

ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION

Branch 380, Thousand Oaks, California

2008 Scholarship Application Information

The Federation, Branch 380, will award scholarships to high school graduates payable to them upon proof of enrollment in an accredited college, junior college, or university. This is one of the many purposes of the Italian Catholic Federation, to offer assistance to further the education of students who are Catholic, of Italian descent and whose parents, grand parents or relative(s) are members of the Italian Catholic Federation, Branch 380. Also, students whose parents, grand parents, or relative(s) that are members of Branch 380 who are not of Italian descent are eligible. Member must be in good standing for 1 year, minimum.

Applications will be judged and evaluated on the following criteria:

- **Scholastic achievement - GPA and Class Rank**
- **Financial Need**
- **Leadership Role**
- **Faculty Recommendations and Character References**
- **Extracurricular Activities and Community Service**
- **A Written Essay explaining My Accomplishments, Life Style and Interests, Leading to My Future Plans and Goals**

The application must be complete with the Name of the ICF member of Branch 380, and accompanied by the following:

- **A transcript of the applicant's scholastic record.**
- **A teacher's recommendation from whom the applicant received instruction.**
- **Letters of recommendation from 2 people, priest, employer, school official.**
- **Documented evidence of community service and extracurricular activities.**
- **An essay written in your own words describing you and your future plans.**
- **Explanation of financial need, and your contribution to your education need.**

The applicant's completed application accompanied by the above listed documents and information should be mailed to the address of the ICF Branch 380 Scholarship Committee listed below. This complete package must be received by May 9, 2008. All applications become the property of the ICF scholarship committee and remains confidential within the committee. Scholarship recipients will be notified and the amount of funds disclosed no later than June 6, 2008.

Mail application to: ICF Scholarship Committee, c/o - Lou Mages
16 Del Ray Circle
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360

Phone: (805) 492-9658

Italian Catholic Federation, Branch 380

Application For Scholarship

I hereby apply for a First Year Scholarship offered by the Italian Catholic Federation, Branch 380, and certify that I understand and meet the necessary requirements:

Name _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

High School _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____
GPA _____ Class Rank _____

College / University I plan to attend _____

Course of Study / Profession I plan to pursue _____

Extracurricular activities in which I have been involved:

Community Service Activities in which I Participated:

I fully understand the deadline for this application is **May 9, 2008**, and that the contents of this application are confidential. I also understand that if I am awarded a First Year Scholarship, it will be payable to me upon proof of full-time enrollment at an accredited college, junior college or university.

In compliance with the requirements for this scholarship, I submit the following information:

- A Transcript of my high school scholastic record.
- A Teacher's recommendation from whom I received instruction.
- Letters of recommendation from 2 people, priest, employer, school official.
- Documented evidence of community service and extracurricular activities.
- An Essay written in my own words describing me and my future plans.
- Explanation of financial need, and my contribution to my education.

ICF Member Name _____ Phone:(____) _____

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent / Guardian _____ Date _____