

# **HUMANITARIAN NOMINATIONS**

## **Join the Humanitarian Movement**

Heart Bible Institute is again excited to open the nomination process for the Doctorate Program. Please help us to identify Humanitarians around the world helping to impact the lives of individuals and communities by nominating a leader in your area.

Our goal is to make sure that every humanitarian who meets these qualifications has the chance to be selected for these prestigious awards:

- Humanitarian of the Year
- Honorary Doctorate in Divinity or Theology

### **Nomination Process:**

- Nominate Humanitarian by filling out and submitting the form below. This online form includes a short recommendation.
- Submit the online nomination right away to be considered.

### **Eligibility:**

This degree is for the person that does not need to prepare for ministry with an earned degree but has already made an impact with his/her ministry. Must be 34 years or older, with exceptions for special recommendations of truly extraordinary younger leaders. But must prepare a manuscript of 50 page on the history of the Church covering 4 or 5 different topic. We have a team of advisor who will work with you on this Project.

### **Qualifications:**

The nominee must have been working for at least four to five years in their respective area. We consider leadership, citizenship, community involvement, and future promise. The awards are open to all who are truly outstanding in civic, professional, or faith-based organizations.

# History of Christianity

Please use this info as a guide to help you start your research  
From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Funerary [stele](#) of Licinia Amias on marble, in the [National Roman Museum](#). One of the earliest Christian inscriptions found, it comes from the early 3rd century [Vatican necropolis](#) area in Rome. It contains the text ΙΧΘΥΣ ΖΩΝΤΩΝ ("fish of the living"), a predecessor of the [Ichthys](#) symbol.

The **history of Christianity** concerns the [Christian religion](#), [Christian countries](#), and the [Church](#) with its various [denominations](#), from the [1st century](#) to the [present](#). Christianity originated with the ministry of [Jesus](#) in the 1st century [Roman province](#) of [Judea](#). According to the [Gospels](#), Jesus was a Jewish teacher and healer who proclaimed the imminent [kingdom of God](#) and was crucified c. AD 30–33. His followers believed that he was then [raised from the dead](#) and exalted by God, and would return soon at the inception of God's kingdom.

The earliest followers of Jesus were [apocalyptic Jewish Christians](#). The inclusion of [gentiles](#) in the developing early Christian Church caused a schism between [Judaism](#) and Jewish Christianity during the first two centuries of the [Christian Era](#). In 313, Emperor [Constantine I](#) issued the [Edict of Milan](#) legalizing Christian worship. In 380, with the [Edict of Thessalonica](#) put forth under [Theodosius I](#), the Roman Empire officially adopted [Trinitarian](#) Christianity as its state religion, and Christianity established itself as a predominantly Roman religion in the [state church of the Roman Empire](#). Christological debates about the human and divine nature of Jesus consumed the Christian Church for two centuries, and seven ecumenical councils were called to resolve these debates. [Arianism](#) was condemned at the [First Council of Nicea](#) (325), which supported the Trinitarian doctrine as expounded in the [Nicene Creed](#).

In the early [Middle Ages](#), missionary activities spread Christianity towards the west among German peoples. During the [High Middle Ages](#), eastern and western Christianity grew apart, leading to the [East–West Schism](#) of 1054. Growing criticism of the [Roman Catholic ecclesiological](#) structure and its behaviour led to the [Protestant](#) movement of the 16th century and the split of western Christianity. Since the [Renaissance](#) era, with [colonialism inspired by the Church](#), Christianity has expanded throughout the world.<sup>[1]</sup> Today there are more than two billion Christians worldwide, and Christianity has become the world's largest religion.<sup>[2]</sup> Within the last century, as the influence of Christianity has waned in the West, it has rapidly grown in the East and the [Global South](#) in China, South Korea and much of sub-Saharan Africa.

After we have received your completed form and recommendation (in the space provided below), we will send the nominated person an electronic application packet. The nominee will need to complete and return the application packet to our office.

## **Honorary Doctorate in Divinity**

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We offer the Honorary Doctorate in Divinity and the Honorary Doctorate in Theology

### **There are several requirements for the honorary degree:**

All students must prepare a manuscript of 50 page

- Resume/ bio
- Photo 2×2
- The age requirement is 35 or older, but on special recommendation, we will accept a younger person.
- Three (3) letters of recommendation written by people that have personally known the applicant for a minimum of five years.
- Credentials
- Flyers, photos, and supporting documents for your ministry
- References with professional or ministerial relationship with the applicant. The letters must be at least one page long, and must include the reference's name, address, and telephone number.
- If the applicant has completed any written work, such as a book, booklet, or an outstanding article, please submit a copy to us.