

Living Hope Ministries Staff Application

Date of Application _____

If married, or engaged, both individuals must complete a separate application. **Please type or print all responses.**

Mr. / Mrs. / Miss / Ms. _____
First Middle Last

Mailing Address: _____
Street Business / School Phone

_____ (_____) _____
City State Zip Home Phone

Permanent Address: _____
(If different from address above) Street City State Zip

Date of Birth: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Do you have a legal right to work in the United States? Yes No

If you are not a U.S. citizen, please give Visa classification and number: _____

I have prayerfully considered Living Hope Ministries and I am responding to God's call for me to proceed with the application process. Yes No

Ministry Interests & Skills

Please indicate what type of staff position you are applying for: Full time position Part time volunteer position

What person or ministry has been the most influential in your decision to apply with Living Hope Ministries?

Is there a specific gift or skill that God has called you to use in ministry? Please explain. _____

Gifts and Vocational Skills

Please circle those gifts and vocational skills listed below that you have an intermediate or above level of skill.

Accounting/Finance

Bookkeeping

Administration

Art

Art

Computer Programming

Data Processing

Construction

Carpentry

Mechanical

Plumbing

Cooking

Drama

Journalism

Language(s) – fluent

(other than English)

Legal: _____

Media Skills

Photography

Video Production

Medical: _____

Musical

Public Relations

Secretarial (Typing, wpm)

Sound Engineering

Live

Recording

Electrical

Other

Personal Information

Are you serving in the military? Yes No

If so, to what extent is your involvement? _____

Have you ever used narcotics, hallucinogens, or drugs not prescribed by a physician? Yes No

If so, what kind and when? _____

What are your beliefs regarding alcohol? _____

What are your beliefs regarding smoking? _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No

If so, please explain and give date(s). _____

What are your beliefs regarding homosexuality? _____

What are your beliefs regarding abortion? _____

Have you ever knowingly been involved in, or exposed to satanic rituals, or occultic activities? Yes No

Please explain: _____

Please circle any of the following activities which you have participated in.

Occult

Astral Projection

Ouija Board

Table Lifting

Speaking in a Trance

Automatic Writing

Visionary Dreams

Telepathy

Ghosts

Materialization

Clairvoyance

Clairsentience

Fortune-telling

Tarot Cards

Palm-reading

Astrology

Rod & Pendulum (dowsing)

Amateur Hypnosis

Healing Magnetism

Magic Charming

Mental Suggestion

Black & White Magic

Blood Pacts

Fetishism

Incubi & Succubi (sexual spirits)

Other _____

Cult

Christian Science

Unity

Scientology

The Way International

Unification Church

Church of the Living Word

Mormonism

Jehovah's Witnesses

Children of God

Swedenborgianism

HW Armstrong (WW Church of God)

Unitarianism

Masons

New Age

Other _____

Other Religions

Zen Buddhism

Hare Krishna

Bahaism

Rosicrucianism

Science of Mind

Father Divine

Hinduism

Transcendental Meditation

Yoga

Eckankar

Roy Masters

Silva Mind Control

Theosophical Society

Islam

Black Muslim

Science of Creative Intelligence

Other _____

Health

Do you have any physical condition(s) which may limit your ability to perform the ministry for which you have applied?
Yes No If so, please explain: _____

Do you have any chronic illness or allergies? Yes No If so, please explain: _____

Are you presently under medication prescribed by a physician? Yes No
If so, what is the purpose and what are the side effects, if any? _____

Height: _____ Weight: _____

Have you ever struggled with an eating disorder? Yes No If so, please explain and give date(s) _____

Education

	<u>Name</u>	<u>City, State</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Degree or Diploma</u>	<u>Year</u>
High School	_____	_____	_____	Yes No	_____
College	_____	_____	_____	Yes No	_____
Graduate	_____	_____	_____	Yes No	_____
Vocational	_____	_____	_____	Yes No	_____

Please share achievements, awards, and/or honors that you have received recognition for: _____

Employment (Please list most recent first)

Employer _____ Dates employed ____ / ____ to ____ / ____
Address _____ Phone (_____) _____
Job Title _____ Type of Work _____
Reason for leaving _____

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Address _____ Phone (_____) _____
Job Title _____ Type of Work _____
Reason for leaving _____

Employer _____ Dates employed ____ / ____ to ____ / ____
Address _____ Phone (_____) _____
Job Title _____ Type of Work _____
Reason for leaving _____

Please list any professional or community organizations or activities that you have been involved in, including dates of membership and offices held: _____

Financial Information (To be filled out by applicants for full time positions only – not part time volunteer positions)

Do you have indebtedness? Yes No If so, please list below. (Please use additional sheets of paper if necessary.)

<u>Description</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Monthly</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Will you be responsible for parents or other dependents besides your spouse and children? Yes No

If so, please explain: _____

Marital Status

Single

Engaged Projected date of marriage: _____ Has fiancé applied with Living Hope Community Center?

Fiancé's name: _____ Yes No

Married Marriage Date: _____ Has spouse applied with Living Hope Community Center?

