



GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE ^{OF} AMERICA

2007-08 Katina John Malta Scholarship Applications Available

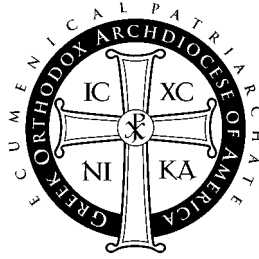
Applications are available for the Katina John Malta Scholarship Fund, a scholarship program established at the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America by means of a generous gift from the estate of Katina John Malta. The donation and the formation of the scholarship program has been done in recognition of the love Katina had for the Church and in honor of the desire she had to help others, especially children and youth of the Orthodox Christian Faith. At least two scholarships of \$2,000 each will be awarded for the 2007-08 academic year. Selection of the recipients will be based on the following criteria:

- Candidates must be of the Eastern Orthodox faith (within a jurisdiction of the member Churches of the Standing Conference of Canonical Orthodox Bishops in the Americas – SCOBA), and at the time of application, high school seniors or full-time matriculated students committed to serious study in an **undergraduate degree program** at an accredited college or university.
- Candidates **must be citizens or permanent residents** of the United States.
- Candidates must be firmly planning to commence or continue their studies, full time, at the college or university of their choice in the next academic year.
- Candidates must provide the Scholarship Committee with evidence of their scholastic standing, including transcript records with a grade level of at least a B, 85 percent or 3.0 average.
- Candidates must provide a typewritten one-page essay setting forth the reason for applying for the award and include as enclosures three Letters of Recommendation, as well as a Letter of Acceptance or Continuation from their undergraduate college or university.
- Candidates who are high school seniors must have achieved and must provide proof of a combined new SAT minimum score of 1500*, or older SAT minimum score of 1000. If the SAT is not administered, another measure used by the academic community, for example the ACT, should be substituted. **College students must also submit both current college as well as high school transcripts, including their testing record of SAT and/or ACT scores.** *NOTE: New SAT writing section may be waived.
- Candidates must submit an application to the Scholarship Committee and be available for an interview at the Committee's discretion. Applications must be filled out in their entirety. **The committee will not consider incomplete applications.**
- Candidates must provide evidence of financial need. Preference will be given to candidates who are orphans and to those who are undertaking studies in the sciences, business and the arts.

Applications may be requested from the Office of the Chancellor of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese by calling (212) 774-0513, by e-mail at **scholarships@goarch.org**, or by written request. Completed applications should be sent to the Malta Scholarship Fund – c/o Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America – Office of the Chancellor – 8 East 79th Street – New York, NY 10021. **Scholarships must be postmarked by the May 15, 2007 deadline.**

Applications are also available on-line at:

<http://www.goarch.org/en/archdiocese/administration/chancellor/maltascholarship.pdf>



KATINA JOHN MALTA SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Application Checklist

Please use this checklist to make sure all parts of your application are completed. This checklist must be submitted along with your completed application and all necessary documents to:

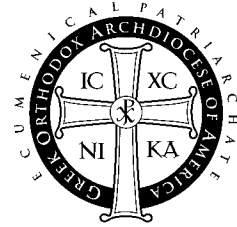
Katina John Malta Scholarship Fund
c/o Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America
Office of the Chancellor
8-10 East 79th Street
New York, NY 10021

Checklist: Have you enclosed the following:

- Your **Official Transcript(s)**?
(Including Testing Record & High School Transcript)
- A **Letter of Acceptance**?
(For those entering College)
- Enclosed a copy or transcript of your **Baptismal or Chrismation Certificate**?
- Enclosed a copy of your **income tax return**?
(And/or parents' return, if you are a dependent)
- Three (3) Letters of Recommendation**?
Three Letters of Recommendation from: your Teacher(s) / Professor(s), Employer(s) **and** Orthodox Clergyman or church lay leader. The letters should address: a) your academic record, and b) your extracurricular activities, such as community service or parish activities.
- An **Essay**?
How, through your planned studies, will the receipt of this Scholarship help you serve the Church and/or the Community at large?
- A **brief resume** (2-page maximum), **including the following information**:
 - Honors and Awards (most significant honors/awards--academic and other, type, and date received)
 - Language(s) (including proficiency)
 - Special skills (any skills, abilities, or appropriate experiences you feel better qualify you for this scholarship)
 - Extracurricular information: activities and volunteer service (Church, School, Community); special programs; paid/unpaid employment and/or internship. Please include name(s) of organization(s), years of involvement with each, brief description of program, service or work responsibilities. For employment and internship please list hours per week.
- Your **completed checklist** and **signed the application / release form**?

