

2017 CANADA MISSION TRIP APPLICATION

Prince Rupert

Trip Date: June 4-12, 2017 Cost: \$850

Application Deadline: Sunday, March 5, 2017

Full Name (as on your passport): _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Email: _____ **Birthdate (month/date/year):** _____

There are physical and spiritual concerns for all that apply. We do not want to discourage anyone who is truly called of the Lord, however, we need to be straightforward and ask questions that will help us discern who should go on this trip. Applicants must:

- Be a committed follower of Christ.
- Completed High School or Junior/Senior in High School
- Be an active member of Harp's Crossing Baptist Church for at least one year.
- Have a Passport (If you do not have one, it takes approximately six - eight weeks to obtain one).

1. Have you personally received Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior? Yes_____ No_____. Have you been baptized by immersion? Yes_____ No_____. Are you an active member of Harps Crossing? Yes_____ No_____. How long have you been a member? _____

Member of Harp's Crossing Fayetteville _____ or Harp's Crossing Hollonville _____

2. In what ways are you presently involved in the ministries of Harp's Crossing Baptist Church? (i.e. Sunday School, Discipleship Training, Worship, Mission Organizations, Choir, Committees, etc.)

3. What Leadership experiences have you had at our church? (Sunday School, Children's VBS, missions, choirs, etc.)

4. What do you believe are your skills, strengths, and/or spiritual gifts?

5. List any previous missions experience you have had (local, national, international)

6. What are your reasons for wanting to go on this trip? (Feel free to use back of this sheet to complete your answer.)

7. What do you believe would be your contribution to the mission team?

8. Would you consider yourself to be flexible and willing to make adjustments to be a cooperating member of the team?
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9. Would you be willing to submit to the Team Leader and follow his/her instructions?
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10. If you disagree with a decision by the Team Leader, would you still be willing to submit and follow without causing tension within the group? Moving a group around a foreign country requires one “chief” and you may not always agree with decisions made. How would you handle it? (Assuming the Team Leaders decision is not immoral, unbiblical or unethical.)
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11. Would you be willing to attend Team Meetings to prepare for the trip? Yes_____ No_____
12. How would you rate your overall health and physical condition?
Check one. Excellent_____, Very Good_____, Good_____, Fair_____, Poor_____
13. Do you have any physical conditions that might need immediate attention if complications arise? (Heart problems, asthma, high blood pressure, allergies, seizures, etc.) Please explain. _____
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14. Are you currently under the care of a physician? Please explain. _____
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15. Are you taking any prescription medication at this time? If yes, what type of medication and for what reason..
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16. Are you aware of the risks associated with this assignment and are you willing to accept that responsibility? (Terrorist threats, transportation, different culture.) _____
17. Do you have a current passport ? Yes_____ No_____
- If no, date applied for _____
- If yes, please include a photocopy with your application.
18. Do you have any overriding personal concerns that might hinder your full attention on this trip? (Work, financial pressures, family members, emotional stress, etc.)
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19. If married, does your spouse (parents, if college-age) agree with you going on this trip? Yes_____ No_____.
20. If there were more than enough qualified applicants, would you be willing to wait and go at another time?
Yes_____ No_____.

21. The cost for the trip has not been finalized but would be approximately \$1,700.00 per person. The Global Missions Council has requested that each team member pay half. Your part would be approximately \$850.00. Can you pay \$850.00? Yes_____ No_____.
22. Dates for the mission trip are **June 4-12, 2017**. Are you available to go at this time? Yes_____ No_____.
23. Are you actively involved in any of the volunteer missions ministries of Harp's Crossing? (Mission Friends (preschool), RA's (boys), GA's (girls), Mission Possible (teen boys - Challengers & teen girls - Acteens), Baptist Men (adult men), Women on Mission (adult women), etc.?) _____

24. Have you ever been arrested or convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Yes_____ No_____. If yes, please explain.

25. Have you ever been convicted of possessing or selling illegal drugs? Yes_____ No_____. If yes, please explain.

Please read the following very carefully:

Please include a photocopy of your passport with your application.

Ask your Sunday School teacher and two additional individuals to serve as references; use the attached reference forms. You may ask a Deacon or other spiritually mature person in the church to provide a reference; however, please **DO NOT** ask Church Staff, Church Staff spouses, Missions Council members or Canada Partnership Team members to serve as references.

Application and reference forms should be returned as soon as possible **to the church office in sealed envelopes and marked Attn: Canada Partnership Team**, but not later than **Sunday, March 5, 2017**. Please inform your references about the importance of turning in the reference forms to **Rex Cauble, 190 Wood Creek Road, Williamson, GA 30290** or email cobb1942@bellsouth.net by this deadline. It is your responsibility to follow up with them to make sure they have turned them in by the deadline.

It should be understood if you are approved to go on the trip and for some reason you are unable to go, **AFTER RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE**, you will be responsible for any cost related to cancellation of airfare, lodging and other accommodations. **A \$150.00 DEPOSIT IS DUE WITH THE APPLICATION.** If for some reason you are not approved or the church has to cancel the trip, your deposit will be returned to you.

The cost of the trip will include airfare, lodging, meals, and ground transportation. **YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ACQUIRING/PURCHASING YOUR PASSPORT.** The Canada Partnership Team will answer any questions you have about cost, what to take and how to prepare for the trip.

After submitting the application and three references, you will be interviewed by the Canada Partnership Team. Following the interview, the Partnership Team will make a determination about your going on the trip. They will make their recommendation to the Missions Council. You will be notified as soon as a decision is made.

Please list the names and phone number of your three references: _____,

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Your signature _____ Date _____

Parent's signature _____ Date _____
 (if college-age)

Please Write Your Personal Salvation Testimony