



Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation
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Scholarship Application

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is **Date: August 2nd, 2013. (NO EXCEPTIONS)**
2. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
4. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you.
5. You will be notified by phone or mail by **September 27th, 2013.** regarding the status of your application.
6. If you have any questions about the application, please call Mr. Nikita Jones at (804) 855-8882 or Mrs. Michelle Foreman (804)852-7429, Directors of the AJF Scholarship Fund at or by email at ajffoundation@verizon.net

PURPOSE

This foundation was named in honor of the son of Pastor Gary and LaTanya Foreman, the late Ayden Josiah Foreman. Pastor Gary Foreman has dedicated most of his adult life to serving youth in the local community as well as around the world. His passion for young people is demonstrated through the time he devotes educating them academically, spiritually and in the practical ways of life. Through the creation of the S.A.L.T. Conference, he afforded young minds the opportunity to express themselves through music, dance, drama, and public speaking.

After over 25 years of dedication, Pastor Gary focused his attention on family life. He married and was blessed with a beautiful baby boy, Ayden Josiah. Ayden represented all the attributes his father poured into so many young people for so many years. Ayden's time on earth ended unexpectedly on May 16, 2012, at only seven months old he had fulfilled his purpose. Yet his presence still fills the heart of so many who knew and grew to love him as their own. It is with this love and appreciation for his life and for what Pastor Gary has contributed to so many lives that we formed The Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation (AJF7 Foundation).

The AJF7 Foundation's mission is to assist young adults in learning the social skills, academic concepts and job training techniques necessary to become successful members of society and challenge young minds to find their purpose, fuel it with passion and fulfill their destiny.

Our mission will be accomplished through the following programs:

1. Community Involvement – Encouraging young people to get involved by giving time to community-related events and services.
2. Social awareness workshops – Teaching young people about the dynamics of social relationships between individuals, groups and communities.
3. Tutorial Services – Educating young people through a method of transferring knowledge by example and supplying the information to complete a certain task.
4. Career Development – Helping young people develop the skills in preparation of entering the workforce.
5. Scholarships – Awards given to college-bound students that have achieved academically, socially and within their communities

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE is based on financial need, academic performance, leadership potential, and participation in community service events, including but not limited to volunteer hours.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation of Richmond, Virginia, awards scholarships on the basis of a comprehensive process. Areas that are reviewed by the committee include, but are not limited to the following: Academic Accomplishments, Community Service, References, Personal Essay and Financial Need. The Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation pays scholarship funds directly to the recipient's school. The Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation Scholarship is awarded without regard to race, color, ethnicity, gender or sexual orientation. Scholarships awarded are based upon the availability of funds and additional qualifying criteria.

CRITERIA

- Applicants must have permanent residence status in Richmond, Virginia.
- Applicants must be completing or have completed high school successfully with a minimum unweighted GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must be accepted as a full time student at a college, university, or trade school program for the upcoming academic semester. If scholarship money is awarded, this is the only program that will receive the funds on behalf of the applicant.

TIMELINE

- Applications are due by, **Date: August 2nd, 2013.**
- Candidates that are eligible for interviews will be notified by the Scholarship Committee by **Date: September 27th, 2013.**

Application Process

NEW SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

- Completed application form.
- Official high school transcript in a sealed envelope from the institution.
- Two academic references from a school counselor or teacher.
- A letter completed reference from an employer or other community member.
- Proof of acceptance at an academic, vocational or technical school for post-secondary studies.
- Demonstrated financial need.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- Award recipients will be announced on November 24th, 2013 during College Sunday Service at: Abundant Life Church of Christ. 3300 Neal St. Richmond, Virginia, 23223
- All awards announced during College Sunday will be applied to the students account the following Fall semester.
- Applicant must provide their **student ID, the correct mailing address of their institution and the department where their scholarship check is to be received.**

Deadline for the application is, **Date: August 2nd, 2013.** Applications postmarked after this date will not be considered.

Please mail OR submit application in person to:

“Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation”
C/O Second Chance Consulting Service
Attention: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 4342

Please check one of the following:

New Scholarship applicant _____

Scholarship Renewal _____

Application 2013-must be filled out by applicant.

Please type on a separate sheet or print your answers below. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.	
1	Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
2	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
3	Daytime Telephone Number: () _____ Email address: _____
4	Current High School/College: _____ Number of years attended HS/College: _____
5	I will be attending the following school in the <u>Fall of 2014</u> : _____ Address/ Phone _____
6	What year will you enter school? Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior
7	Will you be a full time student? _____
8	Will you be a commuting student? Will you live on campus? _____ If you are not living on campus, where will you be living? _____
9	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Attach proof of GPA; your most recent official school transcript required.
10	ACT Score: _____ Or SAT Score: _____

	A copy of your ACT or SAT score sheet on official high school transcript is required.				
11	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space. Name (s) _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Home phone of parents or legal guardians: _____				
12	List the name of any college you have attended.	Year Began	Year Ended	Year Graduated	Type of Degree Received
	A.				
	B.				
	C.				
13	What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education?				
14	List expenses you expect to incur per semester or quarter: (Approximate figures acceptable) Make additional comments if needed.				
	A.	Tuition:	Amount: \$		
	B.	Books:	Amount: \$		
	C.	Room & Board:	Amount: \$		
	D.	Other expenses:	Amount: \$		
	E.	Other expenses:	Amount: \$	“	
15	List other financial assistance you will receive per semester or quarter:				
	A.	Personal:	Amount: \$		
	B.	Other Scholarship(s):	Amount: \$		
	C.	Grants:	Amount: \$		
	C.	Student Loan(s):	Amount: \$		
	D.	Other Financial Resources:	Amount: \$		

Please list the following information on a separate sheet if needed.

16	SCHOOL EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: Please list school extra-curricular activities in which you have participated. Note leadership roles and dates.
17	AREA OF STUDY: What do you want to study and why?
18	ORGANIZATIONS: Please list community organizations such as service, volunteer and religious organizations in which you are now active or have previously been active. Note leadership roles and dates.
19	RECOGNITIONS: Please list important awards and recognitions received. Note organizations presenting honor and date.
20	GOALS: What are the short and long term goals for your life?
21	NEED: Please explain your need for the Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation Scholarship
22	CAREER PLANS: What are your career plans and what would you like to be doing in 10 years?
23	<p>A. The following items must be attached to this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee.</p> <p>B. Your application will be returned to you if these items are not attached to this application. (No exceptions.)</p> <p>C. Circle "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.</p>

YES	NO	Two reference forms. Your references will mail these to the Ayden Josiah Foreman Foundation C/O Second Chance Consulting Service Attention: Scholarship Committee P.O. Box 4342 Richmond, VA 23220
YES	NO	Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. A letter of college acceptance or program acceptance is required for receipt of funds.
YES	NO	Most recent <u>official</u> high school or <u>official</u> college transcript. Photocopies of your transcript are <u>not acceptable</u> .
YES	NO	Answers to questions 1-22

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the AJF7 Foundation Scholarship Committee is true, correct and without forgery. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the AJF7 Foundation.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to AJF7 Foundation scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

Witness _____ Date: _____

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Date: August 2nd, 2013 No exceptions!**