NOTE: All of the above Checklist items must be included for the proper processing of your application.

KATINA JOHN MALTA
SCHOLARSHIP FUND



2007

Applicant Information

Applicant's Instructions

Please complete all sections of this form, and return it signed along with all required documents. Please note that **incomplete applications will not be considered for an award.**

➤ Send this application package to the Katina John Malta Scholarship Fund, c/o Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America, Office of the Chancellor, 8-10 East 79th Street, New York, NY, 10021. For additional inquiries, please call (212) 774-0513.

<p>1. Applicant's Name (Last, First, Middle)</p>	<p>2. Social Security Number</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____ -- _____ -- _____</p>																																																																							
<p>3. Mailing Addresses</p> <p>Street/P.O. Box</p> <p>Apartment City</p> <p>State</p> <p>Country</p> <p style="text-align: right;">ZIP Code</p> <p>E-mail</p>	<p>4. Telephone Numbers (include area codes)</p> <p>Daytime () --</p> <p>Evening () --</p> <p>5. Citizenship Are you a U.S. Citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No or a Permanent Resident? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>If neither of the above, state status: _____</p> <p>6a. Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY)</p> <p>6b. Place of Birth</p>																																																																							
<p>7. Educational Experience</p> <p>7a. Name of Undergraduate College/University</p> <p>Address:</p> <p>7b. Enrollment Status (Check applicable boxes.) <input type="checkbox"/> Admitted <input type="checkbox"/> Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer</p> <p>Are you currently <input type="checkbox"/> Enrolled full-time or <input type="checkbox"/> Accepted for full-time enrollment in an accredited post-secondary institution? (please check one)</p> <p>7c. Field of Study</p> <p>Degree Program:</p> <p>Major and/or Minor:</p> <p>7d. Current Scholastic Standing</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Actual GPA Score: _____ points out of _____ points (i.e: 3.75 pts out of 4 pts)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Weighted GPA Score: _____ points out of _____ points</p> <p>Letter Grade Average: _____ Rank in Class: _____ out of _____</p>	<p>8. Test Scores and Dates Enter your ACT, SAT I, and SAT II test dates and current highest scores earned, if available. Also list any planned test dates. If you have taken an exam more than once, record your highest score. For SAT I use your best total score; verbal and mathematics scores must be from the same sitting.</p> <p>8a. ACT</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <table style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">MO</td> <td style="text-align: center;">/</td> <td style="text-align: center;">YR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">English</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Math</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Reading</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Science Reasoning</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Test Date</td> <td colspan="5" style="text-align: center;">← Subscores →</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="7" style="text-align: center;">COMPOSITE SCORE</td> </tr> </table> </p> <p>8b. SAT I (prior to 2005): Reasoning Test</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <table style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">MO</td> <td style="text-align: center;">/</td> <td style="text-align: center;">YR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Verbal</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Math</td> <td style="text-align: center;">TOTAL SCORE</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Test Date</td> <td colspan="4"></td> </tr> </table> </p> <p>OR</p> <p>SAT I (NEW, 2005 and after): Reasoning Test</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <table style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">MO</td> <td style="text-align: center;">/</td> <td style="text-align: center;">YR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Verbal</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Math</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Writing</td> <td style="text-align: center;">TOTAL SCORE</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Test Date</td> <td colspan="5"></td> </tr> </table> </p> <p>8c. SAT II: Subject Tests</p> <p>Mathematics – Level I or IC</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <table style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">MO</td> <td style="text-align: center;">/</td> <td style="text-align: center;">YR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Score</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Test Date</td> <td colspan="2"></td> </tr> </table> </p> <p>Mathematics – Level IIC</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <table style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">MO</td> <td style="text-align: center;">/</td> <td style="text-align: center;">YR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Score</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Test Date</td> <td colspan="2"></td> </tr> </table> </p> <p>Third Test</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <table style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">MO</td> <td style="text-align: center;">/</td> <td style="text-align: center;">YR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Score</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Test Date</td> <td colspan="2"></td> </tr> </table> </p>	MO	/	YR	English	Math	Reading	Science Reasoning	Test Date		← Subscores →					COMPOSITE SCORE							MO	/	YR	Verbal	Math	TOTAL SCORE	Test Date						MO	/	YR	Verbal	Math	Writing	TOTAL SCORE	Test Date							MO	/	YR	Score	Test Date				MO	/	YR	Score	Test Date				MO	/	YR	Score	Test Date			
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9. Family Information

