

# FREEDOM FROM RELIGION *foundation*

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**SENT VIA EMAIL ONLY:  
FOIA@sba.gov**

Chief, Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts Office  
U.S. Small Business Administration  
409 Third St. SW, eighth floor  
Washington, DC 20416

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing on behalf of the Freedom From Religion Foundation to request public records. FFRF is a national nonprofit dedicated to defending the constitutional separation between state and church, and educating the public about matters related to nontheism.

On June 17, 2020, FFRF filed a request for the records of all churches and religious organizations that received loans provided by the CARES Act. We are now filing this second request for records of funds given to specific churches and religious organizations. Since churches are not required to file documentation with the federal government, it is difficult to make this request with specificity. For instance, these houses of worship might be incorporated in states where their principal church is not located, but it is difficult to determine because of the total lack of government oversight.

To assist the records custodian in identifying these records, we have provided EINs, addresses, and names of clergy representing the houses of worship where possible. These may not match the legal entities that applied to SBA for assistance. To be clear, we are requesting all records of all SBA forgivable loans that were provided to any of the churches or church representatives listed below, or their affiliates.

This request is in addition to our earlier FOIA request and does not abrogate that request in any way.

Under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. §552), I request copies of the following records since April 3, 2020:

All SBA forgivable loans provided to any of the following organizations under the CARES Act (Pub.L. 116-136) including but not limited to the Paycheck Protection Program:

- a) Christian Cultural Center, Inc
  - i) EIN: 11-2732579
  - ii) Address: 12020 FLATLANDS AVE, BROOKLYN, NY 11207-8203
  - iii) Clergy: A.R. Bernard
- b) Mark Burns Ministry
  - i) Possible Alternative Name: Harvest Praise and Worship Center
  - ii) EIN: 56-2398319
  - iii) Address: PO BOX 2298, EASLEY, SC 29641-2298
  - iv) Clergy: Mark Burns
- c) American Association of Christian Counselors Foundation, Inc
  - i) EIN: 54-2041550
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 739 FOREST, VA 24551-0739
  - iii) Clergy: Tim Clinton
- d) Eagle Mountain International Church, Inc. DBA Kenneth Copeland Ministries
  - i) EIN: 75-1300831
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 728, NEWARK, TX 76071-0728
  - iii) Clergy: Kenneth Copeland
- e) Focus on the Family
  - i) EIN: 95-3188150
  - ii) Address: 8605 EXPLORER DRIVE, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80920-1049
  - iii) Clergy: James Dobson
- f) Liberty University
  - i) EIN: 54-0946734
  - ii) Address: 1971 UNIVERSITY BLVD, LYNCHBURG, VA 24515
  - iii) Clergy: Jerry Falwell Jr.
- g) Free Chapel Worship Center
  - i) EIN: 58-1586369
  - ii) Address: 1290 MCEVER ROAD, GAINESVILLE, GA 30504-3930
  - iii) Clergy: Jetezen Franklin
- h) PowerPoint Ministries
  - i) EIN: 75-2534680

- ii) Address: 6801 WEST PARK BLVD, PLANO, TX 75093-6389
  - iii) Clergy: Jack Graham
- i) Prestonwood Baptist Church
  - i) EIN: 75-1543546
  - ii) Address: 6801 WEST PARK BLVD, PLANO, TX 75093-6389
  - iii) Clergy: Jack Graham
- j) Turning Point for God
  - i) EIN: 33-0095805
  - ii) Address: P. O. BOX 3838, SAN DIEGO, CA 92163-2163
  - iii) Clergy: David Jeremiah
- k) Southern Evangelical Seminary
  - i) EIN: 56-1764649
  - ii) Address: 15015 LANCASTER HWY, CHARLOTTE, NC 28277
  - iii) Clergy: Richard Land
- l) Gateway Church
  - i) EIN: 75-2870806
  - ii) Address: 500 S NOLEN DR, SUITE 300, SOUTHLAKE, TX 76092
  - iii) Clergy: Robert Morris
- m) Christ Fellowship Church
  - i) EIN: 59-2468077
  - ii) Address: 5343 NORTHLAKE BLVD, PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL 33418
  - iii) Clergy: Todd Mullins
- n) Faith and Freedom Coalition
  - i) EIN: 27-0182697
  - ii) Address: 3700 CRESTWOOD PARKWAY SUITE 975, DULUTH, GA 30096
  - iii) Clergy: Ralph Reed
- o) Life OUTREACH International Association of Churches
  - i) EIN: 75-2684727
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 982000, FORT WORTH, TX 76182-8000
  - iii) Clergy: James Robison
- p) The National Hispanic Christian Leadership Conference
  - i) EIN: 76-0745631
  - ii) Address: P.O. BOX 293389, SACRAMENTO, CA 95829
  - iii) Clergy: Samuel Rodriguez
- q) City of Destiny
  - i) EIN: 59-3383244
  - ii) Address: 505 EAST MCCORMICK ROAD, APOPKA, FL 32703

