2017 Nancy Patton

Music Scholarship Application Form

The Nancy Patton Music Scholarship is awarded each year to a deserving member of a Primitive Baptist Church who has an interest in music, music education and worship enhancement. The award is \$1,000 and is presented at the Annual Primitive Baptist Music Workshop in July of each year. The **deadline for this application is May 1st**, **2017.** All entries not postmarked on or before May 1st are automatically disqualified. The winner is given the privilege of performing a solo at the Music Workshop Concert but this is not a requirement. Some participants may not feel they wish to do this and this decision has no bearing on whether or not you will be awarded the scholarship. You may apply in more than one year and past winners may reapply.

NAME: ADDRESS: CITY STATE ZIP: PHONE:

1) Attach a letter from the pastor of your church: a) recommending you, b) validating that you are a member of a Primitive Baptist church, c) stating that you attend this church on a regular basis.

This is a mandatory requirement and must accompany your application.

- 2) Attach another letter of recommendation from another source. Ideally this would be from a music teacher, counselor from school, church member, or someone who knows of your musical interest and how the grant would benefit you. *This is a mandatory requirement and must accompany your application.*
- 3) On a separate piece of paper answer this question "How will you use this scholarship?". List the question at the top of the page. Be as descriptive as possible Is it is a college course,, music lesson, seminar, etc.? . Explain why you want to pursue this instruction.

This question counts as 35% of your evaluation.

- 4) On a separate piece of paper answer these questions: "How do you intend to utilize your musical talents in the church in the future? And, how are you utilizing your talents now? **This item counts as 35% of your evaluation.**
- 5) List below the extent of your musical education and experience: Examples: Piano; 14 years playing 7 years of lessons/ clarinet 4 years of high school band/ choir member: 5 years. **This item counts as 20% of your evaluation.**

6) List your academic record. Examples: High School GPA, College GPA, special honors, superlatives. **This item counts as 10% of your evaluation.**

Tie Breakers to be used only in the event of two or more candidates having the same evaluation score:

Have you been awarded this scholarship before? (-1 if yes) Are you on the Music Workshop Board of Directors? (-3 if yes) Are you attending college (Fall 2017)? (+1 if yes)
In the last three years how many Primitive Baptist Music Workshops have you attended?(+1 for each year)
If there is still a tie then the award will be voted on by the entire Board of Directors of the Music Workshop whose majority decision will be final.

Mail application (this form) with two letters of recommendation (1&2), two essay questions (3&4), by May 1st 2017to:

Nancy Patton Scholarship C/o David Summerford 5165 East Hencart Glennville Ga. 30427