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As a member of the "Fellowship" you will receive a monthly newsletter, that has different articles about the Fellowship, what is happening, and news about different Missionaries, and an inspiring message in each issue.

QUESTIONS MOST COMMONLY ASKED

Q) Since the "Fellowship" is chartered in Texas, is my credentials recognized anywhere else?

A) Yes, your credentials are recognized in any state in the U.S. In fact we have ministers in Canada and many other countries throughout the world, their credentials are recognized there as well.

Q) What about performing marriages, funerals, and other ministerial duties?

A) As an Ordained Minister, you may perform marriage ceremonies, funerals, or any other function of an Ordained Minister, such as going into hospitals, nursing homes, prisons, and jails, in accordance with State law.

Note: *Some states require you to pre-register before performing any wedding ceremonies. Be sure to check with your local Marriage License Bureau.*

If for any reason the Board should not accept your application, your money will be refunded to you.

If you have any further questions, you may call our Office toll free at 1-800-589-4546 or you may E-Mail us at: vntfi@aol.com, or website: www.fellowshipintl.org

Put The WORD To Work:

1. Find the promises that cover your situations.

2. Feed your spirit and soul on them.

3. Write down the verses.

4. Read and meditate on them.

5. Give the sacrifice of praise!

We Invite YOU To Be United Together With US



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MINISTERIAL CREDENTIALS

AVAILABLE

FOR GOD CALLED MEN AND WOMEN!

God has always called, equipped, and raised up leaders among his people to proclaim his **Word** and to do his **Will**.

"When Jesus saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion because they were like sheep without a shepherd, and he said, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the laborers are few! Pray that laborers will be sent (thrust) forth into the harvest." Matthew 9:35-38. Other translations say, "The harvest is great, but the workers are so few." Thus we see the Scriptures depict the crop as large, but the reapers are scarce!

Jesus also said **"Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." Matthew 4:19**, Now, anyone knows there are a lot more fish than fishermen.

Souls are dying and going to hell everyday; and all the devil needs to succeed is that good people do nothing! There is a need to recruit more men and women to **"Go out into the highways and hedges and compel them to come in..." Luke. 14:23.**

Throughout history, every great religious revival has been spear-headed by those inspired individuals who left the huge stained glass cathedrals, to carry the Gospel of Salvation and Healing to the lost, the sick, the poor, and the hurting, those in the streets, market places, hospitals, jails, and prisons. Do you care about men, women, boys, and girls? Do you want to win souls to Christ?

There are three phases of entering the Ministry:

1. A calling time.
2. A preparing or training time.
3. A sending time.

PRACTICALITY

In **John. 15:16**, we see it is Jesus alone who ordains us; so one might ask, "Is that not sufficient?" Yes, if every time you witness, teach, or preach, you can back it up with some sign, wonder, or miracle. The sinner man has little inclination to read the Bible, and if he does, he doesn't understand it much, (**I Cor. 2:14**). So he doesn't know what to believe in this world of religious confusion. When you enter a city to do something for God, one of the first questions people ask is, "Where are you from, and who are you with?" If you say, "I'm with God." They say, "Yeah, that's what all the kooks and cults say also." We are not of this world, but we are in it, and we must deal with people the way they are, not the way we would like them to be. If you have Heavenly approval, why not get earthly approval too, especially if it can lend you more credibility in this skeptical, secular world? The fact is, that credentials can be very helpful in opening doors of opportunity. Also, in most states you cannot perform wedding ceremonies without them. So, it's a great advantage to be recognized by some established, reputable Christian body.

Please give us a testimony of how you were saved, and your call to the ministry.
(You may use additional paper if necessary)

Please tell us about your ministry plans for the next 12 months.

You may also go to our website: www.fellowshipintl.org and fill out the Application.

Let Us Know Which Media Source You Heard About Us?

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Married [] Single [] Male [] Female []

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Have you been born again? (John 3:3) Yes [] No []

Have you been Baptized? Yes [] No []

Do you work with a local church in your area? Yes [] No []

Do you feel God has called you to be a
Pastor [] Evangelist [] Missionary [] Teacher []

If your calling is that of a Pastor, do you now Pastor? If Yes, name of your
Church _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

SIGNITURE _____

Please give name, address and phone number of two people that will testify to your Christian calling and Godly life.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Phone _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Phone _____

Processing Applications takes approximately 10 business days.

Statement Of Faith

Please read and study these Scriptures carefully and prayerfully
All Ordination recipients are required to read and to subscribe to these Spiritual Truths.

The Word of God tells us:

“Everyone shall give an account of themselves to God.” *Romans 14:12*

We Believe

That Christ died to redeem us.
That Salvation is through Grace

Titus 2:14 Gal: 3:13
Eph. 2:8-10 Rom. 3:23-24

That Repentance and Acceptance is vital
That God is triune... Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

John 6:37 I John 1:9
Matt. 28:19

The Bible is the inspired Word of God
New birth must be experienced to be a child of God

II Tim. 3:16 II Pet. 1:19
John 3:3 II Cor. 5:17

Man fell through disobedience
In a daily Christian life

Rom. 5:12, 19
I Thess. 5:23 Heb. 6:1

In water baptism through immersion
In baptism of the Holy Spirit

Rom. 6:4 Acts 8:36-39
Acts 1:5, 8, 2:4

The Institution of taking the Lord's Communion
In a Spirit filled life

Lk 22:19-20 I Cor. 11:23-28
Eph. 5:18 Gal. 5:16, 25

In the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit
That we must be moderate in all things

