

DIANE ASHBURN WILMONEN SCHOLARSHIP

“God is using me to tell others about Jesus,” Diane said of her 7 year journey with breast cancer. In August, 2002, family and friends celebrated the life of Diane at the Congregational-Presbyterian Church.

Diane studied vocal training for 3 years at Washington State University. She graduated from LCSC and became a devoted music teacher in the Lewiston Schools. While in college she was listed in “Who’s Who Among American Universities and Colleges,” “National Dean’s List,” Ambassadors Honor Society, and was nominated Outstanding Student.

Not only did she participate in choir, band, orchestra, vocal solos during high school and college, she held the lead in musical operas. She spent several years as a member of Madrigal Singers, Chamber Singers, Sweet Adelines and Washington-Idaho Symphony Chorus. She had a voice like an angel and a passion that touched the hearts of children.

Diane graduated from Lewiston High School in 1967 and she married Kenneth Wilmonen. Two sons are Robert and Scott Wilmonen.

Diane always remained faithful to God. She is remembered as being compassionate, conscientious and dedicated. She worshiped and was active in the Congregational-Presbyterian Church her entire life where she sang in the choir for 30 years. Diane was always strongly committed to her God and her church.

This scholarship is for \$1200.00 and will be given annually.

Source of Funds: Interest from Endowed Scholarship Fund from Lewiston Independent Foundation of Education, Inc.

USE OF SCHOLARSHIP:

This scholarship will be granted to a first-time or returning college student who will be enrolled full-time for the fall semester.

The student may use the funds for related college expenses. Student may incur liability for any amount applied to room and board.

The date of the distribution of funds will be at the discretion of the selection committee.

If recipient is unable to accept this scholarship on these terms, an alternate may be selected. Otherwise, the funds will remain until the next year, when a new recipient will be selected.

ELIGIBILITY:

Must be a full-time college student the fall semester after receiving the award, and is a member or friend of the Congregational-Presbyterian Church of Lewiston, Idaho

SELECTION:

The Chairperson of this committee will be the one serving on the official board on Memorial Ministry of the Congregational-Presbyterian Church, the senior pastor or someone appointed by him, and at least one or more of Diane Wilmonen’s family (Melba Ashburn, Doug Ashburn, Ken Wilmonen, Robert or Scott Wilmonen and Julie Randall.)

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APPLICATION FORM

Student's full name _____

Home address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone number _____

Selection will be determined by use of applications form and essay information:
(Please type or print in pen on a separate sheet of paper.)

1. What activities have you or your family pursued at Congregational-Presbyterian Church?
2. What activities did you pursue while in school?
3. Have you had an emphasis in music, (choir, band, vocal, instruments)?
4. What college do you plan to attend?
5. Education – grade point average, awards, honors, and special recognition?
6. What are your career goals?
7. Write about your financial need?
8. Include a letter of recommendation.

DATES: (The application form can obtained at Congregational-Presbyterian Church)

First application form is made available to students: February 1

Application and essay due date: April 1

Date of selection of winner: by May 1

If the winner is a senior in high school it could be awarded at the Awards Assembly in mid-May.

RETURN

Please return a letter of recommendation, application, and the essay to Chair of the Memorial Ministry at Congregation-Presbyterian Church, 709 6th Street, Lewiston, Idaho.

Signed _____ Date _____