



## Mo•T•vation Ministry Christian Athlete Scholarship Application

Mo•T•vation Ministry was founded in 2008 as a tool to promote positive life choices by encouraging young Christian artists and athletes through scholarship assistance. The missing “i” in Mo•T•vation is intentional. It is meant to draw attention to the fact our motivation to make positive life choices must never be about “i” or “me.” Our motivation must derive from our relationship with a resurrected Jesus Christ.

We believe that sports have a fundamental impact on how young people behave and conduct their lives. It is the mission of Mo•T•vation Ministry to inspire an ever-growing corps of young Christian athletes from various sports to promote positive life choices based on St. Paul’s message in Phil. 4:8: “Therefore brothers, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy, think about such things.” We do this by offering scholarship assistance and student loan repayment as these athletes pursue formal training in the development of their God-given talents. We also promote this message through a variety logo-based products, motivational meetings, and web-based educational and financial aid information.

Mo•T•vation Athletic Scholarships are awarded to students who first and foremost have a real and life-directing relationship with Jesus Christ, and who present solid academic credentials and a documented record of noteworthy athletic accomplishments. Applicants must be able to articulate their commitment to using these gifts for promoting positive life choices based on the encouragement offered by Paul in Phil.4:8.

Scholarships will be awarded in \$1000 allotments and are renewable for up to three additional years, based upon a brief renewal application each year. Scholarship applications, complete with supporting materials, are due by March 15th. Selection of scholarship recipients will be made by a committee of the Board of Directors of Mo•T•vation Ministry. Decisions will be made and recipients notified by April 15th. Scholarship checks will be mailed to your college of choice in early August, made payable to you and the college. Our letter of notification in mid-April will ask you to provide us with the name and mailing address for the college you will attend.

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FULL NAME

PREFERRED NAME

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EMAIL

DATE OF BIRTH

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HOME ADDRESS

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CITY

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ZIP

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MAILING ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM HOME ADDRESS)

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HOME PHONE

CELL PHONE

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HIGH SCHOOL

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HOME CHURCH

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HIGH SCHOOL GPA

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS RANK

Sport for which you are applying: \_\_\_\_\_

In order to apply for the Mo•T•vation Ministry Christian Athlete Scholarship you must submit the following:

- A resume of your athletic participation noting any recognition you have received for athletic, civic, or church contributions.
- Two identical copies of a DVD showing no more than 30 minutes of your athletic performances; OR 2 identical copies of no more than 5 pages of clippings or press articles noting your accomplishments.
- List two persons who will submit recommendations on your behalf. One must be able to recommend regarding your athletic credentials. The second should be from your home church or any ministry or mission experience with which you are involved.

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FULL NAME & TITLE

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- Please discuss your athletic talent as it relates to this scholarship application. Tell us how you have cultivated that talent and used it to express your Christian experience. Describe a significant experience you have had that led you to choose to pursue this gift as a medium for expressing your Christian faith. *(Answer on a separate sheet of paper with your name and date of birth clearly indicated.)*
- Understanding that career plans often change during the college years, tell us about your career plans, goals, and how you intend to use your athletic gifts for the Glory of God. *(Answer on a separate sheet of paper with your name and date of birth clearly indicated.)*

My signature below signifies that all information and performance materials contained herein and submitted by me in electronic or other published form is factually correct, honestly presented, and represents my production and no one else's.

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SIGNATURE

DATE

Please submit this form and the required additional materials by March 15th to:

Mo•T•vation Ministry  
Mo•T•vation Athletic Scholarship Competition  
356 Hastings Hill Road  
Kernersville, NC 27284