

Date: June 20, 2015

To: All Pastors of the CCIMA

**Re: *Scholarship for Deserving Graduating High School  
or College Students***

Greetings Pastor,

We, the Cherokee County Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance are elated to announce the start of a scholarship in 2015 that will be awarded to a total of two either graduating high school or college students in the amount of \$100 each to help defray the cost of purchasing books for the semester.

The opportunity to receive this scholarship will be made available to all graduating high school or college students who have successfully earned a 2.5 or higher grade point average.

The recipient of the scholarship will be determined by the CCIMA Committee after the submission of the student's 500 word essay has been received. After careful review, the selected winner will then meet with the CCIMA Committee comprising of Rev. Lee Byars, President and the attending officers, at that time, to receive the check which will be made payable to the institution he/she will be attending.

**In summary, Each Graduating High School or  
College Student who desires to be considered  
for the scholarship should:**

1. Be an active attendee of the church that will submit the essay for the individual.

(The church should, therefore, be a regular participant and in full-standing with the Ministerial Alliance Ministry.)

2. Must have maintained a 2.5 or higher GPA.
3. Must write an essay of 500 words explaining why he/she should be chosen for the scholarship of \$100.
4. The essay should be proofread for clarity, grammatical and/or punctuation errors and corrected prior to submission.
5. Must be returned to the CCIMA Committee by Sunday, July 19, 2015.

With Sincere Thanks,

Rev. Lee Byars, President of CCIMA