

# Church Heritage

(Please complete, as much as you can, the following information before you attend my class)

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Church Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please read over this list of requirements before committing yourself in the Church Heritage Award course. You must show evidence of completing the requirements before entering the training course. The evidence will be a part of your portfolio that you will present to the master guide coordinator before investing as a master guide.

- A. Earn the Adventist Church Heritage Award-this you will get at the successful completing of the ten hour church heritage class.
- B. Read a book about SDA youth ministry such as: (must be read before ACH class)
  - *The Pathfinder Story* by John Hancock or Bob Holbrook
  - *We are the Pathfinders Strong: The First Fifty years* by Willie Oliver with Patricia Humphrey
- C. Read a book about church heritage such as: (must be read before ACH class)
  - *Anticipating the Advent* by George Knight
  - *Tell It to the World* by Mervyn Maxwell
  - *Light Bearers to the Remnant* by Richard W. Schwarz and Floyd Greenleaf
  - *Seventh-day Adventist and the Civil Rights Movement* by Samuel G. London
  - *The Church Heritage Manual* produced by the General Conference Youth Department. This is required reading and be either bought from the Adventist Book Center or can be printed free from online. **Please bring this with you to the ACH class.**
- D. Write or orally (with documentation such as place and date) give a brief history of the beginning of the SDA church in your conference or country. Include the following:
  - Information about pioneer workers (missionaries and nationals)
  - Dates and places for the establishment of the first Adventist school and/or medical institution, if any
  - Information about conference youth camp(s) and Pathfinder clubs
- E. Compile a brief history of your own local church and include the following:
  - Information from interviews with longtime church members, the church clerk, and/or the pastor

- How your church began
  - Name some of the people who were there when the church began
  - Who was the first pastor
  - What year did the Pathfinder club began in your church
  - Who was the first Pathfinder leader
  - What is your churches' mission statement
  - Information on the opening of any Adventist church school, academy, medical, or community service building associated with your church
  - If possible, include photographs of facilities, members, and the former and current pastors.
  - Draw a simple diagram showing how your local church is linked organizationally with the worldwide SDA church.
  - Send a copy of your written history to Local Church History Collection, Heritage Room, Loma Linda University Library, Loma Linda, California 92350, USA and to General Conference Archives, 12501 Old Columbia Pike, Silver Spring, MD 20904, USA.
- F. Compile a family faith chart (attached) showing the names and religious faiths of your ancestors for a minimum of four generations. If possible, include church affiliations and baptism dates for each individual listed on the chart.
- G. Watch two segments of the Keepers of the Flame video series or two of the Hall of Faith slide-tape programs or other similar audiovisual programs. Show at least one of these programs to someone who is not a member of your family and discuss the content with him or her.
- H. Know the history of Pathfinders as presented in The Pathfinder Story and prepare a brief summary of the history of Pathfinders in your field or country.
- I. Tell the importance of five of the following:
- Battle Creek Sanitarium
  - Dime Tabernacle
  - 1888 General Conference
  - May 21, 1863
  - Millerite Movement
  - October 22, 1844
  - Pitcairn missionary ship
  - Present Truth
  - Sabbath conferences
  - Systematic benevolence
  - Three angels' messages
  - Tract society
  - Washing hand press
  - Wright, Michigan
  - Youth's Instructor
- J. Know what impact seven of the following people had on the history of the SDA church:
- Martha Amadon
  - John N. Andrews
  - Joseph Bates

- John Byington
  - M.B. Czechowski
  - Hiram Edson
  - William Fol
  - John H. Hancock
  - John Harvey Kellogg
  - George Knight
  - Charles M. Kinney
  - Anna Knight
  - Kate Lindsay
  - William Miller
  - Rachel Oakes-Preston
  - Marcial Cerna
  - Annie Smith
  - Uriah Smith
  - Luther Warren
  - Frederick Wheeler
  - James White
- K. Know the significance of five of the following that relate to the life and ministry of Ellen G. White:
- *Conflict of the Ages* series
  - Ellen G. White Estate
  - Elmshaven
  - Gorham, Maine
  - June 5, 1863
  - Lord's messenger
  - White home in Battle Creek
  - *Testimonies for the Church*
  - Visions
- L. Participate in two skits or tell two stories for Sabbath School, church, singing bands, or a Adventurer or Pathfinder devotional. (Option: participate in one skit and tell one story.) Base the skits/stories on any of the following:
- The history of Adventism in your local field (country, conference, mission)
  - The history of your local church
  - Any historical events listed in requirement I or individuals listed in requirement J.
- M. Make a chart of the 2300 day prophecy (attached) and understand it.