9a. Parent(s) Marital Status: (Check applicable boxes.) Married/Remarried Single Divorced/Separated Widowed

9b. Total Family Size (Number) _____

9c. List of Dependents Children 18 years of age and younger, and/or children or other relative(s) receiving support from parent(s)

Full Name(s) _____ Age(s) _____ School(s) Currently Attending (where applicable) _____

9d. Special Family Status/Circumstances: Applicant is Married Orphan or, Parents are 65 years of age and over
 Disabled parent(s), or Other situation (please explain here or attach a brief explanation)

10a. Parent(s)' Information

Father (Name) _____

Mother (Name) _____

Address (City and State Only) _____

Address (City and State Only) _____

10b. Parent(s)' Employment Information

Current Occupation No. of Yrs.

Current Occupation No. of Yrs.

Employer: _____

Employer: _____

Previous Occupation No. of Yrs.

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12. Budget for 2007-2008**12a. Source of Financial Support**

Student Loans
\$ _____ .00

Institutional Scholarships
\$ _____ .00

Non-Institutional Scholarships
\$ _____ .00

Government Grants
\$ _____ .00

Other Financial Aid (Specify Source)

\$ _____ .00

Other Financial Aid (Specify Source)

\$ _____ .00

12b. Resource Total

\$ _____

12c. Calculation of Expenses

Books
\$ _____ .00

Laboratory Fees
\$ _____ .00

Room
\$ _____ .00

Board
\$ _____ .00

Transportation
\$ _____ .00

Tuition
\$ _____ .00

Other Expense (Specify Expense)

\$ _____ .00

12d. Expense Total

\$ _____

11. Parent(s)' Gross Annual Income

Estimate for 2006, if necessary. (Complete if you receive any support from parent(s) or if you are a dependent.)

2006 \$ _____ .00

2005 \$ _____ .00

2004 \$ _____ .00

13a. Student Gross Annual Income

Estimate for 2006 if necessary. Include your spouse's income, if married.

2006 \$ _____ .00

2005 \$ _____ .00

2004 \$ _____ .00

13b. Student Hours Worked (paid or volunteer/intern):

_____ hours per week.

14. Accrued Liability

(List the amount of student loan debt you have incurred thus far)

\$ _____ .00

15a. Have you applied for the Malta Scholarship before?

Yes No

Year of Application: _____

15b. If yes, are you a previous recipient?

Yes No

Year of Award: _____

16. Other Financial Assistance

Please list below any awards you have or will receive that will assist you financially while you enroll in your degree program.

Name of Award	Amount of Award	Duration of Award
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17. SCOBA Jurisdiction: Please indicate the jurisdiction of the member Church of the Standing Conference of Canonical Orthodox Bishops in the Americas (SCOBA) to which you belong. If you are a member of the Orthodox Christian Fellowship (OCF) at college, please indicate this as well.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Albanian Orthodox Diocese of America | <input type="checkbox"/> Orthodox Church in America |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Carpatho-Russian Orthodox Diocese in the USA | <input type="checkbox"/> Romanian Orthodox Archdiocese in America & Canada |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America | <input type="checkbox"/> Serbian Orthodox Church in the United States & Canada |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church | <input type="checkbox"/> Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America | I am a member of OCF: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> No OCF chapter at my college |

Parish name and location: _____
PARISH NAME CITY, STATE

18. DISBURSEMENT & CONTACT INFORMATION

University or College Attending:

Address:

Student ID Number:

Student Account Number (If Applicable):

Social Security Number:

Daytime Telephone:

19. ANNOUNCEMENT INFORMATION

Applicant's Name:

Address:
(City and State only)

AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATION

I authorize the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America (GOA) to release application information, including copies of my application and my test scores, to the **Malta Scholarship Committee (MSC)** or agent thereof.

I agree to have the GOA and/or the MSC or agent thereof to verify any and all of the application information given, including pertinent personal and financial information. The GOA and/or MSC or agent thereof may contact my employer(s), references, as well as schools cited herein to substantiate this information. I also understand that I may be required to authenticate the information given by submitting copies of financial aid application(s), or any other relevant document(s) or statement(s).

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application is accurate and that I am the author of the attached essay. I understand that if any information is found to be inaccurate or incomplete, the MSC will deny me an award.

If awarded the Malta Scholarship, I authorize the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America to publicize being a recipient (Section No. 19). I further consent to the release of any related disbursement and contact information in order to facilitate direct payment to the College or University that I am attending (Section No. 18).

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature Of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____
(If necessary)