”

**Format:** 1,000 word, typewritten MLA Format,

You may submit your completed application along with the supporting documents via the following three ways:

1. Return it to a member of the Scholarship Committee.
2. Email it to the following address: **Info@TCFellowshipsb.com**
3. Mail it to the following address ensuring it is postmarked no later than March 30, 2024

**Truelight Community Fellowship**  
**\*\*Scholarship Committee\*\***  
 12625 Frederick St. Ste. I-5 #190  
 Moreno Valley, CA 92553

## Disclaimer and Signature

*I affirm to the best of my knowledge, that the information contained in this scholarship application and the attached supporting documents are true.*

*I certify that I am currently enrolled in high school as a senior classman, in good standing or an adult looking to return to school.*

*I have applied to colleges and/or universities, referenced in this application, for the fall 2024-2025 academic school year. If selected, it is my responsibility to provide the Truelight Community Scholarship Committee with verification of my enrollment in college or trade school.*

*The award will be issued upon receipt of verification of enrollment at a college, university, or trade school. I understand that if I am selected to receive an award, and I do not enroll in a college, university, or trade school during the fall of the 2024-2025 academic school year, I will forfeit the award.*

*Furthermore, if I enroll in a college, university, or trade school during the fall 2024-2025 academic school year and do not attend the verified school of enrollment for the duration of the academic school year, I may be required to return the scholarship funds received.*

*I also authorize the Truelight Community Fellowship Scholarship Fund Committee to verify any and all information provided.*

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

Parent or  
Guardian  
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If applicant is under 18 years of age)