

**Life Valley Community Church**  
**Reed Van Tuyl Application and Essay Criteria**  
**(For sharing with applicants)**

**Successful applications and essays will...**

- include extensive, current, ongoing involvement in ministry and community service.
- include a personal statement that is well-written with detailed answers that are thoughtful and focused and address all aspects of the prompt.
- highlight the current circumstances in the applicant's life that support the need for this scholarship.
- provide insight into the applicant's character, strengths, and educational goals.
- will thoughtfully discuss Reed Van Tuyl's life and how he served the church and his community.
- be carefully completed, well presented, typed and free of errors.