

**Application Form (Please Print or Type)**

**Date Due: May 31st**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

**Immediate family's yearly income range: \_\_ \$15,000 or less, \_\_ \$15,000 \_\_ 25,000 \_\_ \$25,000 or higher**

Do you have any other household members in college? **Yes or No** How many? \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt# \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received any other scholarships? **Yes or No** Please indicate the amount awarded. \_\_\_\_\_

- **Please note that you will need TWO letters of recommendation from your church pastor/ and/or Community Activity Leader that can verify your church and community participation and affiliation.**

Church membership: \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_

If church membership is less than a year please indicate the reason **WHY?**

Pastor and/or Church Mentor: \_\_\_\_\_ Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

List **Church/Community (volunteer) activities** and identify with name, phone and activity leader address:

<b>Church</b>	<b>Community Services</b>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Name and Address of College/University: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Identify college bookstore: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate what kind of degree you are pursuing (check one)

- Associate of Arts Degree or Trade/Business School**
- Undergraduate College (4 year institution)**
- University (Graduate Degree or Beyond)**

Indicate your current GPA (4.0 scale) \_\_\_\_\_ (2.5 GPA or higher is required)

- **Please submit your most recent official transcript of your last two semesters.**
- **Proof of full time enrollment confirmation at an accredited academic institution must be provided.**



**THE ESSAY**

ESSAY QUESTIONS (You must respond to BOTH essay questions.)  
(Response must be no less than 150 words for each essay and no greater than 300 words per essay.)

**double space**  
**font size: 12 or 14**  
**font styles: Geneva, Courier, and/or Times Roman**  
**all margins: 1 inch**  
**graphics (optional, but not required)**

Be specific and give examples/actual situations that support your answers. Each response should be written on a separate sheet of paper with the selected question stated at the top as well as your name included on each page.

1. Explain in detail at least two community or church outreach activities you have been involved. Also include the following information:
  - a. Population served
  - b. Results of your effort
  - c. Amount of time spent with each activity per month
2. How would you reach out to the community and continue to support your church/community after graduating from college?

I hereby declare or affirm that the information given on this application is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

- Please note that all essays/photos become property of The Elder Theodore L. Barber Scholarship Foundation, Inc.

**POSTMARK DEADLINE: May 31st**



Elder Theodore L. Barber  
Scholarship Foundation Inc.



## MISSION STATEMENT

*The Elder Theodore L. Barber Scholarship Foundation, Inc. was inspired by the determination and energy of the late Elder Theodore L. Barber. Elder Barber was a man with a mission to bring people to Christ. He conducted many street services preaching the word of God, and ministering to the homeless, downtrodden, poverty-stricken, and those who sought a second chance of life. In addition, Elder Barber was a community activist as well as church advocate promoting service for all people. He served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees, President of the Refuge Housing Project, Assistant Superintendent of Sunday School, Chairman of the Minister's Board, President of the Heating Fund Auxiliary, President of the New Membership Auxiliary, President of the Prayer and Sick Committee, sponsor of many bus trips for auxiliaries, and much more.*

***This scholarship will be awarded based on the following criteria:***

- *Grade point average of 2.50 and above*
- *Proof of full time enrollment in an accredited post-secondary academic institution*
- *Proof of membership in church and/or community activities*
- *Ranking of responses on two essay questions*

Mail applications to:

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