

**2017 - 2018
Award Application**

**Men of Kappa
Achievement Award**

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Application Check List

Before sealing your package, please make sure all items listed below are included:

- Completed and signed scholarship application** (*Signed by applicant and parent/guardian*)
- Essay Topic:** *What does achievement mean to you and how has it shaped who you are today?* **MLA Format typed, double spaced no less than one page and no more than 2 pages.**
- Two typed letters of recommendation** (*sealed*)
- Proof of 40 hours of community service**
- Proof of active participation in church ministry**
- Unofficial High School Transcript**

Missing any of the above items will result in an incomplete package and will not be considered for an award.

****** Applications must be mailed to P.O. Box 124, Marietta, GA 30061 and postmarked no later than May 1, 2018******

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Dear Scholarship Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the Men of Kappa Achievement Award. This award is administered by the Men of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. at Turner Chapel A.M.E Church, that believe in the potential of every person's ability to achieve. Our desire is to provide a scholarship to deserving high school graduating male senior(s) at Turner Chapel A.M.E. Church financial assistance to help defray their post-secondary educational expenses. Every completed application received by the deadline will be carefully and fairly evaluated. Awards are given without regard to race, color, creed, religion, disability or national origin. All information will be held in the strictest of confidence by the Men of Kappa Scholarship Committee. All applications become the property of the committee and will not be returned. The award recipient will be notified by May 15, 2018 and publically announced during Turner Chapel AME's Graduate Celebration Worship Service on May 27, 2018.

Carefully review your completed application before it is submitted. The Men of Kappa Scholarship Committee reserve the right to process only those applications found to be complete and mailed by the application postmark deadline.

Respectfully,

Men of Kappa Scholarship Committee

**THE APPLICANT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING ALL
REQUIRED INFORMATION IN ONE COMPLETE PACKAGE.**

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Guidelines

Award is open to males who are planning to attend an accredited post-secondary institution as a full-time student and meet all of the below criteria:

- Active member of Turner Chapel AME Church
- Minimum Cumulative GPA of 2.50 on a 4.0 scale
- Official proof of acceptance from a two year or four year accredited post-secondary institution
- Proof of completion of 40 hours of community service on the agency/organization's letterhead
- Submit two letters of references from a high school teacher/counselor, administrator, or community or church leader. At least one of the two letters of reference should come from the community service organization. *Letters from relatives are not acceptable.*
- Participate in an interview

Application Process

Applicants must submit by published deadline items found on the packet checklist. Packets must be mailed and will not be accepted personally by members of the fraternity.

**** Submit Application To: Men of Kappa Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 124, Marietta, GA 30061 (postmarked by May 1, 2018)**

Selection Process and Notification

Scholarship recipients are selected according to merit on a competitive basis. In addition, applicants must demonstrate career and academic potential measured by a combination of factors, including past performance and career objectives. Not all applicants will receive awards. Applicants will be notified regarding the status of the award.

Award and Payment

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The Men of Kappa Achievement Award is a one-time non-renewable award amount of \$500.00 paid directly to student(s) to assist in their pursuit of a post-secondary education.

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SECTION 1 – APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Name (Last, First, Middle)		
Permanent Address		
City	State/Province	Zip/Postal Code
Phone (Home)	Phone (Cell)	Email Address
Date of Birth	Birth State	
Resident Status: <input type="checkbox"/> USCitizen <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Residence	Parent(s) Name:	
SECTION 2 – HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION		
School Name	GPA (Cumulative)	
Address		
City	State/Province	Zip/Postal Code
Phone Number	Graduation Date	
SECTION 3 – COLLEGE INFORMATION		
What school will you attend this fall?	Major	
Future Professional Goals		
SECTION 4 – COMMUNITY/EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES INFORMATION		
Briefly describe any volunteer work you have done. Explain your role including dates and locations. Include documentation indicating your hours of community service.		
SECTION 5 – HONORS/AWARDS INFORMATION		
List honors and awards you have received. Please include list of scholarships you have received to date.		
I certify that the information provided in the application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I agree to give proof of information I have provided in the application. I understand that falsification of information may result in the termination of any granted financial support and this application becomes the property of the Men of Kappa Scholarship Committee.		
Applicant's Signature	Parent(s) Signature	
Date	Date	

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