

**EMMANUEL CHURCH, INC.
WILMA & LESTER GREEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
1300 N Vine Street
Abilene, Kansas 67410
Telephone 785.263.3342**

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
Application deadline: April 15, 2026**

The following are the criteria for the Emmanuel Church, Inc. Wilma & Lester Green Memorial Scholarship:

- Applicants must reside in Dickinson County, Kansas, with a preference for youth active in a Dickinson County church and/or newspaper carrier from The Abilene Reflector Chronicle.
- Applicants must attend one of the following schools:
- Kansas Wesleyan University, Salina, Kansas
- McPherson College, McPherson, Kansas
- Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas
- Baker University, Baldwin City, Kansas
- Bethany College, Lindsborg, Kansas
- Sterling College, Sterling, Kansas
- Any vocational or community college with a location in Kansas
- Scholarship recipients must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale and be full-time students as determined by the institution of higher education.
- Scholarship recipients can apply in successive years for the scholarship if they meet all other criteria.
- Applicants must show financial need for the scholarship.
- The awards for the 2026-2027 school year will be up to \$6,000.00 which will be sent to the college attended.

Checklist for a Complete Application

- Complete and submit the three (3) page application form and autobiographical sketch which follows this page of instructions.
- Submit a transcript of your high school or post-high school work.
- Have the (3) three people return the recommendation forms to Emmanuel Church Inc. by April 15
- Attach a recent picture of yourself & return to:

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Date _____ Cumulative Grade Point Average _____

ACT Composite _____

Name _____ Birth date _____

Current Address _____ Phone _____

Year of high school graduation and high school attended _____

Father's Name _____ Employment _____

Mother's Name _____ Employment _____

Are you married? Yes ___ No ___ If so, Spouse's name _____

Number of Brothers _____ Ages _____ Number of Sisters _____ Ages _____

Number of siblings currently enrolled in post high school education _____

College, you plan to attend _____ Semester _____ Year
20 _____

Hours you intend to take _____

AGREEMENT

APPLICANT: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND SIGN

I understand if I am selected for an award:

The money will be sent to the school I have designated at the beginning of each semester.

If I should drop out of college at any time during the first semester, I agree to repay the Scholarship Fund the full amount I have received.

Signature

AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Name of Applicant _____

Provide a brief paragraph giving your personal testimony.

Provide a paragraph concerning your participation in your church.

Write a paragraph or paragraphs telling why you are making an application for this scholarship and what you hope to do with your college education.

FINANCIAL

Name of Applicant _____

What full or part-time employment have you had during high school?

Have you worked for The Abilene Reflector Chronicle? _____

In what capacity? _____

Do you plan to work part-time while attending college? _____

Have you or do you intend to apply for other scholarships? _____

If yes, which ones? _____

Describe below any pertinent information concerning the financial assets and obligations of your family that would be helpful in assessing your financial needs. _____

From the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) please list your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) _____.

REFERENCES

Contact at least three people who can testify as to your eligibility for an award based on need, scholastic ability, and character. High school teachers, principal, businessmen or former employers are useful contacts. **DO NOT USE RELATIVES.** Contact these people and get permission to use their names. Give each of them a recommendation form and a stamped envelope addressed to

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Name

Position

Address

RECOMMENDATION FOR EMMANUEL CHURCH, INC. WILMA & LESTER GREEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Concerning _____ Address _____

The above named has applied for the Emmanuel Church, Inc. Wilma & Lester Green Memorial Scholarship. Would you rank the student on each of the following characteristics by placing a check mark somewhere on the horizontal line opposite each of the eight characteristics? Remember to compare this student to the average student. This form will be kept in strict confidence and will only be shown to the selection committee.

1. MOTIVATION _____
Not Motivated Usually Motivated Highly Motivated

2. INITIATIVE _____
Needs Constant Pressure Does What Is Asked Seeks Additional Work

3. INFLUENCE and LEADERSHIP _____
Negative Cooperative Judgment Respected Makes Things Go

4. CONCERN for OTHERS _____
Indifferent Somewhat Actively concerned

5. RESPONSIBILITY _____
Unreliable Usually Dependable Assumes Responsibility

6. INTEGRITY _____
Questionable Generally Honest Always Does What They Say They Will Do

7. PERSONAL APPEARANCE _____
Not Concerned Usually Looks Nice Always Concerned

8. CITIZENSHIP _____
Not A Good Citizen Usually Always A Good Citizen

9. Your estimate of applicant's future success, based on the purpose of this application.
_____ Little Success _____ Average _____ Above Average _____ Superior

10. FINANCIAL NEED: Must Have Help _____ Could Use Help _____ No Help Needed _____

11. Any additional comments you might want to make regarding the applicant's financial need and/or suitability to receive an award.

In what capacity were you associated with this person?

Signature _____ Position _____

Address _____ Date _____