



Full Gospel Baptist Church Fellowship International
15th Annual Youth Conference
Bishop Paul S. Morton Sr., International Presiding Bishop
Overseer Christopher J. Harris, Overseer of Youth

YOUTH AWARDS CRITERIA & OUTLINE

The information and materials presented for evaluation for awards and achievements must be dates from the beginning of the current school/academic year to the beginning/opening of the current conference. Specifically for the 2008 International Youth Conference, the dates must be between July/August 2007 – June 2008.

The following indicates the areas in which the student or adult can be nominated and selected for. Please ensure that the person meets or exceeds the minimum award criteria and that each criteria can be supported and verified with document if requested. Please include as much information as possible. Please encourage each nominator to be thorough in presenting information on behalf of the nominee.

Category: (Select 1 award per form)

Children

- General Overseer Award
- Outstanding Youth in Ministry
- I'm An Overcomer Award

Youth

- General Overseer Award
- Outstanding Youth in Community Involvement
- Outstanding Youth in Academics (GPA)
- Outstanding Youth in Arts
- Outstanding Youth in Ministry
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Adults

- Outstanding Youth Worker
- Outstanding Youth Pastor

Award Categories

Children

General Overseer Award

This is the top award that children can be awarded. It is awarded to that individual that has had well-rounded achievement in ministry, academics, community involvement, and the like. This well-rounded student is of good report and has a level of character and integrity that speaks volumes about their future.

Outstanding Youth in Ministry

(Requires 200 - words or less nomination statement.) This award is awarded to a child, ages 5 -11, who is selfless in their service to the ministry. This child is consistently present and willing to help whenever needed with no concern for recognition. Further, this child will have the reputation of always responding positively to any request made of them. Finally, this child is a positive example to other young people and properly represents the ministry in all of their endeavors.

I'm An Overcomer Award

(Requires 200 - words or less nomination statement.) This award is awarded to a child, age 5-11, who has overcome a great personal tragedy and/or obstacle(s) (Could be in academics, family situations, or their spiritual walk) that would serve as a testimony or example for other young people. Further, this individual continues to excel, perform, and be involved in spite of the difficulties that they have experienced.

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Outstanding Youth in Community Involvement

This award is awarded to a youth who is actively involved in making a difference in the community in which they live through service learning opportunities (visiting the sick and shut-in, visiting the elderly, tutoring young people, etc.). Letters from official agency representatives of agency, dates, and hours served by student would assist.. A resume or outline of activities & involvement can also be included.

Outstanding Youth in Academics (GPA)

This award will be presented to the student with the highest Grade Point Average. A transcript or official computation from school official must be provided.

Outstanding Youth in Arts

(Requires 200 - words or less nomination statement.) This award is awarded to a youth, ages 12 -18, who is uniquely gifted and offers their gift for others to be blessed. This young person can be gifted in any acceptable form of art (painting, sculpting, poetry, writing, singing, etc.)

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Outstanding Youth Worker

This award is presenting to a youth worker who has faithfully and consistently performed their work above and beyond the call of duty. They have built relationships with the young people that they work with and would be considered a model person to represent youth ministry across the globe.

Outstanding Youth Pastor

This award is presented to a Youth Pastor (or equivalent) who has developed a significant vision for their local youth ministry and consistently find innovative ways to reach young people with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Further, they propel the vision of their local ministry and Senior leader by teaching it in a relevant and simplistic manner that is reflected in the spiritual, physical, and emotional growth of the youth that are served.



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Completed By: Youth Pastor/Leader: _____

Name: _____

Age: _____

Church: _____

Senior Pastor: _____

Church Address: _____ Personal Email: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Phone: () _____ Day: () _____ Evening: () _____

Western-Pacific _____ Southern-Atlantic _____ Bahamas _____

South-Western _____ Northeast _____ Central _____

Mid-Western _____ Atlantic _____ Southern _____

