

# The Ermeda C. Chapman Scholarship

## Applicant Guidelines



### History & Purpose:

Mrs. Ermeda C. Chapman, along with her husband, Bro. Ben Chapman, is co-founder of Lighthouse Christian Camp, Inc. For over 40 years, Mrs. Chapman has faithfully served in the ministry of Lighthouse Christian Camp. Her leadership, hard work and giving spirit has been an inspiration and blessing to many.

Ermeda earned a Business degree from Nashville Business College and strives for excellence in everything she does. She has served as Executive Secretary, Bookkeeper, Administrator, Counselor, Cook, Food Service Director, Foster Parent and Vice-President of Lighthouse Christian Camp.

Ermeda has demonstrated she takes great joy in giving to others. Therefore, the Board of Directors and Officers of Lighthouse Christian Camp desire to honor her faithful service by establishing the Ermeda C. Chapman Scholarship fund.

The Ermeda C. Chapman Scholarship is awarded to previous Lighthouse Christian campers who may need some financial assistance to extend their education/skill set to be successful and independent. This may include but is not limited to: college, seminary school, trade school, or vocational training. These funds may be used for tuition, educational materials, fees, transportation needs, or housing. This scholarship will be awarded annually to one or more applicants as need and funds permit.



### Applicant Eligibility:

- \* Shall be a former Lighthouse Christian camper.
- \* Shall be graduating high school, receiving a GED or attending a higher education school.

**To Be Considered for the Scholarship:** Completed Application must be received electronically or else postmarked on or before **March 1<sup>st</sup>** and must include the following:

- 1. APPLICATION** - application can be obtained at <https://lighthousechristiancamp.com/scholarship>.  
If you have any questions, please email the Selection Committee at [contact@lighthousechristiancamp.com](mailto:contact@lighthousechristiancamp.com).
- 2. OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT**
- 3. LETTER** - letter explaining how receiving this scholarship could help you achieve your life goals.
- 4. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION** - Please have **TWO** people of your choice (non family members) send their Letters of Recommendation by **EMAIL** or **MAIL** with Camper Name, First & Last Name, Contact Number, Relationship to Student.

**EMAIL to:** Selection Committee at [contact@lighthousechristiancamp.com](mailto:contact@lighthousechristiancamp.com)

**MAIL to:**

**Lighthouse Christian Camp  
ATTN: Selection Committee  
205 Serenity Place  
Smithville, TN 37166**

### Financial:

Up to \$3,000 scholarship, depending on need, will be awarded annually. Recipients will be notified by April 15<sup>th</sup>. Scholarship should be used within the next academic year. Address submitted on the application will be the address used for the disbursement if awarded.

## Scholarship Application Deadline is MARCH 1

### Responsibilities of Recipient:

1. Shall be a good steward of this scholarship.
2. Shall send proof of enrollment at chosen institution once accepted.
3. Shall contact Lighthouse Christian Camp with updates or concerns.
4. Shall supply Lighthouse Christian Camp with a summary of benefits of the scholarship after the completion of the related coursework.
5. Shall supply Lighthouse Christian Camp with a photo to be used on the website.