

Would you like some help in preparing to
pursue an Education in Religious
Education?

ESTARL

EASTERN STAR TRAINING AWARDS FOR RELIGIOUS LEADERSHIP

The order of the Eastern Star is looking to help people who are interested in preparing for roles in in religious leadership. For more information, please, look inside this brochure.

Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership

Financial awards are made to students preparing for leadership in fields of religious service including:

- **Ministers**
- **Missionaries**
- **Directors of Church Music**
- **Director of Religious Education**
- **Directors of Youth Leadership**

The money is used primarily for tuition, but may be used for books, room, board, or medical aid.

The student is free to select the school of her or his choice which has an accredited course in the selected field of religious services

Schools must be accredited by The Association of Theological Schools. <http://www.ata.edu>

Eligible applicants apply for the ESTARL Program through local Order of Eastern Star Chapters.

After approving the sponsorship, the chapter contacts the ESTARL Committee, giving the name of the student and requesting application information. The local Chapters assume no financial responsibility for the eligible student.

The ESTARL Committee determines the amounts of the scholarship on the basis of funds available, number of applicants, and need of individuals.

Scholarships are awarded on an annual basis, but recipients are encouraged to reapply in following year(s).

After the ESTARL Committee determines the amount of each scholarship, a certificate is sent to the student to deliver to the School who will submit it to the grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star for payment.