LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH THE ERNEST CANTY, SR. EDUCATION, RECOGNITION, AND SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

PLEASE COMPLETE <u>ALL</u> REQUIRED INFORMATION:

- 1. The applicant must be a member of Little Zion Baptist Church <u>in good standing</u> and a regular attending participant in Bible Study, Sunday School or other activities.
- 2. The applicant <u>must</u> be a current year high school graduate and must have at least a 2.75 GPA. (*A copy of grades must be attached to the completed application*)
- 3. The applicant must show proof of enrollment for the Fall Semester at an accredited institution of higher learning where payment of tuition is required.

Acceptable Documentation:

- College acceptance letter with the confirmation letter from parent(s) or guardian(s)
- A class schedule or room assignment (*if living on campus*)
- 4. The applicant must be enrolled in one of the following programs:
 - A two- or four-year undergraduate degree program
 - A Technical program leading to a professional certificate
 - A Vocational program leading to a professional certificate
- 5. The applicant must submit a <u>one-page</u> typewritten essay on his/her activities in high school and subjects that lead to your college goals; include extracurricular activities in church, in school, and community.
- 6. <u>After receiving a completed application, the applicant will be scheduled for a personal interview by the Little Zion Scholarship Committee</u>. Applicants will be notified of the date of interview and selection.
- 7. <u>Applications will be emailed. Applicants must return applications to the Administration Office by</u> <u>Sunday, June 2, 2024 by email. Email to littlezionbc@hotmail.com and Lesa Scurry at escurry@aol.com.</u>
- 8. All documents must be presented at the time the application is submitted. **Incomplete applications will not be accepted or funds awarded.**

Applicants will be notified of selection by telephone or email.

If an applicant or recipient of an award makes a decision to change the choice of school or college, a letter of acceptance from the new school or college must be submitted to the Scholarship Ministry.

If any funds are awarded and for some reason the recipient is unable to attend school for the year as presented on the application, an explanation must be submitted to the Scholarship Ministry in writing <u>and the full amount of the award</u> <u>must be returned to the church at the same time or within 30 days thereafter.</u>

For any questions concerning this application, please contact Lesa Scurry at escurry@aol.com. *(Revised 2024)