

Autobiographical Essay

Applicant's Name:

Last/Family

First

Middle

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Instructions: Use this form to write your autobiographical essay.

You need to describe your childhood, education, volunteer experiences, and church involvement including a statement of personal religious faith, your calling to the Christian ministry, summary of ministry experience and an assessment of personal qualifications and gifts for ministry. On top of that, you need to provide a brief statement of your Christian testimony and explain your view of God and how your faith is evident in your life.

I was born 8th July 1979 at Nyamasheke district, west province in Rwanda.

My parents were in the Roman Catholic church until now.

When I was 6 years old, I lived with priests together because they were friends of my parents.

I grew up with target of being priest.

In my secondary school in ordinary level, I made decision of studying at a theological seminary so that I became priest.

However when I was in secondary school after two years,

I received a call from God told me to serve him in an other way, It was a message from God by prophecy.

During that period, I was sick but It was serious and complicated sickness. I prayed my God in heaven so that he heal me and God listened my prayer, I received the healing from heaven (from Jesus Christ my healer)

In 1999 I was baptised in pentecostal church at Kigali Rwanda ADEPR and I received Jesus Christ as my Savior, and I received Holy Spirit in my Life.

Since that day, I served God in evangelism departement until now.

After finishing my studies in primary school I went to Secondary School where I studied Trade and accountancy then I received my professional certificate of Secondary (School) education level A2 In the option trade and accountancy.

That gave me the opportunity of getting a job in hotel where I worked in different departments.

I was also trained in hospitality industry, because of that I worked in different hotels as food and beverage manager, night auditor, night auditor, operation manager, chief cook....

After that I work for myself in Restaurant until now I am managing director of the restaurant.

- In Church, when I was young I was leader of Christian youngs, and I was president (leader) of Choir during 14 years in pentecostal church ADEPR, I was also leader of deacons.

Nowadays in church I am leader of prayers department, I am in charge of Intercession group.

I am evangelist, is the reason why I am so glad to study theology, so that I preach in good way because of knowledge. I am married, I have five children I do practice of Christian parenting.

I also serve God in worship team where I sing and I am advisor in the board of team.

I am deacon and I am in the board of church leaders.

At University (UWMPF) I am vice president of Light Mission ministries. I am Christian, I believe in One God, eternally existent in three persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.