Rom. 12:6-8 Gal. 5:22-23
Phil. 4:5

In Divine Healing
The second coming is imminent and personal

James 5:14-16 Matt. 8:17
I Thess. 4:16-17

In Church relationships and Civil Government
In final judgment

Heb. 10:24-25 Rom. 13:1-3
I Cor. 2:9 Matt. 13:41-43

In Heaven and Hell
The Church is to Evangelize the world

John 14:2 Rev. 20:10-15
Mark 16:15 John 4:35-37

In tithes and offerings to support the work of the Lord
The headship of Christ over the church which is His body

Mal. 3:10 II Cor. 9:7
Eph. 1:22-23

The absolute sovereignty of the local pastor as overseer of the flock

I Peter 5:2

Signature _____ Date _____

Please sign and return to the Fellowship for processing. Thank you.

Victory New Testament Fellowship, International is an established and legitimate non-profit, tax-exempt Christian organization. We are Bible-based, Christ-centered, Spirit-filled, and inter-denominational. Dr. H. Donald Skelton, the founder of **VNTFI** in 1953; founded many churches, preached from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and evangelized from the Gulf of Mexico to Canada. Taking many missionary trips to Foreign Countries and was a veteran radio and television preacher until his home going in November of 2006.

God has lead us to help thousands of ministers get started and launch out their ministry for the Lord. **VNTFI** has provided credentials and encouragement to men and women throughout the U.S., Canada and many Foreign Countries.

Qualifications

1. You must be saved or born again as **II Cor. 5:17** says, "Therefore, if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new." We expect our ministers to be free from lust, greed, bitterness, anger, and pride. We all must keep our old flesh nature crucified according to **Galatians 2:20**. We require a person to be saved or reclaimed a minimum of 2 years.
2. God gave not the Spirit by measure to Jesus (**John. 3:34**) and every Christian has a measure of the Spirit of God. Rom. 8:9. But the Baptism into the Holy Spirit is separate and subsequent to salvation. **Acts. 8:14-16; Acts. 19:2; Ephesians. 1:13**. A survey of the **Acts of the Apostles** shows that the common pattern of experience when believers receive the Gift of the Holy Spirit, is that they speak with other tongues. (**Acts 2, 8, 9, 10, and 19**), which builds up faith (**Jude 20**) and brings more power (**Acts 1:8**).
3. A person of good moral character and conduct, abstaining from all sexual activity outside of marriage. **I Thess. 5:22**. We expect our ministers to refrain from gossip, evil speaking, back-biting, and sowing discord among the brethren. In other words, living a life that reflects Jesus.
4. You must be definitely called by God into the ministry, with a strong desire to serve others for Christ's sake. **Isaiah. 6:1-8; Matt. 28:19,20; Acts. 5:20; Acts. 13:1-4; Acts. 26:16-18**. Evidence of a divine calling is a vision for God's work, and anointing of God's presence, and a burden to feed his lambs and sheep. If you have a desire to be used of God, out of the motivation of love, for the Glory of God, behold, you **Are Called of God**. If in doubt, pray and wait until you're sure.
5. You should be active, for actions speak louder than words. You ought to be doing something more than praying, reading your Bible, and going to Church; all Christians should be doing that. The ministry is also much more than standing behind a pulpit delivering sermons to a congregation. The Church needs Sunday School teachers, musicians, altar workers, home and hospital visitors, phone counselors and prayer warrior's and personal workers to witness in public. As their pastor, you need to be behind them, encouraging them to move forward. You could produce and or distribute Christian literature, carry on rest home, jail, and prison ministries, perform good works such as feeding the poor, clothing the needy, conducting home prayer meetings, preaching on radio and T.V. The opportunities of meeting the needs of people everywhere are unlimited!

ORDINATION PROCEDURE

If you live near Dallas, Texas we would love to have you come to one of our services for a "**laying on of hands**" Ordination service. We also have Official Representatives throughout much of the United States, that you can go to their church. We will give you their phone number and you can work out the details for your Ordination Service. (You should bless them with some kind of offering). You will be presented with a beautiful certificate that you may frame and hang on your wall, and also a nice card to carry in your wallet. The pocket card will make you eligible for clearance into most jails, prisons, and hospitals, regardless of visiting hours, and some places without paying a parking fee. You will have the same legal status as any other clergy in the country.

We require a **One Hundred Twenty Five Dollar Offering (\$125.00)** be given by each applicant to help with the expenses of the Fellowship. If a husband and wife both wish Ordination, **the Ordination Fee** would be only **\$200.00 for both**. There is also an **Annual Renewal Fee of \$60.00 each per year**.

VNTFI sponsors several orphanages in Pakistan and Mexico. We have helped Honduran people and Philippine churches. We feed the hungry people in our community on a regular basis. We have several prisoners that we work with. Some have Tent Meetings in the summer and have been very successful doing that.

We have a Pledge Club each month called (**Burden Bearers**), for the support of these programs. We feel this is a way of helping others the way Jesus commanded us to do. Thank you for becoming one of us.

Each month you will receive a newsletter called "**News of Victory**."

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