

SUSAN CURRY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Personal Information

First Name _____ Middle Name _____ Last Name _____

Home Address _____ City _____

County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Mailing Address (if different from Home Address) _____

City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Preferred Phone _____ Cell _____ Landline _____ Text? _____

Alternate Phone _____ Cell _____ Landline _____ Text? _____

Email Address _____

Are you a resident of the State of Alabama? _____ Yes _____ No

I am currently attending _____ High School _____ 4 year/2Year College _____ Vocational/Technical School

Provide a statement (not more than two typed pages) describing your educational goals and career plans, including your background (including church, club and community activities).

High School information not applicable if attending an institution of Higher Learning including a Vocational School.

High School Education Information

High School currently attending _____ G.P.A. _____

Address of High School _____

Name and Phone Number of Guidance Counselor _____

Have you applied for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA)? _____ Were you eligible to receive any? _____

List all other scholarships you have received. _____

Expected Graduation Date _____

(Include a copy of your official transcript from your High School.)

Are you applying for an _____ Associate's Degree _____ Bachelor's Degree _____ Vocational/Technical Degree

Name of College, University, or Vocational/Technical School you plan to attend _____

Have you been accepted at this Institution? _____ Yes _____ No

Is your application pending? _____ Yes _____ No

Higher Education Information

College, University, or Vocational/Technical School currently attending _____

Address of School _____

Have you applied for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA)? _____ Were you eligible to receive any? _____

Is this Federal Financial Aid enough to meet your college needs? _____ Yes _____ No

List all other scholarships you have received for next year. _____

G.P.A. _____ Expected Graduation Date _____

(Include a copy of your Official Transcript from this Institution.)

Will you remain at this Institution next year? _____ Yes _____ No

If no, list the name of the College, University, or Vocational/Technical School you plan to attend.

Have you been accepted at this Institution? _____ Yes _____ No

Is your application pending? _____ Yes _____ No

GRAND CHAPTER RULES

Grand Chapter rules require the following information be stated: “NO FUTURE ACT OF ASSISTANCE IS PROMISED.” The granting of financial assistance to any person(s) under any provision of the Susan Curry Memorial Scholarship Program is not to be relied upon as an indication that any future act of aid or assistance will be provided to or for the benefit of said person(s). No obligation to provide further assistance shall arise; likewise, the recipient shall not argue or assert in any way that further funds are pledged, promised, or guaranteed. The Grand Chapter specifically prohibits any person from making assurances of future aid or assistance to any person(s) from the Susan Curry Memorial Scholarship Program and any such representation shall be deemed beyond the scope of the authority of all persons representing the Grand Chapter. The content of the directive shall be made known to each recipient of funds from the Susan Curry Memorial Scholarship Program.

I acknowledge that I have read, understand and agree to the statements made in the section labeled Grand Chapter Rules.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent (if under 21) _____ Date _____

GRAND CHAPTER ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR OF ALABAMA

SUSAN CURRY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSE: The Susan Curry Memorial Scholarship Program was formed to provide financial assistance to university, college, or technical school students. The Order of the Eastern Star of Alabama Susan Curry Memorial Scholarship Program is for all eligible students now attending or moving into post-secondary education, technical or occupational training.

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS: (1) The applicant must be a United States citizen and (2) a resident of the State of Alabama (except for the purpose of attending school), (3) provide proof of acceptance or attendance in an accredited postgraduate or technical school and (4) demonstrate and maintain a minimum of a 2.5 GPA or better (on a scale of 4.0).

AWARD DETAILS: This scholarship is awarded for one academic year only, but eligible recipients may reapply for consideration in future academic years by meeting the established reapplication criteria. The student applicant must attend an accredited institution and understand that scholarship funds will be paid directly to the Institution on behalf of the student. The academic scholarship is for \$5,000 and the vocational/technical scholarship is for \$3,000.

SELECTION & AWARD PROCESS: Selections will normally be made by April 15th each year or as soon as practical thereafter. Decisions are at the sole discretion of the OES of Alabama Scholarship Committee and are considered final. All information will remain strictly confidential. All information submitted and discussed by the committee shall remain confidential. To the extent possible, a representative of the Eastern Star will present scholarship awards to recipients in an appropriate ceremony at the recipient's school.

APPLICANT RESPONSIBILITIES: The applicant is responsible for ensuring that the submission package is complete and submitted in time to arrive at the Grand Chapter by the close of business March 1 of the appropriate year. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. Faxed copies and packages left outside the Grand Chapter door will not be accepted.

SUBMISSION: The applicant is responsible for ensuring that all requirements are met. Incomplete or late applications **will not** be considered. It is imperative that you review the program guidelines prior to completing this form.

Complete and sign in all indicated locations prior to submitting this application by one of the following methods. These are the only ways to return your completed application to have it considered.

- Mail to: Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of Alabama,
1423 Upper Kingston Rd, Prattville, AL 36067
- Email to: algrsec@knology.net

Applications must be received by close of business on or before March 1 of the appropriate year.

REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST (provided for your use)

- ☐ I have properly indicated the program to which I am applying.
- ☐ I have submitted a letter of acceptance from the Institution.
- ☐ I understand that no further financial assistance is implied.
- ☐ I agree to participate in a presentation ceremony.
- ☐ I have submitted biographical information background (including church, club, & community activities) educational goals, and career plans.
- ☐ I have submitted high school, college, or vocational/technical school transcripts.
- ☐ I have the proper signature(s) on the application form.