

# Leadership Development Program Application

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Directions: Please fill out the application as completely as possible.

- Specific questions are asked on each page. Please do not exceed more than 6-8 pages for the entire application. A concise response is appropriate.
- You will need two reference and a pastoral reference
- Application and references deadline is May 1<sup>st</sup>.
- For information about the GNM Leadership Development Program and eligibility please go to [www.gnm.name](http://www.gnm.name)

Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Your Age on July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Classification: Freshman \_\_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_

College Classification: Freshman \_\_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_ Seminary \_\_\_\_\_

Current email: \_\_\_\_\_

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE AND FEES

The six week, five segment Leader Development program starts on July 2<sup>nd</sup> and goes until August 13<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$150 deposit with application and \$200 due on the day of arrival at GNM base camp. This covers all expenses for the program. Personal spending money not included. The list below is items the leader will need to bring.

Toothbrush	Socks	Church Clothes
Toothpaste	Shoes	Work Clothes
Hairbrush/Comb	Undergarments	Work Shoes
Deodorant	Coat	Glasses / Contacts
Sunscreen	Pants / Shorts	Medication
Special Cleaning products	Appropriate Swimsuit	Bible
Special hair products	Shirts (long & short sleeved)	Notepad / Pen

## BACKGROUND AND EXPREIENCE

(Please use separate pieces of paper to answer the following question, but do so in numerical order)

1. Please share your testimony about how you became a Christian.
2. Please list current and past leadership positions that you have held.
3. Have you ever attended a leadership program or training of any kind before.
4. If you have attended a Leadership program or training of any kind what was it and where was it held?
5. How have you changed since attending the leadership program or training?
6. What books have you read in the past 6 months?

## SPIRITUAL LIFE

(Please use separate pieces of paper to answer the following question, but do so in numerical order)

1. Describe your personal devotional life over the last three months.
2. What church do you attend? How often do you attend? Are you presently involved in ministry there? If so what is the ministry?
3. What are your spiritual gifts from Romans 12? Name the top two gifts. (Please include a copy of the spiritual gift test online with your application.) <http://mintools.com/spiritual-gifts-test.htm>

## UNDERSTANDING LEADERSHIP

(Please use separate pieces of paper to answer the following question, but do so in numerical order)

1. Why do you want to be a leader and what do you feel it takes to become one?
2. What would you hope to contribute to you church, community, and ministry that you are involved during and after going through this program?
3. What do you hope to gain personally from this program?

## LEADERSHIP AND PLANNING

(Please use separate pieces of paper to answer the following question, but do so in numerical order)

1. What is your personality type according to the following test? [www.humanmetrics.com/cgi-win/JTypes2.asp](http://www.humanmetrics.com/cgi-win/JTypes2.asp). Circle the code: (ESTJ), (ISTJ), (ESFJ), (ISFJ), (ESTP), (ISTP), (ESFP), (ISFP), (ENFJ), (INFJ), (ENFP), (INFP), (ENTJ), (INTJ), (ENTP), (INTP)
2. How do you go about managing your time and commitments? (Daily, weekly, monthly, etc) Explain in detail
3. What is your definition of a leader?
4. Describe the most challenging project, activity you have ever had to organize.
5. What kind of relationship will you strive to have with those in the program with you? Why?
6. What books have you read in regards to leadership, discipleship, or Christian living that has impacted you personally?
7. What conference/seminars (ex. Song of Solomon, Extraordinary Women Conference, Impact Conference...) have you attended that impacted you personally, and will help your ministry as a leader?

*I affirm that all of the above information is true to the best of my knowledge and through prayer and consideration; I believe God is directing me to participate in the student leader training of Good News Ministries. I therefore covenant with GNM to do everything to the best of my ability to cooperate with those involved to become the leader God wants me to be.*

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(If applicant is under the age of 18 we will need a parental signature)

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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