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LIFT
CAMP-of-the-WOODS
P.O. Box 250
Speculator, NY 12164-0250

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME _____ SOCIAL SECURITY # _____
CURRENT PHONE() _____ PERMANENT PHONE () _____ BIRTHDATE __/__/____
PERMANENT ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE ____ ZIP _____
CURRENT ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE ____ ZIP _____
EMAIL ADDRESS _____ Are you a US Citizen? Y N If NO, alien regist. # _____
Sex: M F Single Married (Years____) Divorced Children? Y N Ages _____
Name of Parent/Guardian _____
Person to be notified in an emergency _____ Relationship _____
Address _____ Phone () _____

INSURANCE

Name of carrier: _____ Name of Agent: _____ ID# _____

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

I am a: MEMBER REGULAR ATTENDANT at _____
Address _____ Phone () _____
Pastor _____ Denomination _____
Have you received Christ Jesus as your personal Savior? Y N Not Sure
Describe your recent church involvement: _____

EDUCATION

High School Name _____ Year Graduated _____
College _____ Year Graduated _____

FAMILY

What do your parents, family members, and friends think of your applying to LIFT? _____

LIFE GOALS

What is your life goal professionally speaking? _____

What are your ministry goals (regardless of your profession?) _____

How will your acceptance into LIFT further these goals? _____

Why should you be accepted into LIFT? _____

MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT

Describe any recent involvement in ministry (either church or parachurch): _____

What does "discipleship" mean to you? _____

If you have been discipled, or discipled someone else please describe the experience. _____

If you have discipled someone else, describe the experience. _____

LEADERSHIP

How are you demonstrating leadership in your community right now? _____

Who do you look up to as a leader and why? _____

What does it mean to be a Christian Leader? _____

How do you spend your free time? _____

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Do you attend church regularly? Y N

What church did you consider your "home church" while you were in college? _____

Describe how you worship God (This includes devotions, service, praise through music, etc): _____

Describe how you study the Bible _____

Do you memorize scripture? Y N How Often? _____

Do you practice any other spiritual disciplines (fasting, prayer, solitude, silence, thanksgiving, confession, celebration, etc) How? _____

Describe how you have shared your faith with others. _____

Have you read and are you in agreement with the CAMP-of-the-WOODS statement of Faith and Code of Conduct (please see pg 4)? Y N If not, please explain _____

What are your spiritual gifts? _____

According to your beliefs, when does the Holy Spirit come into a person's life? _____

What is your belief about tongues, interpretations, and physical healings? _____

Explain how you have shown yourself to be a growing and teachable disciple of Jesus Christ: _____

PERSONAL TESTIMONY

Please attach a copy of your testimony including how and when you became a Christian. Also, please explain why you want to be in LIFT and why now.

Please attach a brief biographical sketch of high school and college honors and activities. If you are a college graduate please include post graduate activities.

FITNESS

Please gauge your level of physical fitness with a 2 mile run. You can measure the distance with your car's odometer, or run 8 laps at a local track. Record your time here (yes, we're serious!): _____

Please describe your weekly workouts _____

FINANCIAL

Do you tithe/give regularly? _____ What are your present financial obligations? _____

MISCELLANEOUS

What are your fears? _____

From whom did you learn of LIFT? _____

Do you have any physical limitations, chronic illnesses, or do you take any drugs for physical or psychological reasons? Please explain _____

Have you ever been involved in substance abuse? Y N Please explain if yes _____

Have you ever been charged/convicted of any misdemeanor or felony, child abuse, or any unlawful sexual behavior involving a child? _____

When is it difficult for you to submit to authority and how do you respond? _____

What three things do you hope to get out of LIFT? _____

REFERENCES

Reference #1 Church-related: Email _____ Phone Number () _____
Reference #2 Work-Related: Email _____ Phone Number () _____
Reference #3 Non-Family: Email _____ Phone Number () _____

STATEMENT OF FAITH

1. We believe the Bible is the divinely inspired and authoritative Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice.
2. We believe there is one God, Creator and sustainer of the universe, Who eternally exists in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. We believe in the deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, sinless life, redemptive death, bodily resurrection, present exaltation at God's right hand, and personal return.
4. We believe all have sinned, fallen short of God's glory, and therefore are guilty under judgment before God in His righteousness.
5. We believe that God, in love, provided an atonement for sin through the death of His Son, Jesus Christ, on the cross; also, that through repentance and saving faith in Christ, man is delivered from judgment by the gift of God's grace and is born again into eternal life.
6. We believe in the deity and person of the Holy Spirit, Who works in men to lead them to God through Christ, and Who dwells in believers, equipping and empowering them for lives of worship, holiness and fruitful service.
7. We believe the Church is comprised of all true believers, and the mission of the Church, with Christ as its Head, is to communicate the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all the world.
8. We believe in the resurrection of the body, and the everlasting separation of unbelievers from God, and the everlasting life of believers in the presence of God.

"As a manner of operational policy, we believe the ministry of the Holy Spirit, in the life of a believer, is to glorify Jesus Christ in and through that life. Since our organization is interdenominational, and the employees come from various denominational backgrounds, we ask our staff not to teach, promote or practice any interpretation of the ministry of the gifts of the Holy Spirit or any major doctrinal issues which have historically acted to bring disunity and division. We are not asking staff to change personal beliefs, but simply to adhere to this policy which has been established for the order, harmony, and good of us all."

CODE OF CONDUCT

"As can be expected, CAMP-of-the-WOODS does not allow any of its employees or students, either on or off the grounds, to be involved with smoking, drinking alcoholic beverages, or using illegal drugs. Also, theft, immorality, damaging of property, physical injury to others, deception and other forms of socially unacceptable behavior will be causes for immediate dismissal."

APPLICANTS AFFIRMATION

I hereby make formal membership application to L.I.F.T. a ministry of Gospel Volunteers, Inc. I understand that this application form is intended for use in evaluating my qualifications for participation. I understand that any false statements, misrepresentations or omissions made on this form and in subsequent interview are grounds for terminating the application process.

I authorize CAMP-of-the-WOODS and/or its agents to verify any of this information. I authorize all former employers, persons, schools, companies and agencies to release any information concerning my background, except as noted in this application, and hereby release all said persons, schools, companies and agencies from any liability for any damages whatsoever for issuing this information.

I have read and agree with the Camp's Statement of Faith and am wholeheartedly willing to abide by its Christian standards of operation and Code of Conduct. In the event of acceptance into the L.I.F.T. Program, I agree to abide by all present and subsequently adopted procedures and rules of CAMP-of-the-WOODS.

TERM APPLYING FOR: FALL _____ WINTER/SPRING _____

DATE _____ SIGNATURE _____