Spouse's name: _____ Yes No

Wife's maiden name: _____

Divorced / Separated / Marriage Annulled Date of divorce / separation / annulment: _____

Please explain grounds for divorce / separation / annulment: _____

List of children and/or dependents:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Relation</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Dependent</u>	
_____	_____	_____	Yes	No
_____	_____	_____	Yes	No

Are your children and/or dependents in good health? If not, please explain: _____

Ministry Experience (Including *Living Hope Ministries*)

Personal Testimony (Please include the following in your testimony.)

- Point at which you met Jesus.
- How has that changed your life?
- How is God stretching your faith?
- What struggles are you facing?
- In which areas do you desire to grow?
- Do you believe God is calling you to work with Living Hope Ministries? If so, how?

Declaration

I pledge to become a prayer partner and acknowledge God's call on my life to become a co-laborer in Christ with Living Hope Ministries. I have read, agree with, and support Living Hope Ministries' Statement of Faith. As a staff member of Living Hope Ministries, I understand that I am responsible to raise the necessary funds for my involvement. (Not including office staff.)

Signature of Applicant _____

Date _____

Please mail this completed application to:

Living Hope Ministries
2511 Taylor Street NE
Minneapolis, MN 55418

...In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. I Peter 1:3

References

Please give names, addresses and phone numbers for the six references, as indicated below.

1. Pastor

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Length of Acquaintance _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

2. Person Presently Discipling You

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Length of Acquaintance _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

3. Living Hope Ministries Staff Member (even if only an acquaintance)

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Length of Acquaintance _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

4. Past or Present Employer

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Length of Acquaintance _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

5. Peer / Friend

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Length of Acquaintance _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

6. Relative

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Length of Acquaintance _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

Person to be notified in case of emergency:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

Relationship _____
Phone (_____) _____
State _____ Zip _____

Living Hope Ministries

Doctrinal Statement of Faith

1. We believe the Scriptures, both Old and New Testaments (Luke 24:27, 44), to be the inspired Word of God (II Timothy 3:16), without error in the original writings (Matthew 5:18; John 17:17; II Peter 1:19-21), the complete revelation of His will for the salvation of men, and the Divine and final authority for Christian faith and life (Romans 15:4; I Thessalonians 2:13).
2. We believe in one God (Matthew 28:19, Mark 12:29), Creator of all things (Genesis 1:1, 26, 27; 2:7, 21, 22), infinitely perfect (Psalm 18:30), and eternally (Deuteronomy 33:27) existing in three persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit (II Corinthians 13:14).
3. We believe that Jesus Christ is true God and true man (John 1:1, 14; Hebrews 4:15) having been conceived of the Holy Spirit (Matthew 1:18), and born of the Virgin Mary (Matthew 1:23). He died on the cross a sacrifice for our sins according to the Scriptures (I Corinthians 15:3; I Peter 2:24). Further, He arose bodily from the dead (I Corinthians 15:4), ascended into heaven (Acts 1:9), where at the right hand of the Majesty on High, He is now our High Priest and Advocate (Romans 8:34; I John 2:1).
4. We believe that the ministry of the Holy Spirit is to glorify the Lord Jesus Christ (John 16:13-14), and during this age to convict men (John 16:8), regenerate the believing sinner (John 3:5; Titus 3:5), indwell (I Corinthians 3:16; 6:19), guide, instruct, and empower the believer for godly living and service (John 16:13; 15:16; Ephesians 5:18-21).
5. We believe that man was created in the image of God (Genesis 1:26), but fell into sin (Genesis 2:16-17; 3:1-12), and is therefore lost (Ephesians 2:1-3), and only through regeneration by the Holy Spirit can salvation and spiritual life be obtained (John 3:5; Titus 3:5).
6. We believe that the shed blood of Jesus Christ and His resurrection provide the only ground for justification and salvation for all who believe (Romans 3:24; II Corinthians 5:21; Ephesians 2:8-9; Hebrews 9:22), and only such as receive Jesus Christ are born of the Holy Spirit, and they become children of God (John 1:12; 3:16; Acts 16:31).
7. We believe that water baptism (Matthew 28:19; Acts 10:47-48; 18:7-8; Romans 6:1-4) and the Lord's Supper (Luke 22:19-20; I Corinthians 11:23-43) are ordinances to be observed by the Church during the present age. They are, however, not to be regarded as means of salvation (Ephesians 2:8-9).
8. We believe that the True Church (Matthew 16:16-18; Acts 2:42) is composed of all such persons who through saving faith in Jesus Christ have been regenerated by the Holy Spirit (John 1:12; 3:5; Titus 3:5) and are united together (I Corinthians 12:12-27; Ephesians 4:1-6; Hebrews 10:24-25) in the body of Christ of which He is the head (Colossians 1:18).
9. We believe that only those who have their faith in Jesus Christ for salvation are members of the true and invisible Church (I Corinthians 12:12-13).
10. We believe in the bodily resurrection of the dead (John 5:28-29) of the believer to everlasting blessedness and joy with the Lord (Luke 14:14), and of the unbeliever to judgment and everlasting conscious punishment (Revelation 20:11-15; Luke 16:19-26).