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Dear Partner and Donor,

Giving God the Glory Ministries, Inc. (GGG Ministries) is a 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to helping individuals in need. For 29 years, GGG Ministries has operated as a family ministry and has been recognized and honored for our work in the community. Because of your dedication and financial support, we are able to continue supporting our scholars through our Mentoring Program and by connecting with our scholars through the My 2 Sons Scholarship Program which hosts our annual Meet & Greet and Chat & Chew events.

Since the inception of our Scholarship Program in 2015, we have invested in the lives of 119 “My 2 Sons” scholars. We have also awarded 114 Legacy Scholarships, 6 Education Assistance Scholarships and 10 Memorial Textbook Honorariums. We have been able to bless a total of 249 scholars in 11 years, through the GGG Ministries Scholarship Program. Please see the attached Scholarship Program update.

After careful consideration, Giving God the Glory Ministries is transitioning from the **My 2 Sons: John/Sean Memorial Scholarship** to the “**My 2 Sons: Continuing Scholars Renewal Scholarship**.” Effective January 2026, we no longer accepted new scholarship applications. Instead, for the next three years, our current thirty-five My Two Sons scholars will be eligible to apply for the inaugural My 2 Sons Continuing Scholars Renewal Scholarship. And our Legacy Scholarship recipients are eligible for our Continuing Legacy Scholarship.

As we transition from our annual My 2 Sons: John/Sean Memorial Scholarship Award Gala to our Inaugural My 2 Sons Continuing Scholars Renewal Awards Luncheon, we are once again requesting partnership support. To mark this exciting transition, please join us at our inaugural **My 2 Sons Continuing Scholars Renewal Luncheon at the Doubletree Hotel 5000 W. 127th Street, Alsip, IL., July 18, 2026, from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm.** As a 2026, scholarship partner, we want to celebrate you and our scholars as we present the “**My 2 Sons: John/Sean Renewal Scholarship Awards and the Continuing Legacy Scholarship Awards**” to our outstanding students.

To continue our efforts to help students achieve their educational goals, **we are seeking your continued donor support on or before July 1st.** Attached you will find our partnership information explaining our donation request and partnership levels. Please read and share our information with others within your sphere of influence who you feel would be willing to support us as well.

Rev. Gloria J. Randolph, Founder and Executive Director



NEWSLETTER

What's In The New?



Darren Pollard & Melanie White

Legacy Donor Testimonial

Losing our son, Isaiah White, to gun violence was one of the most devastating experiences of our lives. Isaiah was only 22 years old, full of dreams, potential, and life. The grief was made even harder by the uncertainty surrounding his death, leaving us with overwhelming sadness, anger, and despair.

My son's mother, Melanie, and I were struggling through that pain when she introduced the idea of creating a legacy scholarship through GGG Ministries. Everything changed when we met our first recipient, Kevin Barber Jr., who had recently lost his brother just before graduating high school. Seeing him push forward while carrying such deep grief touched something in me.

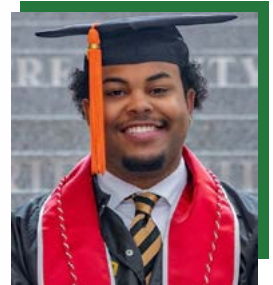
For the first time, I began redirecting some of my pain toward something positive. The scholarship did not erase our grief, but it gave it purpose. Through helping students pursue their future, Isaiah's life continues to create hope and opportunity for others.

Supporting Kevin through college and watching him earn his accounting degree became one of the most meaningful moments of my life. In many ways, Isaiah, Melanie, and I found a way to transform loss into legacy.

As long as I am here, I will continue supporting students through the GGG Ministries scholarship program because it reminds me that Isaiah's life still carries meaning and light.

Graduate Reflections

by Carter Langston



My time as an undergraduate was one of the most transformative periods of my life. I entered college as an 18 year old young man and exited as a completely different 22-year-old.

My time in college was defined by the age-old saying: "work hard, play hard." I definitely worked hard, in an effort not to waste the blessing of having my school fully funded and not let down those in my village, including my wonderful family in GGG Ministries. These people invested in me, and I was determined to give them a positive return on their investment. I was able to earn all A's in classes, serve as the two-time Broadcasting Director for the undergraduate student radio, serve on the Ohio State National Society of Black Engineers Executive Board for 3.5 years (including being chapter president), become a Spring '25 initiate of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc., Kappa Chapter, volunteer with many organizations, and so much more.

Through all the grinding and working hard, I definitely found time to play hard. I met so many new people and tried so many new things. I discovered my deep love for nature and travel videography, a passion of

mine that I plan to keep up. I leaned into spontaneity: going skydiving, driving across the country to hike and camp, learning how to rock climb, and more. I learned how to balance saying no and yes to cultivate a time full of excitement and growth. While determined to honor my village's investment, I also made sure to invest in myself and enjoy my undergraduate career.

Above all else, I must thank God. It is He who has ordered my steps and allowed me to have such a transformative time. My growth, my success, and everything I experience is all owed to Him.

As I continue on my path and pursue higher education, I know that my time at Ohio State will be one I look back on fondly. I am eager to continue forward and grow further. I want to thank all those who have interacted with and invested in me. I will continue to make you proud.

My 2 Sons, Honorarium and Legacy Recipient Graduates are represented in the bar graph. 113 total graduates to date.



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CONGRATULATIONS

2026 My 2 Sons Scholarship Graduates!

Scholarship Recipient Overview

For 11 years, GGG Ministries has awarded scholarships to deserving high school seniors. From 2015 to 2025 we have awarded 119 My 2 Sons Scholarships and 114 Legacy Memorial Scholarships. We have also awarded 6 Education Assistance Scholarships for college level sophomores, juniors and seniors. Additionally, we have awarded 10 Memorial Textbook Honorariums. Thanks to our generous supporters, GGG Ministries has awarded a grand total of 249 scholarships since 2015.



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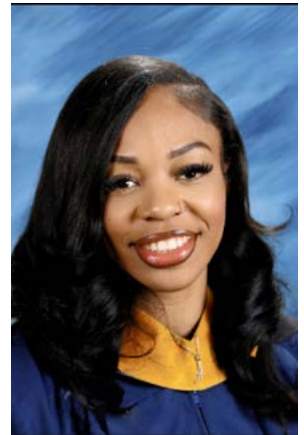
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2026 INAUGURAL MY 2 SONS:
Continuing Scholars Renewal
SCHOLARSHIP LUNCHEON



Saturday, July 18, 2026

11:00 am - 3:00pm

Double Tree Hilton Hotel
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