



***“Replacing the Impact of Pandemic with the Hope of Academic”***

Dear Friends and Supporters!

The scope of the coronavirus crisis has brought about some extraordinary challenges for everyone and required us to be creative to enable our lives to continue with purpose. With this in mind, the School of Religious Studies invites you to its **2020 SRS Virtual Awards Ceremony**, with a twist. **The focus will be on the attendees.**

We invite you to celebrate with us via Zoom for an evening of entertainment, fellowship, and our Presentation of Awards in a safe, no contact setting. This year the Nomination categories have been changed to permit anyone planning to attend to nominate himself or someone else for an award.

Nominations should be in or committed by September 22nd. Select your category from the following list and submit your award bio of 100 - 150 words, with your contact information consisting of your name, age, email address, telephone number, and a photo. Please send it to us by email to [srspresidentnlr@gmail.com](mailto:srspresidentnlr@gmail.com) or, by mail to SRS President, Awards, P O Box 15251, Little Rock, AR 72231. Help us to replace the impact of **PANDEMIC** with the hope of **ACADEMIC**. The SRS Staff, Board, Faculty and Awards Committee are not eligible for the awards.

We are excited for this opportunity to showcase the various ways in which you have made an impact that shines bright in these times of change. We look forward to recognizing and rewarding your achievements!

***“SRS empowering God's people by God's Power” (Romans 1:16).***

**Award Categories and Criteria:**

**Youth Encourager:** Tell how you encourage youth and give an example of your impact made on some particular youth.

**Positive Experience with Covid-19:** Tell of a situation, event, or activity involving you that worked out well for someone other than yourself.

**Putting out the fires of racism:** Tell something you did that resulted in progress in stemming the tide of racism during this year.

**Faith in time of struggle:** Tell of a struggle in which your faith brought you through and reassured you that God's way is the best way.

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**Secret Admirer:** Tell of someone you have admired for great qualities but have not expressed it to them. If selected, this would be an opportunity to let them know.

**What I Love About Going To Church:** Tell of why it is important to you to go to church

**I Love America:** Tell why and how you still love America despite all you have been through

**Delight in the Law of the Lord:** Tell how reading the Bible has been a blessing to you

**I Love SRS:** Tell how being associated with SRS has blessed you. What would you say to someone who is considering training in the Bible and preparation for ministry?

The date and time for the event will be Saturday, October 10, 2020 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Tickets can be purchased for \$25. The purchase of a ticket will authorize you to receive the Zoom link to enter the SRS Virtual Awards Ceremony. We are accepting ads now for the Virtual Souvenir Book and the deadline for submission is September 22, 2020. This event will give advertisers more exposure and contacts than ever before! Ads will be shown during the Awards Ceremony and will be shared on the web and Facebook as supporters of SRS for one month after the event.

We are slashing the ad prices this year and all ads will be only \$75. We encourage you to get your ads in as soon as you can, to meet the deadline, and promote what is special to you.

During this pandemic the School of Religious Studies continues in its mission of biblical education, teaching, and training in specialized areas of Ministry and Evangelism. Through your kindness and support we will continue to fulfill our mission of preparing and equipping men and women for effective service in the church, community and the world. **[Donate to SRS](#)**

To purchase tickets, please go to [www.schoolofreligiousstudies.org](http://www.schoolofreligiousstudies.org)  
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