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PRESENT POSITION HOW LONG AGE OF CHURCH NUMBER ATTENDING

# EDUCATION

SCHOOL YEAR(S) DEGREE GRADUATED?

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# EXPERIENCE

CHURCH POSITION FROM/TO ATTENDANCE

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# PERSONAL INFORMATION

1. Age: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If Married, number of years: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. If married, spouse's full (maiden) name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. Have you ever been divorced? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Has your spouse ever been divorced? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. Names and ages of children:

5. List your hobbies or special interests:

6. Training and major interests of your spouse:

7. Spouse's attitude toward your vocation:

8. Spouse’s spiritual gifts:

9. Do you have any other vocational or job skills?

10. Physical condition of yourself and your family:

11. Approximate amount of debt owed other than mortgage \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

12. Are you licensed? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Are you ordained? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ By what organization? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

13. Give a brief summary of your conversion experience:

14. Give a brief summary of your call/leading to the ministry:

15. Please share your perspective on issues that might be unique to youth ministry in a Chinese church. In what ways might Chinese culture impact your ministry?

# PERSONAL EVALUATION

1. Which New Testament gifts do you have?

2. What do you perceive your primary task as a pastor to be?

3. To the right of each category, describe your calling and gift. On the left, number in order of importance (1=most important, 10=least important) according to your philosophy of ministry:

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| \_\_\_\_ | Preaching |  |
| \_\_\_\_ | Counseling |   |
| \_\_\_\_ | Administration |   |
| \_\_\_\_  | Evangelism |  |
| \_\_\_\_ | Visitation |  |
| \_\_\_\_ | Teaching |  |
| \_\_\_\_ | Dealing with Interpersonal Differences |  |
| \_\_\_\_ | Discipleship |  |
| \_\_\_\_ | Building Relationships |  |
| \_\_\_\_  | Motivating Others |  |

4. My greatest personal strengths are:

5. My greatest personal weaknesses are:

 6. How do you maintain your professional skills?

# DOCTRINAL INFORMATION

1. Do you agree with the Doctrinal Statement of Lake Each Christian Church? \_\_\_\_\_\_ If not, explain.

2. Describe your view of the charismatic gifts:

3. Your view of divorce, remarriage, and dating practices as a minister:

4. Personal Salvation/Testimony:

5. Role of women in the church:

6. Church discipline:

7. Social drinking:

8. Attach your philosophy of ministry: Include your convictions regarding (a) the role of church leaders, (b) discipleship, (c) evangelism, (d) church government, and any other issues you believe are important.

9. Please attach family photograph.