

**Bob and Peggy Richardson Memorial Scholarship      Application for Fall, 2016**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ on a \_\_\_\_\_ scale      Current Rank in Class: \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

College, University or Technical School I will be attending in the Fall of 2016:  
\_\_\_\_\_ (If undecided, please note.)

Name of your church: \_\_\_\_\_

Plases either type your responses into this document or attach a separate page with your responses to the following:

(1) List your top 10 high school extracurricular activities, honors or awards, community service or leadership positions.

(2) Choose **two of these four topics** to write about:

(a) In 150 words or less, please tell us how this scholarship will help you.

(b) In 150 words or less, please tell us what you plan on studying and how that education will help you impact the world.

(c) In 150 words or less, please tell us about someone who has impacted your life in a positive way and how.

(d) In 150 words or less, please tell us how your faith impacts your choices, your priorities, your daily life and your plans for the future.

(3) Please identify your favorite Scripture and in 150 words or less, tell us what it means to you.

(4) Please attach 2 letters of recommendation from a current or previous minister, youth pastor, teacher, administrator, employer, businessman/woman or mentor. Letters should not come from relatives.

Please submit your completed application to [mary.martha.stewart@gmail.com](mailto:mary.martha.stewart@gmail.com) along with a scanned wallet size color senior photo by April 28, 2016 for consideration for the Fall, 2016 award. Receipt of your application will be confirmed by email. Questions may be directed to [mary.martha.stewart@gmail.com](mailto:mary.martha.stewart@gmail.com).

**Qualifications and Logistics:**

1. A \$500 scholarship will be paid by check directly to the winner. Other awards of other amounts may be given, if deemed appropriate by the Selection Committee.
2. High school seniors (from any high school or home school in North Texas) planning to attend college or a trade school in the Fall of 2016 may apply.
3. There are no GPA or Class Rank requirements; the complete application will be taken into consideration for the scholarship award.
4. Incomplete applications, illegible applications or applications that do not follow all instructions may be disqualified from consideration.
5. Recipient is responsible for any taxes, if any, associated with the award.
6. The Scholarship Committee will contact the award winner on or before June 1, 2016. If we are unable to reach the winner, another winner may be chosen.
7. Recipient agrees to allow name, photo and other non-confidential information to be used in connection with any scholarship publicity.
8. First priority will be given to High School students active in the First United Methodist Church of Howe; however, this is not the determining factor for the award. Young people from other churches/other communities may apply and may very well be selected.
9. The Scholarship Committee will determine one or more annual award winners, if any, each year. The decision of the Selection Committee will be final.
10. In 2015, three deserving applicants were named as winners: Quinton Harris (Howe High School), Caleb Hough (Howe High School) and Lexi Fuller (Tom Bean High School).