

SERVANTS OF THE LORD MINISTRIES CONSTITUTION

Joshua 24:15 "As for me and my house we will serve the Lord."

Article I Name & Purpose

Section 1 This organization shall be known as the Servants of the Lord Ministries.

Section 2 The purpose of this organization is to:

1. The mission of this ministry is to do the will of God, which is to win souls to Jesus Christ and to teach them to observe the commands of God. (**Matthew 28:19-20**)
2. To teach believers how to be filled and to operate in the power of the Holy Spirit so they can become disciples of Jesus Christ. (**Acts 13:52**)
3. To fervently uphold and endorse Jesus Christ as Lord & Savior according to the Holy Bible. (**I Samuel 17:29**)
4. To teach Christians to employ "God First" principles in their endeavors; thus, becoming people of character and productive students and citizens. (**Ephesians 4:12-16**)

Article II Membership

Section 1 Membership is available:

1. Membership is open to all regularly enrolled students who are interested in receiving a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, being filled with the Holy Spirit, accepting the Bible as the uncompromising word of God, employing "God First" principles in their endeavors and gaining empowered, discipleship training in righteousness and holiness in the sight of God.

Section 2 Members are selected by the following criteria:

1. However, our members are required to have received salvation (Romans 10:9) and will be selected according to their ability to accept the Bible as the uncompromising word of God, fervently uphold and endorse Jesus Christ as Lord & Savior according to the Bible, and employ "God First" principles in their endeavors.

Article III Officers

Section 1 The elected officers of the ministry shall be a President, a Vice President, Preacher, Secretary, and Treasurer.

Section 2 The officers of this ministry shall be elected by the organization

members, to serve an entire academic year, beginning in August and ending in June. There is no maximum limit to how long a particular officer can serve in a position. As long as, he or she is re-elected to the position by his peers. However, our officers are required to meet the code of conduct guidelines.

“The overseer of this ministry is Minister Jurian J. Washington, and God has given our shepherd the authority to establish codes of conduct for all officers. For starter, the officers are the spiritual leaders of this ministry. For this reason, all officers have to receive Jesus Christ as their personal Lord & Savior by faith. In addition, all officers are required to accept the Bible as the uncompromising word of God, faithfully uphold “God First” principles, reflect the character of Jesus Christ, and remain above reproach. They must be true and faithful men/women of God, thoroughly furnished unto all good works. As leaders, it is essential that these men/women conduct themselves in an orderly fashion. The officers must be fully obedient, temperate, self-controlled respectable, gentle and able to preach and teach. To whom much is given, much is also required, so leaders must deliver God’s word with boldness and authority, obeying God in all things rather than man. In essence, they must be sanctified and filled with the Holy Ghost and led of God in all matters. These qualities must be present and recognized by all men/women. If an officer does not meet these decrees or if an officer is found below reproach, he/she will be asked to step down from their leadership position. Disobedience will not be tolerated among our officers at Servants of the Lord Ministries.”

Section 3 All officers must sign and agree to the officer conduct terms for Servants of the Lord Ministries. As God be their witness whom they serve in their spirit, officers must uphold the commands that God has placed on them as ministry leaders. Officers must agree to be leaders and an example of Christ before their peers. They must agree to be a leader in both word and action. However, if they fail to meet the established officer guidelines of this ministry, they must understand that they can be asked to step down from their position and if found under reproach by their peers, they must understand that they can be asked to step down from their officer position. This decision will only be addressed before the legislature (officers) whose decision will be final. Furthermore, after close examination and direction from God, the individual can run for office during the next election if he or she is found above reproach. However, after a second offence he or she can no longer run for ministry officer positions.

Article IV Amending The Constitution

Section 1 Amendments to the constitution shall be presented by members of the organization in writing and read at a regular meeting. However, it shall not be voted upon until the next regular meeting. This gives all officers and member the opportunity to seek God about the final decision. Never make any changes to the constitution without seeking God for direction. Then, at the next meeting a majority of 2/3 of the members present is required in order to vote.

Section 2 Any article of this constitution or part thereof that is in direct violation of the student government constitution or by-laws shall be null and void and declared unconstitutional by the president of student government. Any differences of opinion between the organization and the president of the student government shall be brought before the legislature (officers), whose decision shall be final.

Article V Meetings

Section 1 This organization will meet every Monday (Brothers & Sisters In the Word) and Thursday at 8:30 p.m. (Worship Service) with the exception of holiday breaks.

Article VI Committees

Section 1 Each member of the Servants of the Lord Ministries must be serving on at least one sub-committee throughout the year.

Section 2 Committees include:

1. Men's Committee

This committee is designed to coordinate ways for males to come together and grow spiritually. This is obtained through, Brother's In The Word, a weekly bible study hosted by males. This study is informal and open-ended and operates like a question and answer session. Other events can be formulated as well, in order to bring the males closer together.

2. Women's Committee

This committee is designed to coordinate ways for females to come together and grow spiritually. This is obtained through, Sister's In The Word, a weekly bible study hosted by females. This study is informal and open-ended and operates like a question and answer session. Other events can be formulated as well, in order to bring the females closer together.

3. Prayer Committee

This committee is structured toward prayer intercession for the ministry, campus, lost souls, backsliders, etc. This team will be called to help others in their hardships and trials. There will be a prayer line set up for members to contact.

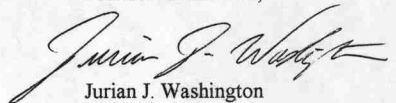
4. Worship Committee

This committee is designed to lift up the name of the Lord through song. This committee is important because it ushers in the presence of the Lord and sets the tone for the entire service.

5. Outreach Committee
Coordinate ways to evangelize and assist the campus and community.
(i.e., Thanksgiving baskets, Food Bank)
6. Social Events Committee
Assists in the coordination of special events for the Servants of the Lord Ministry such as Revivals, Cookouts, Banquets, Seminars, and Workshops.
7. Publicity Committee
Coordinate ways to publicize Servants of the Lord Ministries and events such as Revivals, Cookouts, Banquets, Seminars, and Workshops.
8. Hospitality Committee
This committee will be responsible for setting up the Bible studies and services by passing out Bibles & information, assisting people to their seats and setting up the equipment. This committee will also be responsible for cleaning up the facility after services.

Section 4 Servants of the Lord Ministries officers' will appoint leaders to coordinate the following committees.

Founder & Overseer,



Jurian J. Washington