



***S.W.I.M.* Qualifications for Ministerial Credentials, Licensing or Ordination**

1. Must have made a personal commitment to Jesus Christ as Lord.
2. Provide three character references which affirm and endorses a life of integrity and a proven ministry. One of these should be from a pastor, or spiritual director.
3. Be in agreement with the *S.W.I.M. International* Statement of Faith.
4. Have appropriate educational training and a proven ministry.
5. Maintain a relationship with *S.W.I.M. International* by attending regional groupings, retreats and Gatherings, when available.
6. Participate in a mentoring relationship as determined by the *S.W.I.M.* Ministerial Credentialing Committee.
7. Demonstrate the Fruit of the Spirit in one's life and a devotion to growing in the wisdom and knowledge of Jesus Christ.
8. Be interviewed by the Credentialing Committee's panel and be recommended to the Board of Directors of *S.W.I.M. International* for Ministerial Credentials.

Ministerial Credentials by *S.W.I.M. International* is conditional upon the above qualifications being met and may be revoked by the Board of Directors upon failure to maintain these qualifications.