



Dear Student:

We are pleased that you are interested in applying to our Christian Leaders of the Future Scholarship Program.

Metro Christian Living and Belhaven University partnered in the summer of 2008 to create this annual event for high school seniors in recognition of their Christian leadership within their school, community and church. **In this our third year, we are proud to announce that the top winner will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to the college of his or her choice.**

The application process requires the thoughtful response to six key questions about the student's Christian faith and practice. Students will be judged on the content as well as the quality of their writing. It is essential that the answers be **typed**, preferably in a 12-point Times New Roman font. Applications are accepted by e-mail as a **Word document** attachment sent to leaders@metrochristianliving.com. Note the deadline for entry is **December 3, 2010**. Winners will be selected by a panel of community leaders whose Christian faith has been the foundation of their practice in family, career and community.

In addition to being featured on the cover of the March Issue of *Metro Christian Living*, winners, parents and special friends will be honored at a reception to be held at Belhaven University on **March 3, 2011**. Should you be among our top 20, it will be important to reserve this afternoon. Preceding the reception will be two back-to-back workshops. You will enjoy networking with friends and learning together. Julie Laperouse of Screaming Peacock presents an entertaining and informative session on finding the career path that best suits one's personality and leadership style and Nancy Lottridge Anderson will present a workshop on money management for college bound students.

The highlight of the afternoon will be the naming of the top Christian Leader who will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to the college of his or her choice.

If you have questions or need more information, e-mail leaders@metrochristianliving.com or call Carol at the *Metro Christian Living* office at 601-790-9076.

We look forward to reading your story!

Sincerely,

Marilyn Tinnin
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Christian Leaders of the Future Application

Name:

Name of School:

Address:

Church Membership:

Email address:

Phone #:

***Please TYPE your answers as a WORD document. Use a 12-point Times New Roman font and e-mail as an attachment to Leaders@metrochristianliving.com Deadline for submission is December 3, 2010. We will not accept handwritten applications. We ask you to keep your answers within the word count limits.**

1. Briefly describe a specific situation that you have lived out your faith in the classroom or at a school activity. (250 words or less)
2. Briefly share how you came to know Christ. (250 words or less)
3. What activities are you involved in at school, in the community and church?
4. What is your favorite Bible passage and why? (200 words or less)
5. What Christian leaders have most impacted your life and how? (200 words or less)
6. How will you live your faith intentionally in a world that is becoming increasingly antagonistic toward Christianity? (250 words or less)
7. What career do you believe the Lord is calling you to pursue and why? (100 words or less)

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