***MARY R BARNWELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP***

***BEULAH BAPTIST CHURCH***

***POUGHKEEPSIE, NY***

Mary Barnwell was a loving matriarch who created a circle of love in her family, founded in faith, joined by love and Kept by GOD. She migrated to New York from South Carolina as a young adult in the 1940’s in a quest to further her education and seek meaningful employment.

Years later, she accomplished both goals. Hence, she became passionate about education and always supported and encouraged her immediate and extended family to make education and GOD priorities in their lives.

During her 95 years, she was active in her church and community receiving accolades for her dedication and commitment to both. Beulah Baptist Church was her home church after relocating from Middletown, NY to Poughkeepsie.

Her life reflected the many fruits of the spirit love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

In 2020, the Mary R Barnwell Scholarship was established by her daughter Carolyn Henderson and immediate family in memory of their late mother/grandmother. A 500.00 scholarship will be awarded. The scholarship is for a high school senior who will be attending college full time in the fall.

Scholarship Requirements:

* African American student
* Arlington High School, Poughkeepsie High School and FDR High School senior
* Must provide documentation verifying enrollment in a full-time accredited college
* A minimum 250 -500-word essay based on selected topic (font size 12, double spaced)
* Recent high school transcript

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION

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EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (SCHOOL) include awards, honors or office held \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Community Service

List all community volunteer services you have performed

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COLLEGE INFORMATION

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NAMEOF COLLEGE(S) OR UNIVERSITY. PLEASE INDICATE APPLIED OR ACCEPTED

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(Optional) Please include any extenuating circumstance that you would like the scholarship committee to consider as they review the application

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Essay Questions: (SELECT ONE)

1. Name a fruit of the spirit you possess and share how that will help you in college.
2. Tell us about a time you failed and what you learned from it.
3. How will this scholarship help you?

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Scholarship will not be awarded if you do not submit confirmation of full-time enrollment.

Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

I certify that the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Packet Checklist

1. Completed application\_\_\_
2. Essay \_\_\_
3. Official High School Transcript\_\_\_
4. Reference letter from teacher, Guidance Counselor, clergy, community agency, or someone other than family member

APPLICATION MUST DUE

MAY 6, 2022

RETURN TO  
ATT: LEOLA RUFFIN-MCPHEE, SCHOLARSHIP MINISTRY, SL

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