

ADORA S. JONES MINISTERIAL TRUST SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Adora S. Jones Ministerial Trust has been established by a lovely lady who was a school teacher, and member of Salem United Methodist Church in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. The following is paraphrased from Adora's Will.

"It is my wish that the Trustee shall use the income from the trust to the extent that the same shall become available, for the purpose of grants/scholarships from such income to college and seminary students from the State of Iowa who are in need of assistance to maintain them in college/seminary for the purpose of studying for the ministry. While I am a member of the Methodist Church, it would be satisfactory with me if my Trustee would give scholarships to deserving students who would be studying for the ministry in the Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist, or Congregational Churches. While by specifying these particular denominations, I do not wish to indicate that other denominations are not worthy of consideration, but because of the fact that the Trust Funds are limited, I desire to specify those particular denominations. It is my wish that the grants/scholarships be given to deserving students who are desirous of preaching the gospel. It is my wish that such grants/scholarships be granted at the discretion of the Ministerial Trust Administration."

- * Applicants for a grant/scholarship must have been an Iowa resident prior to college entry.
- * Applicants for a grant/scholarship must be enrolled in college/seminary and actively pursuing studies toward preaching the Gospel.
- * Scholarship applications for the Year 2012 must be postmarked by November 1, 2012
- * Awards will be from \$700 to \$1500 each, depending on the amount available, the number of applicants, their qualifications, and given at the discretion of the Adora S. Jones Ministerial Trust Administration. Awards will be made in December 2012.

Please fill out the attached Grant/Scholarship Fund Applications forms and return by the deadline (November 1, 2012). Grants/Scholarships are for School year 2012-2013.

To: **ADORA S. JONES MINISTERIAL TRUST
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28. Other outstanding debts -- list all

	Amount Outstanding	When incurred?	Purpose	Lender	When due?	Amount that must be paid this year
A.	\$					\$
B.	\$					\$
C.	\$					\$
D.	\$					\$

Use this space to explain or augment answers to questions 16-28. (Insert additional pages if needed)

Detail your projected budget for the 12 month period covered by this application. Married students are to include all family income and expenses. AUGUST 2012 –JULY 2013

29. This budget and application is for the 12 months beginning ____ / ____ / ____.

EXPENSES

RESOURCES

- 30. Tuition & fees \$ _____
- 31. Books \$ _____
- 32. Spouse's educational exp. \$ _____
- 33. Food & Household supplies \$ _____
- 34. Rent (including utilities) \$ _____
- 35. Clothing, laundry \$ _____
- 36. Entertainment \$ _____
- 37. Insurance (Life & Renters) \$ _____
- 38. Health insurance (Medical/dental) \$ _____
- 39. Car operating expense (include insurance) \$ _____
- 40. Other transportation expense \$ _____
- 41. Payment on debts (In. 26-28) \$ _____
- 42. Church and charity contributions \$ _____
- 43. Other expenses (detail below) \$ _____
- 44. TOTAL expenses \$ _____
- 45. Student's summer earnings \$ _____

- 46. Student's school year earnings \$ _____
- 47. Spouse (or spouse to be) earnings \$ _____
- 48. Seminary work study \$ _____
- 49. From Parents \$ _____
- 50. From local church scholarships \$ _____
- 51. Scholarship/grants from school \$ _____
- 52. Scholarships/grants -- all other sources except this fund \$ _____
- 53. Social security, GI Bill, etc. \$ _____
- 54. Income tax refund \$ _____
- 55. Interest or income from investments \$ _____
- 56. From savings (available for this year) \$ _____
- 57. Other Income (Detail below) \$ _____
- 58. Do you have housing, meals, or similar work benefits in lieu of cash? _____
If yes, cash value \$ _____
- 59. TOTAL Resources \$ _____

60. Are there any special medical, travel, educational, or other considerations the administrator should be aware of in considering this application? _____

61. Attach or have sent a statement by one of the following who know you:
a member of your District Committee on Ordained Ministry, or Conference Board of Ordained Ministry Interview Team member, or your District Superintendent. (These are United Methodist terms. Please adopt to own church). Ask him/her to verify your status as a Candidate or Probationer, and to comment on his/her evaluation of your potential in your chosen church vocation.

62. Please give a brief history of your residency in IOWA.

63. Have a member/sponsor of the School Administration or Faculty Member who knows you write a letter of recommendation.

64. Enclose a letter explaining your goals and objectives.

65. I certify that the information contained in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and correct, that I am a full time seminary student, and that it is my current intention to seek an appointment within the Iowa Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church. The underlined church is an example, other denominations acceptable.

Signature _____ Date _____

Permanent Address: _____

Phone No: _____ . E-mail: _____

Please provide the full name and address of the seminary you are attending. The Scholarship Check will be sent to the Seminary Financial Office in your name, and given credit toward your Seminary expenses. { For those receiving a Grant } _____

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