

GEORGIA FUNERAL DIRECTORS ASSOCIATION

**MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
APPLICATION FORM 2013**

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2013

The following application is for a One Thousand Dollar (\$1000.00) scholarship to be awarded to one student at Gupton Jones and one funeral service student at Ogeechee Tech. All applications must be filled out in full to be considered. Further, the award of scholarships is at the discretion of the GFDA Executive Board; if minimum award criteria are met, the scholarship will be awarded. If minimum criteria are not met by any applicant, the Board reserves the right to not award a scholarship(s) in any given year. Students must have served or be serving their apprenticeship at, or currently be employed by, a GFDA-member funeral home in order to qualify.

A current academic transcript must accompany this application.

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____

Mortuary School (check one) Gupton Jones Ogeechee Tech

Permanent Address _____

Current Address (If Different From Above)

Place of Birth _____ Spouse's Name _____

For notification: Phone _____ Email _____

II. PARENTAL INFORMATION - complete this section ONLY if you were declared a dependent on your parents Federal Income Tax filing last year.

Father's Name _____

Address _____

Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____

Address _____

Occupation _____

III. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School - list name, address & year of graduation.

College - list name, address, year(s) attended, degrees obtained.

IV. COMMUNITY SERVICE - list civic involvement, church activities, offices held, honors, awards, etc. Include applicable dates.

V. MILITARY BACKGROUND - list branch and dates of service, honors, awards, etc.

VI. WORK EXPERIENCE - include summer employment.

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Dates</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Are you a registered apprentice at a GFDA member firm or have you completed your apprenticeship? Yes No

Are you currently employed by a GFDA member firm? Yes No

Note: Students must have a current apprenticeship, completed their apprenticeship or have a work relationship with a GFDA funeral home firm member in order to qualify for a GFDA scholarship.

VII. STATEMENT OF NEED - provide a brief statement relative to your financial need, including source of funds for tuition and expenses. List any additional sources from which you have received grant funds, loans or scholarships.

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VIII. STATEMENT OF CAREER - provide a brief statement as to why you have chosen funeral service as a career.

I understand that the information submitted within this application is being used solely for the purpose of consideration for a GFDA Scholarship Award. I hereby certify that all information given is correct, true, and factual.

Signature

Date of Application

**Return completed application to your academic office which will forward it to
GFDA.**

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION RECEIPT FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2013

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