

Mother Isabell Brooks Ford Scholarship

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DEADLINE FILING DATE: July 17, 2015

Submit to: The Mother Isabell Brooks Ford Scholarship Committee

Dr. Twila Lindsay, Chairperson

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The Mother Isabell Brooks Ford Memorial Scholarship fund has been established to award scholarships to graduating high school seniors who desire to pursue higher education. Mother Isabell B. Ford was the founder of the National Youth For Christ, Inc. of the Way of the Cross Church of Christ, Int'l. She had a genuine love for young people and always encouraged them to pursue their educational goals and exercise their talents and spiritual gifts. There is no better way to uphold the standards Mother Ford instilled in this organization than to have someone pursue educational goals in her honor.

Scholarship Applicant Requirements:

The applicant must:

1. be active member of The Way of the Cross Church of Christ Int'l for at least one year.
2. be accepted at an accredited institution.
3. have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.0.
4. enrolling as a full-time student according to the school's standards for the program for which you are enrolled.

The Mother Isabell Brooks Ford Scholarship Committee will review and evaluate all applications. The committee will strongly consider:

1. church involvement.
2. community involvement.
3. academic grade point average (GPA).
4. recommendation letters.
5. the essay. Essay entries will be judged on content, organization, originality, clarity, grammar and spelling.
6. Letters of recommendation. Three recommendation forms are enclosed. One recommendation must be from your pastor.

Scholarships will be awarded at The Way of the Cross Church of Christ, Int'l. Convocation, August 2014.

Scholarship checks will be payable and mailed to the recipient's college or university. No checks will be sent to the recipient.

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I, _____ have read and understand the conditions of the scholarship as explained in the **Scholarship Applicant Requirements**. I affirm that I plan to attend a college/university. I affirm that the completed application, including the essay is my own work. I affirm the information contained herein is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Last Name
(Print/Type)

First Name

M.I.

Signature

Address – number, street, and apartment number

City

State

Zip Code

E-Mail Address _____

Phone Numbers: (H) _____ (C) _____

Name of your local church

Pastor: _____

School: _____

Name of College/University you will be attending:

Current GPA _____

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1. List high school activities.

2. List church and community activities. Do not repeat items listed previously.

3. List awards, scholarships or special recognitions you have received.

4. What are your career goals?

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Essay entries will be judged on content, organization, originality, clarity, grammar and spelling.

In approximately 500 words discuss how and why you became interested in your chosen field of study. Include why you are a good candidate for this scholarship.

(Your essay should be typed, double-spaced on 8½ x 11 inch paper)

Your completed application, essay, proof of GPA (final grade report or transcript) and three letters of recommendation should be must be received by **July 17, 2015**. You may email your application to Dr. Twila Lindsay at lindsaytwila@outlook.com or mail your application package to:

Dr. Twila Lindsay
Chairperson, NYFC Scholarship Committee
4536 5th St., N.W.
Washington, DC 20011

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Mother Isabell Ford Scholarship-Recommendation Form

Scholarship Applicant's Name: _____

Name of person making recommendation: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip code: _____

Telephone number: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity? _____

From your observations and knowledge, please rate the applicant by circling the appropriate number.

Criteria	Outstanding	Excellent	Fair	Poor	Not Recommended
Character	5	4	3	2	1
Leadership/Organizational Skills	5	4	3	2	1
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