

IRON HORSE MINISTRIES™

- APPLICATION FORM -

(BASIC)

- BASIC INSTRUCTIONS -

For your convenience, we have provided three different options of getting all three parts of your application to us. So please read through the following, and decide which one works best for you.

- * The first option to choose from is to use this "Basic" .PDF Application Form to print up and mail a handwritten hard copy of both your personal contact information (Part-1 of this form), and your responses to the Questionnaire (Part-2 of this form). In addition, we also ask that you would please include a Pastoral Letter of Recommendation on official church letterhead (Part-3). Then when you have everything ready, you can mail all of the documents to the Snail-mail address below that's closest to you:

IRON HORSE MINISTRIES
P.O. Box 418043
Sacramento, CA 95841

IRON HORSE MINISTRIES
P.O. Box 11664
Lynchburg, VA 24506

- * The second option to choose from, is one that will allow you to expedite things a bit, by using the same "Basic" .PDF application, and 'scanning' the handwritten hard copies of the Personal Information Form (Part-1 of this form); your responses to the Questionnaire (Part-2 of this form); and the original Pastoral Letter of Recommendation (Part-3). Once that's done, you can then send all of the scanned document files as E-mail attachments, to this E-mail address:

application@ironhorseministries.org

- * The third option to choose from will help make things even faster and easier. You can use the "Electronic" version of the Application Form (which is NOT this one). Now, if that sounds like the way you want to go, then here's what you can do:

Go to the I.H.M. website (IronHorseMinistries.org) and locate the Adobe .PDF icons of the Application Form. Open up the one that is labeled, "Electronic". Then follow the simple instructions found on that version of the Application Form.

- F.Y.I. -

Now, no matter what option you choose, once we have received all three parts of the application (your personal contact information; your responses to the Questionnaire; and the Pastoral Letter of Recommendation), the Chaplain of the Board of Directors of Iron Horse Ministries will look them over. Then you and your Pastor will be contacted, to verify all of the information. Also know, that during this process, if there are any other questions, you can be sure that we *will* be contacting you.

Then, after praying and asking for God's confirmation, we will notify you as to whether or not you are eligible for membership, and whether you can order the patch(s) that you are seeking. With that having been said; we need to say this: Because this kind of ministry is not necessarily for everyone, Iron Horse Ministries respectfully reserves the right to refuse any applicant. And with that, we want to thank you for your understanding.

You also need to know, that all of your correspondence will be held in the strictest confidence. The intent here is not to keep secrets, but to protect the personal information that has been entrusted to this ministry. In fact, because of the behind-the-scenes nature of *this* particular ministry, we handle ALL communications with discretion and respect - as this also can help to build bridges to Christ.

Finally, we want to take just a moment here, to thank you for following God's leading to this ministry. We are so blessed and very excited about that. We also want to thank you again for your willingness to go through the application process. We know that all of this will take some time and effort, but we also know, it's well worth it. So with that, may God bless you - real good - BIG time - as you prayerfully continue to follow His leading, through this procedure.

- TO GOD BE THE GLORY, FOR ALL HE HAS DONE -

(Part-1)
- PERSONAL INFORMATION -
(CONFIDENTIAL)

Thank you so much for taking the time and effort to complete the entire Application Form, to become part of Iron Horse Ministries. We are truly honored by that.

Now, because communication is so extremely important in this kind of ministry, it is imperative that you completely fill out the 'Personal Information Form' below. In fact, for your application to be accepted, ALL appropriate lines must be filled in. We appreciate your understanding, and we thank you for your compliance with this.

Please note:

For your convenience, it has been set up so that when you put your name and date (by any means) onto *any* Iron Horse Ministries related forms, it is considered as your signature, which in turn constitutes as your agreement with the precepts and principles of this ministry.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State/Province:** _____

Zip Code: _____ **Country:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____ **Birthday:** MM/DD

E-Mail: _____

(Part-2)
- QUESTIONNAIRE -

Though this may seem rather foreboding, it's really not. *This is NOT a test.* It's kind of like sharing your testimony. In fact, it's just a way for us to get to know you a little better, and to see if you have truly captured God's vision for this ministry - which means, the more you write down, the better. So if you would, please prayerfully respond to each question fully and completely. We thank you, and we really appreciate your efforts.

1) Who is Jesus to you?

2) What is salvation? Please share when and how you were saved.

3) How do you know your salvation is for real and forever?

4) What is water baptism? Have you been baptized as a born again believer? When?

5) Please share some of what Jesus has done in your life, since you've asked Him to be your Lord.

6) How's your prayer and devotional life these days? Are you in God's Word daily?

7) What do you feel God wants you to do through this ministry (visions and goals)? And at which patch "Level", 'supporter patched' or 'fully patched'?

8) How would you explain to someone else your commitment level, your responsibilities, and your liabilities as a member of this ministry?

9) Have you talked with your family about being a part of this ministry? How do they feel about it?

10) Do you have an addiction that you battle with? How are you dealing with it? Do you have an "Accountability Partner" yet?



(Optional) How did God lead you to Iron Horse Ministries?
