| Deborah Gaines – Calvary Baptist Churchstudent aid fund Application form |
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| Applicant Information |
| Name: |
| Date of birth: | Phone: | E-Mail: |
| Current address: |
| Member of what Church: |
| Educational Background: (High School) (College) (Graduate School) |
| Married: (spouse name)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Children: (Names) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| Present Employer: |
| College/University/Advanced Training School You Plan to Attend: |
| Plan to commute or live near campus? |
| Goal toward continuing Education: |
| Previous applicant of this fund? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Anticipated income per month while in school: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| Anticipated expenses per month while in school: |
| Anticipated purpose of degree: |
| What is your life’s commitment? |
| Plans for future church service: |
| Current involvement in the organized life of your church: |
| Do you have a connection with Calvary Baptist Church? (past and/or present) |
| References: (name, phone number, and email)1. Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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\*\*The following items must be included

1. This application filled out completely
2. A letter stating what your faith in Christ means to you, with no more than 200 words
3. A copy of your current transcript
4. Letter of endorsement from pastor stating proof of attendance

*Please turn all of these items in to your high school guidance counselor by March 23rd OR mail to the following address by April 1st:*

Calvary Baptist Church

c/o Shelli Burk

405 Lane Pkwy

Shelbyville, TN 37160

Policies governing Debbie Gaines Scholarship

1. Applications will be accepted on or before April 1st annually. Scholarships will be awarded on various schools’ Honors Day programs.
2. Each year’s scholarship funds will be divided equally among selected recipients. Each scholarship will be sent to the school the student will attend. In the event the committee sees a need to award the money directly to the student due to other scholarships, said money will be awarded directly to the student in the form of a check.
3. Recipients may apply each year until a degree or certificate of completion is awarded.
4. All recipients must maintain a minimum 2.5 grade point average or school equivalent.
5. Recipients must maintain faithful attendance in an evangelical church. (Proof of attendance is required with pastor’s signature on letter of endorsement).
6. If and when necessary, interviews will be conducted by the scholarship committee.
7. Scriptural conduct must be maintained to re-apply for scholarship.
8. The applicant agrees to public awareness of the award.
9. Members of the committee (majority) must approve of the college or higher educational institution (college, trade, vocational, post-secondary school, etc.) the student will attend.

10.)A brief essay over what your faith in Christ means to you must be included with

application. The essay shall be no more than 200 words long.