

## **Rules Governing The Willie Hall Black-Barstow Scholarship Fund**

Administered by the Women of Tres Rios Presbytery

Any recipient shall be enrolled as an inquirer or candidate under the care of both a session of a church of the Presbytery of Tres Rios and the Presbytery of Tres Rios.

The scholarship shall be awarded to a student who has completed two years of college or university studies and has dedicated his or her life to full time Christian service or is exploring full time Christian service as an inquirer. The scholarship is also available to students enrolled in presbytery approved seminaries or other institutions or higher learning.

The applicant shall furnish the Willie Hall Black-Barstow Scholarship Committee with the completed applications for scholarship together with the requested letters of recommendations. The application shall be sent to:

*Helen Shive  
P.O. Box 367  
Coahoma TX 79511  
By January 1<sup>st</sup>*

At least one member of the WHB-B Committee will have a personal interview with the applicant provided a member lives near enough the applicant to make the interview feasible. The purpose of the interview will be for a personal contact only and the interviewer will report to the WHB-B Committee.

The recipient of the scholarship shall receive funds at the discretion of the WHB-Barstow Committee. The applicant may apply for additional funds each year in which studies continue. The Willie Hall Black-Barstow Chairman shall verify eligibility of those who reapply. This is in lieu of recommendations. This scholarship is a free gift. However, it is hoped that the recipient will give at least two years of service to the church in appreciation of the gift.

More than one applicant may receive funds from the Willie Hall Black-Barstow Scholarship Fund at one time, provided sufficient money is available. Proceeds of any grant will ordinarily be forwarded to the college or seminary where the candidate is enrolled.

The WHB-Barstow Chairman shall keep Presbytery's Committee on Preparation for Ministry fully informed of all grants and the inquirer and/or candidate is expected to also keep that committee fully informed of his or her financial status.