

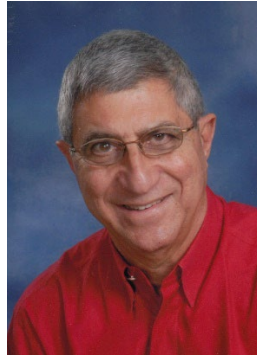
**George Maida  
Memorial  
Scholarship**



Access Care of Coastal Texas, Inc.



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Compassionate Community-Based Assistance  
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## **The George Maida Memorial Scholarship Fund**

The George Maida Scholarship Fund was created by a group of his loving friends and Access Care of Coastal Texas (ACCT) in memory of his deep devotion towards helping others and his strong support of higher education.

George was born on October 3, 1935, in Jacksonville, FL. A lifelong Gator Fan, he received his Bachelor's Degree at the University of Florida while also serving in the National Guard Reserve. He received his Master's Degree from Ole Miss and taught Social Studies at Ribault High School for 20 years. He served in Administration for Houston Independent School District for an additional 21 years.

He retired to Galveston and was a very active member and mentor at First Baptist Church, ACCT, Christians for Feeding the Homeless and the Galveston Island Humane Society. George was generous with his time and resources and believed everyone should have access to higher education and/or a trade.

This scholarship is meant to honor all those who volunteer, teach our children and care for the sick. A scholarship that directly reflects George Maida's life and passions.

**Access Care of Coastal Texas, Inc. (ACCT)** provides compassionate community-based Access to Care for persons with HIV and their health issues through direct and collaborative means, offering awareness/education, prevention, and support to the people of Coastal Texas.

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## The George Maida Memorial Scholarship

The George Maida Memorial Scholarship was established by his good friends along with ACCT (Access Care of Coastal Texas, Inc.) to give local senior graduates a chance to pursue a higher degree in either Public Health or Education.

George was born on October 3, 1935 in Jacksonville, Fl. He received his Bachelor's Degree from the Univ. of Florida while serving as a National Guard Reserve. George later received his Master's Degree from Old Miss. He taught for over 20 years and then transferred to Houston ISD in admin. For 21 years.

He was very active in the Galveston community especially in his church, the Galveston Island Humane Society, ACCT and Christians for Feeding the Homeless. George was a very kind and generous person and believed everyone deserved a chance to better themselves. This Scholarship reflects George's passion for volunteerism and higher education.

# The George Maida Memorial Scholarship

**MISSION STATEMENT:** The purpose of the George Maida Scholarship is to further the education of an outstanding Senior from Galveston schools who select a career path in the educational or healthcare industries.

**AMOUNT:** Maximum amount of the scholarship is \$1500.00. No scholarship may be renewed.

**SELECTION PROCESS:** Students are evaluated on proven academic success, leadership, and demonstrated desire to work in an academic or healthcare setting. Each participant must complete a Student Application form, provide academic transcripts, and complete the required Essay.

**AWARD PRESENTATION:** The scholarship will be awarded at the school's annual awards ceremony and the check will be presented to the student with proof of college registration.

A complete application consists of:

1. Complete application form, including a typed essay form between 50 - 100 words.
2. Certified transcript (raised seal/signature) from high school.
3. One reference letter from counselor or equivalent school administrator
4. A photo or student I.D. must be included.

## **INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**

**THE ESSAY:** The essay is to focus on the importance of education or healthcare provision and why you have chosen to pursue this career path.

**Applications must be submitted and received no later than 5 pm on April 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**Please return completed application to:**

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ATTN: Scholarship Program

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**A) General Information**

1. Full Name \_\_\_\_\_
2. Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ (DD/MM/YYYY)
3. Residential Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_
4. Mailing Address (if different)  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Phone/Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_
6. Email Address \_\_\_\_\_
7. Parent/Legal Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_
8. Phone/Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

**B) School Information**

1. Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_
2. Street Address \_\_\_\_\_
3. City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_
4. Date of Graduation (MM/YYYY) \_\_\_\_\_
5. Counselor's Name \_\_\_\_\_
6. Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_
7. Email Address \_\_\_\_\_
8. GPA \_\_\_\_\_ (Please include HS transcript)

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**C) College Information**

1. Your College Preferences:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

2. Intended Major(s)

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

**D) Please complete the following questions. Attach additional sheets if needed.**

1. List your school-related extra-curricular activities:

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2. List community activities in which you are now or have been a member or volunteer:

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3. List honors, awards, scholarships that you have received:

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**Declaration**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ declare that the information provided above is true and correct. If any significant information is found to have been falsified, all benefits awarded to me by Access Care of Coastal Texas, Inc. will be withdrawn, and my application will be voided.

\_\_\_\_\_ I authorize ACCT to access my academic records and transcripts.  
Initial

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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