

Zachary Austin Wertz Memorial Scholarship

Zachary was a third-grade student at Bixby North Elementary in 2009. He went to be with the Lord when he was only eight years old. He was a fun-loving and kind kid who was thoroughly involved with his Bixby friends. Zachary has an older sister that graduated from Bixby and was able to benefit from the scholarships that the Bixby Educational Endowment Foundation provides. Zachary also has a younger sister that he never knew and she is currently in the third grade at Bixby North Elementary. Zachary's family have established this scholarship to honor him and his siblings and to give back to the community that has provided their family with support.

This will be awarded as a one-time \$1875 scholarship, payable to the recipient and his/her University.

Students applying for this scholarship must meet the following criteria:

- Have been a Bixby High School student for at least two years
- Been an active participant in extracurricular activities and involved with a service project
- Be accepted to an accredited college or university
- Exhibit good character in school and the community
- Have two letters of recommendation as outlined in the instructions
- Have a grade point average of 3.0 to 4.0
- Have a financial need

The scholarship recipient must also agree to:

- Continue to pursue a program that will lead to a college degree
- Maintain a grade point average of 2.5 or above

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- Earn a minimum of 12 college credit hours per semester
- Promptly provide the Foundation with official report cards or transcripts after each semester. Failure of the recipient to meet these obligations will nullify the scholarship.

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