

Baptist Missions to Forgotten Peoples Post Office Box 37043 Jacksonville, Florida 32236-7043 www.BMFP.org

Other _____

Personal Reference

Re	:	Applicant's Nam			Applicant: Please enter your name and field of service. Give this reference form to an individual, (other than a
Fie	ld:				relative), who can evaluate your character and suitability for missionary service
Dea	ar Friend:				
has pers as p	been given to us a sonal experience v possible. The informase return this que	as a reference. with the application you proposed the strength of the strengt	Realizing thant, may we a rovide will, o ctly to our he	at your answe ask you to resp f course, be tr adquarters at	didate named above, your name rs will be based upon your bond to the questionnaire as fully eated in the strictest of confidence. the address above and not to the ion of this missionary candidate.
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GE	NERAL INFOR	MATION:		•	
1.		-	-	-	
2.	Is the applicant, t	o your knowle	edge, a Bible-	believing Chr	ristian? Yes No
	How long have y	ou known the	applicant to b	be a Christian	?
	Is the applicant li	ving a consist	ent Christian	life?	
	Would you perso	nally consider	the applicant	t a mature Ch	ristian? Yes No
3.	Would you perso	nally recomm	end the applic	cant for full-ti	me missionary service?
	Yes	No	At	home	Abroad
	Do you believe th	ne applicant to	be qualified	for the field o	f his interest? Yes No
4.	Do you believe th	ne application	of the candid	ate has been p	prompted by motives such as:
	Adventure	Romance	Failure	Escape mec	hanism Family problems

PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

	Is there anything in the applicant's personal life, past or present, which should be called to our attention?
	Would the applicant's immediate family tend to hinder his ministry?
	Is there harmony and compatibility between husband and wife?
	Please evaluate the applicant's background from the standpoint of social training and environment:
	Outstanding Above average Average Passing Poor
	What is your impression of the applicant's personal appearance?
	Extravagant Gaudy Immodest Proper Untidy Slovenly
	What is your impression of the applicant's physical condition?
	Robust Healthy Chronically ill Delicate Hypochondriac
PΙ	RITUAL QUALITIES:
	Describe the applicant's spiritual condition:
	Deeply spiritual Above Average Average Struggling Carnal
	Evaluate the applicant's knowledge of the Scriptures:
	Outstanding Well-versed Average Fair Needs training
	Indicate the depth of the applicant's passion for lost souls:
	Burdened Casual Indifferent Other
	How does the applicant react to testing and reproach?
	Victoriously Acceptably Adversely
	Define the applicant's spiritual growth since conversion:
	Unusual Progressive Static Receded

PRACTICAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Evaluate the applicant with respect to the following traits:

1.	Compatability:	Harmonious	Average	Discordant
2.	Cooperation:	Excellent	Average	Negative
3.	Maturity:	Developed	Average	Immature
4.	Ability:	Superior	Average	Limited
5.	Tact:	Discreet	Average	Tactless
6.	Judgment:	Exceptional	Average	Poor
7.	Initiative:	Aggressive	Average	Indolent
8.	Patience:	Commendable	Average	Lacking
9.	Perseverance:	Indomitable	Average	Weak

PUBLIC SERVICE:

Describe the applicant's experience & performance in the following:

1.	Personal work:	Extensive Fruitful	Occasional Average	Infrequent Non-productive
2.	Teaching:	Adults Effective	Young People Average	Children Non-effective
3.	Preaching: (men only)	As pastor Gifted	Evangelist Good	Other Limited
4.	Leadership:	Church Leader	School Average	Other Follower
5.	Organization:	Churches Gifted	Societies Average	Other Poor
6.	Please note any specia	l aptitudes:		

			3.	
UMMARY:				
ndicate your over	rall evaluatio	n of the candida	te:	
Excellent	Good	Average	Questionable	Not recommend
Ve gratefully wel valuate this appli			nts you feel would be	e pertinent in helping us
			Print Name:	
Date:			Signature:	
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			Address:	

Please list below the names and addresses of three persons not related to the applicant who are also qualified to complete a similar reference questionnaire: