

Pastor W.S. and Mrs. Evelyn Nelson Scholarship

Purpose: The sole purpose of the Pastor W.S. and Mrs. Evelyn Nelson Scholarship is to encourage and assist the youth at Calvary Church of Granbury who desire to prepare themselves for the work of the Lord. When we consider our founding pastor and his wife, Bro. & Sis. Nelson, and their passion for ministry and education, this is a fitting tribute and memorial for their labor of love here in Granbury. This Scholarship also fulfills a very important function in obeying the Great Commission, by encouraging and assisting the youth of Calvary Church of Granbury to equip themselves to spread the truth of the Gospel.

Qualifications: This scholarship is designed to aid a young man or woman (ages 16 to 30) who has:

- 1) attended Calvary Church of Granbury services regularly for at least 2 years, and who both believes in and has experienced the salvation message of Acts 2:38.
- 2) an intention to attend an Apostolic Bible College (choice of college is subject to approval by the scholarship committee).
- 3) a God-given desire to fulfill the Great Commission as a Christian worker through a full- or part-time career in the ministry or Christian education.
- 4) demonstrated a willingness to work, both to meet his or her financial needs through a secular job, and to assist others by giving of time and talents through volunteer efforts in the church and community at large.
- 5) a financial need of assistance in order to meet his or her educational expenses.

Receipt of this scholarship requires completion of an approved scholarship application form by the applicant.

Scholarship Application: Scholarship applications will be made available at the church at least 30 days prior to the application deadline. The completed application must be turned in to the designated recipient no later than 5 PM on the deadline date. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. Preference will be given to those who meet the above qualifications. An applicant may be awarded the Scholarship for multiple years, not to exceed four (4) total years. The award of this scholarship is at the sole discretion of the Scholarship Committee and their decision is final.

Scholarship Amount: The amount of the scholarship may vary annually, as funds allow. The exact amount will be announced each year at least 30 days prior to the application deadline.

Scholarship Award: Funds may be paid directly to the award recipient, or paid to the college of the recipient's choice, as determined by the Scholarship Committee. At the discretion of the Scholarship Committee, funds may be held until verification of acceptance and/or enrollment in an approved institution is obtained. Funds are intended for payment of tuition expenses only unless permission is granted by the Scholarship Committee in writing.

Application For the W.S. and Mrs. Evelyn Nelson Scholarship

This application must be turned in to _____ by 5 PM on _____ for consideration for the _____ academic year.

Full Name: _____

Age: _____ Birth Date: _____

Years you have attended Calvary Church of Granbury (please state to the closest half year): _____

I certify I have fulfilled and believe the salvation message of Acts 2:38 by repentance, baptism in Jesus' name, and receiving the Holy Ghost with the evidence in speaking in other tongues as the Spirit gives the utterance.

I certify I am endeavoring to live a Christian life as outlined in the Holy Scripture, and will conduct myself in a manner befitting a Christian young person representing Calvary Church of Granbury as I work toward my goal of obtaining an education in Christian ministry or education.

Please answer the following questions in complete sentences:

1) To what area of Christian ministry/ education do you feel God has called you, and when did you first recognize this calling?

2) What have you done to prepare for or practice this area of ministry?

3) Which Apostolic Bible College do you plan to attend and why?

4) What role(s) have you filled in your church (ie- Sunday School teacher, musician, etc.), and what was your favorite memory of this experience?

5) Briefly explain your financial situation. Include a good estimate of the money it will take to pay for tuition, room and board, and supplies for your coming year in college, and how much you have saved toward these expenditures.

Please list the following:

6) List church or community volunteer work you have done in the last 2 years, such as church clean-up, yard work for the elderly, food drives, trash pickup, etc.

7) List any clubs (Scouts or 4-H), school groups (band or Honor Society), or other organizations you have been involved with during your high school tenure. Include a brief description of what you did and any offices you held.

| Organization/ Group | Years Involved | Office or Role | Activity or Award |
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8) Please list your last 3 places of employment, your role (ie- cashier, sales clerk, etc.) and the dates you began and ended each job.

Optional:

You may choose to submit a one-page letter of recommendation from a teacher, employer, or mentor, if desired.