

Southwestern Christian College

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As the 2017 Lectureship draws near, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our donors and supporters for their pledges and contributions.

Whether you use cash, checks, transfers or credit cards, you must be sure any individuals and organizations soliciting or collecting funds on behalf of Southwestern Christian College are *legitimate* and can provide you proper documentation of status and affiliation.

Sadly, some are raising funds for SwCC that have never made it to school coffers. Others use our logo and information about the financial crises we are facing to raise money, but, they neglect to turn it [all] over to Southwestern. This is wrong, even if it is unintentional. It is still unacceptable and immoral (See esp. Acts 5:1-5).

How can you make sure your generous donations reach Southwestern and the students who so desperately need your help?

You can start by checking our list of approved representatives. This list is posted at the SwCC website, as well as in our newsletters and our school paper, *Communiqué*. If the persons, or groups, asking you for donations that will benefit Southwestern, and their names are not listed, please contact me directly so we can work together. *Your money for Southwestern... should go to Southwestern.* Let's ensure this deceptive practice is stopped.

Thank you for taking the time to check out the status of nonprofits, and people, collecting funds for our beloved Southwestern. All of us who are in this for the right reasons want to see money we work hard to raise reach its proper destination. Please stay in constant prayer that the money is used to benefit students. They are the future generations of great leaders who pass through the halls of Southwestern Christian College.

Please give generously and ask others to help return SwCC to its prominent legacy via spiritual reformation, academic excellence, and a strong financial foundation. Thank you for being on the move with Southwestern!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "E. D. Seamster, Jr." with a stylized, cursive flourish at the end.

Dr. E. D. Seamster, Jr.
President and CEO