

# Ministry Questionnaire

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Brother  Sister

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Ministry(ies) of Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

## QUESTIONS

1. How long have you been a Christian? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Briefly give your testimony, telling how you became a Christian? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. A. How long have you attended Core Church L.A \_\_\_\_\_

B. Which services do you regularly attend? \_\_\_\_\_

C. Where did you fellowship previously? \_\_\_\_\_

D. Have you completed The Christian Growth Class? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Have you been active in any other ministries here at the church or elsewhere? If so, please list which ones and share a little about how the Lord used you in them. \_\_\_\_\_

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5. Please explain why you want to get involved in this particular ministry. \_\_\_\_\_

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6. We believe it is important for every person involved in ministry to have a solid biblical understanding of important doctrines. In the space provided, please state what you believe about each subject given. Please include scriptural support for each response. Feel free to use additional paper if necessary.

A. Salvation: What is it and how is it obtained? \_\_\_\_\_

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B. Water Baptism – \_\_\_\_\_  
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Have you been baptized? – \_\_\_\_\_

C. The Baptism of the Holy Spirit and spiritual gifts – \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

D. The Trinity – \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

E. Trials, sickness and difficulties – \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

F. The rapture of the church – \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. To your knowledge, do you disagree with any of the teachings of Core Church L.A \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, which ones, and why? \_\_\_\_\_  
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# Personal Reference

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Ministry(ies) of Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

The above named applicant has recently applied to serve in the ministry(ies) mentioned here at Core Church L.A Fellowship. To make a thorough and responsible evaluation of the applicant's fitness for the ministry, it would be appreciated if you could provide us with the information requested in this reference form. Be assured that your responses will be kept strictly confidential. Thank you.

1. How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is your relationship to the applicant? (ie: relative, friend, etc.)? \_\_\_\_\_
3. The following are the biblical requirements given for one who desires to serve in the church as stated in I Timothy 3:1-7. We would ask that you give your honest evaluation of the applicant in each of the areas mentioned. Please understand we are not asking you to "pass judgment" on this person, but rather that you simply provide us with your observations of the spiritual fruit in his/her life.

"Now the overseer must be above reproach..." (NIV)

"...must give no grounds for accusation..." (Amplified)

A. Is this person someone against whom no evil can be proved? Is his/her life above accusation? Please comment.

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"the husband of one wife...he must manage his own household well..."

B. Please describe this person's marriage and/or family life? \_\_\_\_\_

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"...temperate, self controlled, respectable..."

C. Does this person exhibit control over his/her emotions and actions? Do their emotions interfere with their ability to work well with others? Please comment. \_\_\_\_\_

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"...hospitable..." (literally, a lover of strangers")

- D. Does this person extend the love of Christ to others in action? How have you observed this character quality in this person's life? \_\_\_\_\_

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"...able to teach..."

- E. Does this person have a good working knowledge of the Bible? Is he/she capable and ready to communicate the counsel of God's Word to others? \_\_\_\_\_

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"...not given to drunkenness..."

- F. To your knowledge, does this person ever use alcohol and/or drugs? \_\_\_\_\_

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"...not violent but gentle, not quarrelsome..." (NIV)

"Not combative but gentle and considerate, not quarrelsome but forbearing and peaceable..." (Amplified)

- G. How does this person deal with conflict? Are they "considerate...forbearing (or patient) and peaceable?" Have you ever known them to gossip or backbite? \_\_\_\_\_

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"...not a lover of money..." (NIV)

"...insatiable for wealth and ready to obtain it by questionable means..." (Amplified)

- H. Does this person exhibit contentment with the Lord's provision in his/her life or does he/she seemingly have an insatiable desire for "more"? \_\_\_\_\_

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4. How would you describe the applicant's overall Christian experience and example? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. To your knowledge, is there anything in the applicant's life that would cause concern about his/her ability to serve in the ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. Please add any other relevant remarks. \_\_\_\_\_

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Please return this form in the enclosed envelope . Thank you for your assistance.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

If any, what church are you currently attending? \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature

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Date