FOUNDATION FOR COLLEGE CHRISTIAN LEADERS A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION 2658 Del Mar Heights Road, PMB #266 Del Mar, CA 92014 2016/2017 WWW.COLLEGECHRISTIANLEADER.COM

Mission Statement: The purpose of the Foundation is to assist Christian individuals with identified leadership history, high academic achievement and financial need to undertake academic, vocational and ministry training to further the Kingdom of Jesus Christ.

Guidelines: The following are the minimum guidelines that must be met before a candidate will be considered for scholarship:

- 1. Christian testimony, and verifiable Christian leadership history.
- 2. Entering undergraduate studies, or currently attempting to attain a degree.
- 3. 3.0 G.P.A. or better
- 4. Financial need. First, we need copies of the students' tax returns (if any) for the past two years (2014, and 2015). In addition,

(a) If you have submitted to the federal government a Free Application for Federal Student Aid ("FAFSA") please provide the complete "Student Aid Report" ("SAR") which shows "Expected Family Contribution" ("EFC").

(b) If you have NOT applied through FAFSA or do not have the SAR and EFC please attach pages 1 & 2 of your parents' federal tax returns for the past two years. Such information will be held in strictest confidence. If your parents are divorced, both natural and step parents' (if remarried) tax returns for the past two years must be submitted in order to be considered for financial aid.

(c) In addition to (a) or (b), if your family is in ministry and receives a "parsonage" (or housing) allowance, state the annual amounts thereof for the past two years.

The Board of Directors has adopted the following policies:

1.We consider applications only from students whose permanent addresses are in the states of California, Oregon or Washington or students who attend school in any of those states;

2. We do not consider applications from students who attend, or will attend, unaccredited colleges or for-profit colleges or universities; and

3. We do not consider applications for graduate studies, such as Masters degrees or other postgraduate efforts.

The Application Process: The Website contains the following forms which can be downloaded for completion: (1) Application Cover Sheet (to assist you in making certain you have provided the requested information); (2) the Application itself; (3) Leadership Assessment form; and (4) Ministry Reference form. All of these forms as well as the information and documents referenced or requested in them must be received in <u>one</u> package by the deadline of **May 20, 2016**, in order for you to be considered.

The above-listed forms are presented in Adobe PDF format. If you do not have that program available you can download that free by going to Adobe's website (www:Adobe.com) and following the

instructions and icons at that website for "Acrobat Reader" (the "free" download). Of course, you can always mail a request for these forms to us at the above address.

Deadline: The deadline for receipt by the Foundation of a fully complete application package is **May 20, 2016**. If the application package is incomplete for any reason the Foundation is not obliged to notify the applicant and the Foundation is under no obligation to consider an incomplete application package. It will take us several weeks to consider the hundreds of applications we normally receive and usually notifications of awards are sent in mid-July. Special consideration is given to minority students. Not all who apply will receive an award.

Contacting Us: You can contact us by e-mail at "LMHays@aol.com." We much prefer to deal with the student-applicant rather than parents. That way, misunderstandings are minimized and it can reflect adversely on a student's "leadership" if we find ourselves dealing with a parent rather than the student. Thank you.