



# *Tape Ministries NW*

**A LENDING LIBRARY FOR THE BLIND AND  
DISABLED**

**840 S 192nd STREET  
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Dear Friend –

Thank you for your interest in Tape Ministries NW and our taped books. We are a service for people who are blind, visually impaired, and physically or developmentally disabled. Our library contains 1000 Christian books. These audio books are recorded on standard 2-track cassette tapes, available on loan, at no cost. Mailing is free.

The library is non-denominational and the books are based upon the principles and values found in the Bible. We are a tax-exempt, non-profit organization and our ministry is dependent upon contributions from the public. This service is provided to patrons all across the United States and Canada.

To receive our service, please follow these steps:

1. **Fill out the Application for Free Library Service.** Please ask your doctor or another care professional to sign this form to certify your eligibility for our services.
2. **Fill Out the Request Form.** Select the categories that you find most interesting, to help us select books for you. To select your own books, you may request us to send a catalog. You may also request the monthly devotional *Our Daily Bread*.
3. **Mail the forms to us** in the enclosed self-addressed envelope. We look forward to lending you books on tape. Please feel free to call or write if you have any questions or if we can assist you in any way.

God bless you!

Shirley Farris, Librarian

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**APPLICATION FOR FREE LIBRARY SERVICE**

In order for all our blind and physically or developmentally disabled friends to receive free mailing of our taped books, the U.S. Post Office requires that we have a disability form on file for each patron stating their disability and signed by a competent authority.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
(Patron)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

BIRTH DATE \_\_\_\_\_ FEMALE \_\_\_ MALE \_\_\_ TODAY'S DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE HAVE A DOCTOR, NURSE, THERAPIST, LIBRARIAN; OR  
PROFESSIONAL STAFF OF A CHURCH, INSTITUTION OR SOCIAL WELFARE  
AGENCY CERTIFY YOUR ELIGIBILITY IN THE SPACE PROVIDED.**

I certify that the applicant named is unable to read or use standard printed material for any one of the following reasons:

- 1 \_\_\_ **TOTALLY BLIND**
- 2 \_\_\_ **LEGALLY BLIND** - persons whose visual acuity, as determined by a competent authority, is 20/200 or less in the better eye with correcting glasses, or whose widest diameter of visual field subtends an angular distance no greater than 20 degrees.
- 3 \_\_\_ **VISUALLY IMPAIRED** - persons who need aids other than regular glasses for reading standard printed materials.
- 4 \_\_\_ **PHYSICALLY DISABLED** - persons unable to turn pages or comfortably hold a book for extended periods of time.
- 5 \_\_\_ **READING DISABLED** - persons having a certifiable reading disability.  
**Federal law requires certification by a doctor of medicine or osteopathy to qualify for our services if you are reading disabled.**
- 6 \_\_\_ **OTHER** - \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**(Signature)** (Title and Occupation)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Phone Number) (Date)

# REQUEST FORM

\_\_\_\_\_ (name)

Please mark below how you wish to order and receive books from us. Return this form, along with your Application for Free Library Service, to the address on the application.

We can select books for you or you may select your own books.

## 1. Let us select your books:

To help us select books for you, please let us know which categories you find most interesting.

- Biography & Missionary Stories
- Basic Christianity & Theology
- Christian Disciplines
- Christian Life & Practice
- Church & World
- Devotionals & Short Stories
- Ethics & Contemporary Issues
- Relationships
- Sermons
- Fiction

**OR**

## 2. Select your own books:

If you would like to select your own books, we will send you a Catalog.

- Send me a Large Print Catalog
- Send me a catalog on Audio Cassette

## Decision and Our Daily Bread:

- I would like to receive monthly the devotional Our Daily Bread published by Radio Bible Class.
- I would like to receive Decision Magazine published monthly by Billy Graham Ministries.