



1500 Koenigstein Avenue
Norfolk, Nebraska 68701
Phone: (402) 371-4880

February, 2007

Dear Senior Class Guidance Counselor,

Faith Regional Volunteer Services of Norfolk, Nebraska, has established two (2) scholarships in the amount of \$2000. This sum will be made available to graduating high school seniors every year for the purpose of continuing education for a career as a registered nurse. The applicant must be accepted into a nursing school program for the fall term of 2007. (Students in diploma schools and bachelor degree programs are eligible. This does not apply to LPN students.) However, it must be used for books, tuition and/or fees at an accredited school of nursing of his or her choice. The amount will be paid in two payments to the school and student. \$1000 will be paid prior to the beginning of the first semester and the remaining \$1000 will be paid at the beginning of the second semester providing a satisfactory grade average (C) has been maintained by the student. (A request will be made for the student's first semester grades.) It is our hope that this scholarship will encourage local and area students to return to this area when their education is completed.

Enclosed is the necessary application form which must be completed and returned by May 1, 2007. (Please feel free to make additional copies as needed.) The recipient will be selected by a board of five judges representing the Service Guild and the Hospital. The winner will be notified prior to graduation and must use the scholarship during the next school year, or the funds will be passed along to the alternate.

We would appreciate it if you would inform your graduates of these two available scholarships as soon as possible or at the appropriate time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Geraldine Benton".

Geraldine Benton
Scholarship Chairperson
507 E. Walnut Ave.
Norfolk, NE 68701

Encl.

Faith Regional Volunteer Services Scholarship

Please complete, sign and return this form by May 1 to: **Geraldine Benton**
507 E. Walnut
Norfolk, NE 68701

The information contained herein will be reviewed by a panel of judges and treated in a strictly confidential manner. A combination of scholarship, character and desire will be the basis for the judges' selection.

1. Name in full _____
Last First Middle

2. Home address _____
Street City State

_____ Zip Phone

3. Place of birth _____
City State

Date of birth _____
Mo., Day, Yr.

4. Father's name in full _____

Deceased? _____ When _____

Father's occupation _____

5. Mother's name in full _____

Deceased? _____ When _____

Mother's occupation _____

6. Number of other children in family _____

7. Name of high school from which you will be graduating _____

Date of graduation _____

8. To what school(s) have you applied? _____

Have you been accepted? _____ Where have you been accepted? _____

9. List other scholarships and loans for which you have applied. Indicate the ones you have received as of this date: _____

10. Approximate grade point average _____ Class rank _____
ACT Standard Test scores - English _____ Math _____
Reading _____ Science Res. _____
Composite _____
11. List the student activities in which you participated in high school _____

12. What special recognition in the form of offices held or awards did you receive from participation in these activities _____

13. In what community activities have you participated? What offices were held or awards received?

14. Please list all employment experience and length of employment _____

15. List any exposure to the medical community that you may have had such as Candy Striper, Medical Explorers, etc. _____

16. Please submit this application with one letter of recommendation from an instructor or other official in the school system which you have attended and one letter from another person (outside the school system) who is well acquainted with you.
17. Please include one photo of yourself.
18. A transcript and present course of enrollment is requested with this application.
19. On a separate sheet in 150 words or less, describe why you have chosen nursing as a career.

Date _____

Signature _____