

CALVIN C. WAINRIGHT MEMORIAL FOUNDATION
11200 E. 75th Terrace ~ Raytown, Missouri 64138
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NOTICE OF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION OPPORTUNITY

DEAR HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR:

The Calvin C. Wainright Memorial Foundation was founded on December 21, 2022 in Kansas City, Missouri in honor and recognition of Pastor/Coach Calvin C. Wainright.

Pastor Wainright was a lifelong resident who coached, mentored and served at risk youth throughout Kansas City and beyond during his entire adult life. He served tirelessly to develop and uplift young people who were marginalized and worked to help provide needed resources to enable and empower them to become successful regardless of their circumstances.

The Calvin C. Wainright Memorial Foundation would like to formally recognize a Greater Kansas City high school senior who has assumed the task of serving his/her community; is striving to achieve academic excellence; demonstrates that their service within our community embodies their faith and spiritual belief which has helped shape their level of engagement; and desires to move to their next level of success. The Foundation seeks to provide annual scholarship assistance to deserving high school students as they pursue their educational goals at a college/university; or certification/vocational/technical level. This award is called the **"Calvin C. Wainright Faith & Community Involvement Award"**.

Our Scholarship Award Criteria:

- *High School Senior within the Greater Kansas City area graduating in the Class of 2025.*
- *Must be pursuing enrollment at a college/university; or certification/vocational/technical education.*
- *Provide verification of community service hours during their high school years. Community service hours can include experiences with tutoring; mentoring; assisting and serving youth and/or elderly; serving in various ministry roles in your church/faith institution/organizations; serving in any youth organizations or Boards.*
- *Provide a statement of how their faith and spiritual belief has motivated them to serve their community as a High School Teen.*
- *Has maintained a minimum 2.5 Grade Point Average (or above).*
- *Provide a statement on how a scholarship award will benefit their educational pursuits.*
- *Provide a written summary regarding their future; what they hope to achieve and share how past experiences or adversities have motivated them to push toward greater excellence.*
- *To ensure equitable consideration, Family members/relatives of Pastor Calvin C. Wainright will be ineligible to apply.*

Please submit the enclosed application by **March 29, 2025**. The Award Recipient will receive a \$ 1,000 Scholarship. The Scholarship Recipient will be formally presented at the Calvin C. Wainright Memorial Foundation Fundraising event on April 29, 2025.

Submit your application by mail to:

Calvin C. Wainright Memorial Foundation
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For questions, call 816 497-4886.

Warmest Regards,

Dr. Marjorie Williams
President, Board of Directors
Calvin C. Wainright Memorial Foundation

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OFFICIAL APPLICATION FORM

CALVIN C. WAINRIGHT FAITH & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AWARD

Applicant's Name _____ Age _____

Home Address (Including Zip Code) _____

Home/Personal Phone (Direct Contact Number) _____

Email Address _____ Birth Date _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Relationship to Applicant _____

Parent/Guardian Phone (Direct Contact Number) _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address _____

High School _____ Grade _____

School Address (Including Zip Code) _____

Current Grade Point Average (GPA) _____ Graduation Date _____

INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR APPLICATION PACKET:

- 1. Provide a written statement explaining why you are applying for this Scholarship.** *Are you enrolling in a college or university; pursuing a certification/vocational/technical education? What school are you enrolling in? When do you plan to start school? Be as specific as possible. What college degree or type of certification are you pursuing?*
- 2. Tell us about yourself.** *Share any information regarding your personal life that will enhance consideration of your application. Provide any community service hours you have performed during your high school years. Be sure to provide dates and the type of community service you were involved in. Share any experiences you have had in living out your faith and spiritual beliefs. Tell us about your school involvement (extracurricular activities; clubs; organizations; Honor Roll; etc). What are your personal goals as you graduate high school and beyond? Why do you feel you should be selected as a Scholarship Recipient? Share how you feel the life and legacy of Pastor/Coach Calvin C. Wainright impacts your life as a High School Senior. Feel free to share any additional information you desire.*
- 3. References.** *Please include separate reference letters from at least three (3) Adult Non-Relatives in support of your application. They must include their name, phone number; email address (if applicable) and their affiliation to you (School Counselor/Teacher; Mentor/Coach; Principal; Pastor; Supervisor; Family Friend, etc).*

*****APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 29, 2025*****