

## **THE GRAVES FAMILY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**NAME:** The Graves Family Memorial Scholarship was started in 1994 for students from Trinity Reformed United Church of Christ, who wanted to pursue their education. It originally started in memory of Mr. George R. Graves, husband of Dot Graves and father of Danny and Chip Graves. It is now in memory of the Graves Family. As of 2021, we have had 46 persons to receive this scholarship.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The following criteria are established for eligibility:

1. A recipient shall be a member of a United Church of Christ congregation in Catawba County, with preference given to members of Trinity Reformed United Church of Christ of Conover, N.C.
2. A recipient shall be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited college, university, or seminary.
3. Selection shall be made on the basis of leadership potential, academic and vocational promise, church participation, financial needs, and high moral standards.
4. The applicant must submit a written application on the form provided.
5. Recipients may receive consideration in succeeding years provided that a new application is submitted in timely fashion.

### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Applicants may secure current application forms at the church office and must return the completed application to the church office by 3:00pm on Friday, April, 8, 2022.

### **GRAVES SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:**

Ms. Chris Herman  
Ms. Natalie Inman  
Mrs. Tera Rockett  
Ms. Peggy Stout (ex-officio)

Mrs. Sarah Hoffman  
Mrs. Jeanne Michael  
Mrs. Jo Ann Simmons  
Mrs. Gloria Thomas

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mr.  
Miss  
Full Name: Ms. \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Permanent  
Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip  
\_\_\_\_\_ County Telephone Number

Social Security  
Number: \_\_\_\_\_

High School(s)  
Attended: Current: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address Phone #

Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address Dates

College Attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address Dates

Year(s) Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL HISTORY

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Church Membership: \_\_\_\_\_

Confirmation Year/Year Joined: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: Single \_\_\_\_\_ Married \_\_\_\_\_ Separated \_\_\_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_\_\_ Widowed \_\_\_\_\_

Condition of Health \_\_\_\_\_ Physical Limitations \_\_\_\_\_

**STATUS OF PARENTS**

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Income (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Income (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status of Parents: Single \_\_\_ Married \_\_\_ Separated \_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_ Widowed \_\_\_

If you checked Separated or Divorced previously, explain the present status, to the best of your knowledge, of the parent with whom you do not live. Example: Father - remarried, has two children, etc.

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List any brothers or sisters in college, including the name of the college: \_\_\_\_\_

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**CAREER OBJECTIVES**

Which college do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your intended major? \_\_\_\_\_

What is (are) your career objective(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list hobbies and special interests: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list any jobs you have held (include Company name, Supervisor's name, and specific jobs you performed): \_\_\_\_\_

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(This page is to be completed by rising college/university freshman)

**RECORD OF HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AND HONORS**

		Check Years of Participation			
		9	10	11	12
School Clubs:	<input type="checkbox"/> National Honor Society	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Beta Club	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Key Club	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Others (list) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
School Publications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Literary Magazine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Others (list) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
School Government:	<input type="checkbox"/> Student Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Student Musical					
Activities:	<input type="checkbox"/> Band	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Chorus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
School Athletics:	<input type="checkbox"/> Baseball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Basketball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheerleader	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Football	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Soccer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Golf	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Softball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tennis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Track	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Community Activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Church Activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please list all offices or other positions of leadership you have held in any of the activities listed.  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(This page is to be completed by college/university Sophomore, Junior, Senior, or graduate students)

**RECORD OF COLLEGE ACTIVITIES AND HONORS (If Applicable)**

		Check Years of Participation			
		1	2	3	4
Clubs (list):	_____	___	___	___	___
	_____	___	___	___	___
	_____	___	___	___	___
Publications:	___ Newspaper	___	___	___	___
	___ Yearbook	___	___	___	___
	___ Literary Magazine	___	___	___	___
Student Government:	___ Student Council	___	___	___	___
	___ Committee	___	___	___	___
	___ Other _____	___	___	___	___
Student Musical/ Drama Activities:	___ Band	___	___	___	___
	___ Chorus	___	___	___	___
	___ Dance Company	___	___	___	___
	___ Drama Group	___	___	___	___
	___ Other _____	___	___	___	___
Athletics:	___ Baseball	___	___	___	___
	___ Basketball	___	___	___	___
	___ Cheerleader	___	___	___	___
	___ Football	___	___	___	___
	___ Golf	___	___	___	___
	___ Soccer	___	___	___	___
	___ Softball	___	___	___	___
	___ Tennis	___	___	___	___
	___ Track	___	___	___	___
	___ Other _____	___	___	___	___
	_____	___	___	___	___
	_____	___	___	___	___

Current Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Semesters Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Community Activities (where you attend college, if different from High School) \_\_\_\_\_  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

Church Activities (where you attend college, if different from High School) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all offices or other positions of leadership you have held in any of the activities listed.  
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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**REFERENCES**

List three references who have known you for more than three years. (Do not list members of your family or your principal.)

	(1)	(2)	(3)
Name	_____	_____	_____
Address	_____	_____	_____
City	_____	_____	_____
State/Zip	_____	_____	_____
Phone	_____	_____	_____
How Known	_____	_____	_____
How Long	_____	_____	_____

**FINANCIAL STATUS AND NEEDS**

College Tuition		\$	_____
Other Anticipated Expenses		\$	_____
Support from Father	(Less)	\$	_____
Support from Mother	(Less)	\$	_____
Social Security, if any	(Less)	\$	_____
Veterans Benefits, if any	(Less)	\$	_____
Other scholarship or money available	(Less)	\$	_____
Amount you can earn this summer	(Less)	\$	_____
<b>Total Money Needed:</b>		\$	_____

**PLEASE PROVIDE A PERSONAL STATEMENT ABOUT YOURSELF, EXPRESSING YOUR HOPES, AMBITIONS, AND EDUCATIONAL GOALS.** (Use an additional sheet if necessary.)

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**ENCLOSURES**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Three letters of recommendation from teachers, employer(s), etc. Please do not include letters from church staff.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Candidate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date