

DONALD RUEGSEGGER SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP

About the Donor

Mr. Ruegsegger was a former businessman and community supporter from Waterloo who exemplified Christian values in his everyday contact with members of the community. His son and daughter-in-law, Brian and Joy Ruegsegger, have endowed the scholarship in his memory and in recognition of his appreciation for and generous support of Youth for Christ.

Eligibility Criteria

This scholarship is a one-time award to one male and one female graduating senior from **DeKalb High School** (DeKalb County, Indiana) pursuing **any field of study**.

Applicant must also:

- Have consistently demonstrated his/her personal Christian faith in activities and leadership positions at school, church, work or community activities
- Enroll, or intends to enroll, full-time in a post-secondary educational institution

Required Forms (Submit in the order listed)

- Scholarship Cover Page
- Completed Application
- Essay
- Reference Form listing three (3) people which are not related to you
- High School Transcript

Deadline to Apply

Submit all documents to the High School Guidance Office by **February 29, 2008**.

Scholarship Eligibility Policy

In order to assure the public that DeKalb County Community Foundation maintains impartiality when awarding educational scholarships, the following individuals and their relatives* are not considered eligible for scholarships provided by the foundation:

- Foundation Directors or Officers
- Foundation Employees
- Foundation Scholarship Committee members
- Foundation Scholarship Sub-Committee members
- High school staff members directly involved in the selection process

For a Director, Officer, Employee, Scholarship Committee member or Scholarship Sub-Committee member, this restriction applies for the year scholarships are awarded and for two years after he/she is no longer connected with the foundation in a volunteer or paid position. For a high school staff member directly involved with the selection process, this restriction applies only for the year the scholarships are awarded.

*Relatives are defined as follows: Spouse, lineal descendents (children, grandchildren, great grandchildren whether by whole or half blood, step-children, step-grandchildren, step-great grandchildren) and their spouses, brothers and sisters (whether by whole or half blood) and their spouses, as well as ancestors. Other relatives (i.e. nephew, niece, etc.) are eligible to receive scholarships provided by the foundation. Approved by the DeKalb County Community Foundation Board of Directors May 19, 2005.

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Note: This essay is to be completed on this page using a computer and the space provided below. The margins, type size and font are preset by the DeKalb County Community Foundation and are NOT to be changed. Attach to your completed application.

Name:

How have you demonstrated leadership in school, church, work or community activities?

How has your walk with Christ affected your leadership and involvement with these activities?