- iii) Clergy: Paula White
- r) Samaritan's Purse
  - i) EIN: 58-1437002
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 3000, 801 BAMBOO ROAD BOONE, NC 28607-3000
  - iii) Clergy: Franklin Graham
- s) Billy Graham Evangelistic Association
  - i) EIN: 41-0692230
  - ii) Address: 1 BILLY GRAHAM PARKWAY, PO BOX 668129 28226-8129, CHARLOTTE, NC 28201-8201
  - iii) Clergy: Franklin Graham
- t) Lakewood Church
  - i) EIN: 74-6066273
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 27450, HOUSTON, TX 77227-7450
  - iii) Clergy: Joel Osteen
- u) John Hagee Ministries
  - i) EIN: 74-1986308
  - ii) Address: P.O. BOX 1400, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78295-1400
  - iii) Clergy: John Hagee
- v) TD Jakes Ministries
  - i) EIN: 31-1506712
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 5390, DALLAS, TX 75208-5208
  - iii) Clergy: T.D. Jakes
- w) Benny Hinn Ministries
  - i) EIN: 59-1245704
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 162000, IRVING, TX 75016-2000
  - iii) Clergy: Benny Hinn
- x) Shadow Mountain Community Church
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 2100 GREENFIELD DR. EL CAJON, CA 92019
  - iii) Clergy: David Jeremiah
- y) Hope Christian Church
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 6251 AMMENDALE RD, BELTSVILLE, MD 20705
  - iii) Clergy: Harry Jackson
- z) First Baptist Church of Dallas
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 1707 SAN JACINTO, DALLAS, TX 75201
  - iii) Clergy: Robert Jeffress
- aa) The KAIROS Company

- i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 500 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE, SUITE 325, GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA 91203
  - iii) Clergy: Johnnie Moore
- bb) Creflo Dollar Ministries
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: PO BOX 490124, COLLEGE PARK, GA 30349-0349
  - iii) Clergy: Creflo Dollar
- cc) Paula White Ministries
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 505 EAST MCCORMICK ROAD, APOPKA, FL 32703
  - iii) Clergy: Paula White
- dd) Cross Church
  - i) Alternate name: First Baptist Church of Springdale
  - ii) EIN: Unknown
  - iii) Address: 1709 JOHNSON RD. SPRINGDALE, AR 72762
    - (1) Possible Alternate Addresses: 2448 PINNACLE HILLS PKWY, ROGERS, AR 72758; 2801 W MCMILLAN DR. FAYETTEVILLE, AR 72701; 16202 HIGHWAY 59 SOUTH NEOSHO, MO 64850
  - iv) Clergy: Ronnie W. Floyd
- ee) Harvest Bible Chapel
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 800 ROHLWING ROAD, ROLLING MEADOWS, IL 60008
    - (1) Possible Alternate Addresses: 1000 N RANDALL RD, ELGIN, IL 60123; 580 TRACY TRAIL, CRYSTAL LAKE, IL 60014; 101 S BARNES RD, AURORA, IL 60506; 935 N. DEARBORN STREET, CHICAGO, IL 60610; 1731 DEERFIELD ROAD, HIGHLAND PARK, IL 60035
  - iii) Clergy: Greg Bradshaw
- ff) Westboro Baptist Church
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: 3701 SW 12th St, Topeka, KS 66604
  - iii) Clergy: Unknown
- gg) Tony Suarez Ministries
  - i) EIN: Unknown
  - ii) Address: Unknown
  - iii) Clergy: Tony Suarez
- hh) Phelps Chartered Law Firm
  - i) EIN: Unknown

ii) Address: 1414 S.W. TOPEKA BLVD. TOPEKA, KS 66612

In order to determine our status under FOIA for the purpose of assessing fees, please be advised that FFRF is a registered 501(c)(3) not for profit organization. We request a waiver of fees because of our nonprofit status and the documents we seek are in the public interest. Any records available in electronic format (preferred) may be emailed to [ryan@ffrf.org](mailto:ryan@ffrf.org).

If I can provide any clarifying information that will help you with this request, please contact me via email at [ryan@ffrf.org](mailto:ryan@ffrf.org). Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ryan D. Jayne". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "R" and "J".

Ryan D. Jayne  
Staff Attorney

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