# Family Faith Chart

**Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Father's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Father's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandfather's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandfather's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandmother's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandmother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandfather's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandfather's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandmother's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Grandmother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Father**

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Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandfather's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

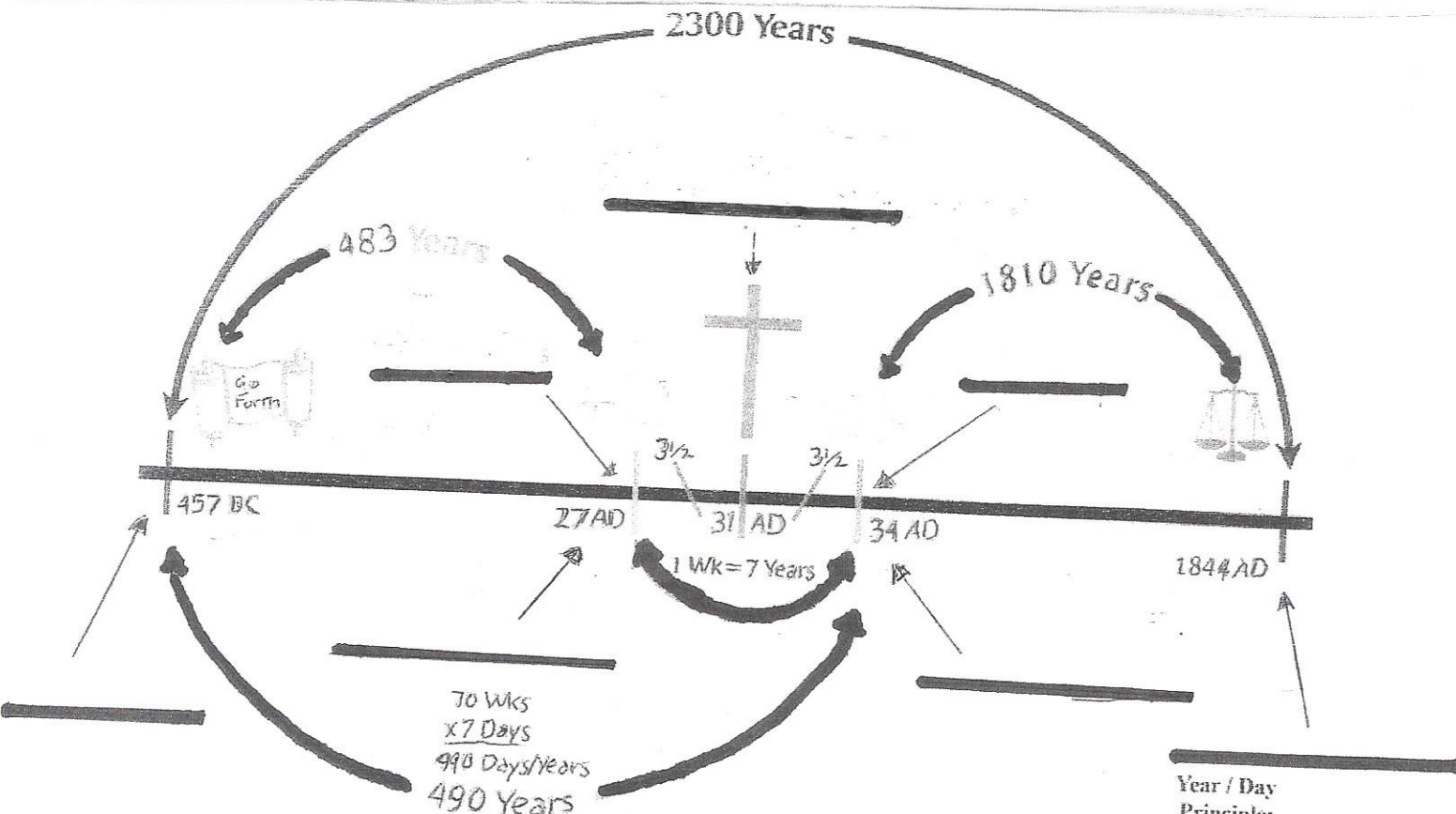
**Great Grandmother's Father**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

**Great Grandmother's Mother**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Fill in the blanks and understand the prophecy



**Daniel 8:14**  
*"And he said unto me, unto two thousand and three hundred days; Then shall the sanctuary be cleansed."*

Year / Day  
 Principle:  
 Ezekiel 4:6  
 Leviticus 25:1-8  
 Numbers 14:34  
 11Q13

- 457BC \_\_\_\_\_
- 27 AD \_\_\_\_\_
- 27 AD \_\_\_\_\_
- 31 AD \_\_\_\_\_
- 34 AD \_\_\_\_\_
- 1844 AD \_\_\_\_\_